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## Van Nuys Neighborhood Council



### Joint Board and Beautification Committee Meeting 2<sup>nd</sup> Tue., September 13, 2022, 6:30PM

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*In Conformity with The September 16, 2021, Enactment of California Assembly Bill 361 (Rivas) And Due to Concerns Over Covid-19, Joint Board and Neighborhood Beautification Committee Meeting Of Van Nuys Neighborhood Council Will Be Conducted Telephonically and Internet Based Via Zoom.*

This meeting is noticed as a Special Joint Meeting of the Van Nuys Neighborhood Council and the Beautification Committee Meeting, called by the President, because there may be a majority of neighborhood council board members present in a number sufficient to take board action. Any action taken at this meeting will only be an action of the Beautification Committee Meeting present and not an action of the Van Nuys Neighborhood Council as a body.

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- Comments from the public on other matters not appearing on the agenda that are within the Committee's jurisdiction will be heard during the General Public Comment period.

- Please note that under the Brown Act, the Committee is prevented from acting on a matter that you bring to its attention during the General Public Comments period; however, the issue raised by a member of the public may become the subject of a future Committee or Board meeting.
- Public comment is limited to a maximum of **2 minutes per speaker per item** with a **maximum of 10 minutes total per meeting**, unless adjusted by the presiding officer of the Committee.
- Speakers shall limit their comments to matters relevant to the item on the agenda. The Chair may rule that the speaker is out of order if the comments are not germane to the item under consideration.

**AB 361 Update**

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# AGENDA

- 1. WELCOME, ROLL CALL AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE** Chair Myrra Bolla
- 2. GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENTS ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS** Chair Myrra Bolla  
(2 min per comment)
- 3. PRESENTATION BY LA OFFICE OF COMMUNITY BEAUTIFICATION** Project Manager  
**PROJECT ADOPT-A-MEDIAN** [HTTP://LAOCB.ORG](http://LAOCB.ORG) Karina Casillas, Analyst
  - Purpose of the AAM program
  - Types of Medians
  - Who Can Apply
  - Maintenance Agreements and Expedition of Licensing Process

**4. REVOTE ITEMS FROM BEATIFICATION COMMITTEE MEETING ON JULY 12, 2022**

<b>Attendees of Beautification Committee Meeting on August 9,2022</b>		
<b>Beatification Committee Members</b>	<b>VNNC Board Member</b>	<b>Public Observers</b>
Myrra Bolla, Chair	Gwen Makiri	Call-in User1 (Richard Hopp)
Kathy Schreiner zoom co-host		
Danielle Rouillard zoom co-host		
David Harari		

Mr. R. Hopp expressed concern that a violation of Robert’s Rule of Order occurred and provided section from the Cal. Gov't Code, § 54952.2(6)(c) -

**"[T]he attendance of a majority of the members of a legislative body at an open and noticed meeting of a standing committee of that body, provided that the members of the legislative body who are not members of the standing committee attend only as observers."**

[California Code, Government Code - GOV § 54952.2 | FindLaw](#)

The VNNC President did not agree that violation occurred. However, advised to revote on voted agenda items.

**APPROVE MARCH 22, JUNE 7 AND JULY 12, 2022, MINUTES**

Chair Myrra Bolla

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**5. DISCUSSION AND RECOMMENDATIONS ON HOW TO PROCEED ON AAM PROJECT**

**6. ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**7. ADJOURNMENT**

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