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**NORTH HOLLYWOOD NORTHEAST
 NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL AGENDA**

Meeting Type:
 Special Joint General Council
 and the
**Beautification & Public Safety
 Committee**

Date:
**Tuesday, February 10, 2025
 7:00 pm**

Location:
**Valley Plaza Recreation Center
 Classroom / Meeting Room
 12240 Archwood St, North Hollywood, CA**

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 NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL**

Regular Board Meetings
 the 3rd WEDNESDAY
 January through December @ 7PM

**Valley Plaza Recreation Center
 12240 Archwood St,
 North Hollywood, CA 91606
 Classroom / Meeting Room**

**Enter through the front doors.
 Classroom / Meeting Room is
 located to the right. There is parking
 available in the lot or on the street.**

Snacks and drinks provided.

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 P.O. Box 15515,
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*President/Chair reserves the right to move agenda items to accommodate speakers

This meeting is noticed as a Special Joint Meeting of the North Hollywood Northeast Neighborhood Council and the Beautification and Public Safety Committee, 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 and Public Safety Committee members present and not an action of the North Hollywood Northeast Neighborhood Council as a body.

Item #	Topic	Responsible Person
1	Call Meeting to Order – Welcome – Review of Meeting Rules Roll Call for Beautification & Public Safety Committee Members and Separate roll call for any other Board members in attendance.	Chair
2	Comments by Government Officials (3 min each)	Chair
3	Public Comments on Non-Agenda Items (3 min each)	Various
***	BEAUTIFICATION	***
4	Discussion and Possible Action: North Hollywood Volunteers Cleaning Communities (VCC) Held every 2nd Saturday from 8:00 AM to 10:00 AM. Upcoming clean-ups: Feb 14, 2026 Laurel Canyon / Erwin (hosted by Urbane Cafe at NoHo West) Flyer https://www.nhnenc.org/event/north-hollywood-community-clean-up-with-vcc-3/ RSVP not required, but is appreciated https://forms.gle/JBwW6yDEb8kQNcKR9	Chair
5	Discussion and Possible Action: Recap & Review the “MLK, Jr. Day of Service” event held on January 19, 2026 at Valley Plaza Recreation Center with feedback for next year’s planning.	Chair

6	<p>Presentation, Discussion and Possible Action: Lankershim Slopes Projects Updates Area Focus will be on the SE corner of Lankershim/Sherman Way near 7170 Lankershim Blvd Projects include: Native Plant Community Garden and Mural/Beautification Garden Location: To make improvements on Public Right-of-ways, that would involve going through the City's Adopt-a-Median process http://laocb.org/programs/adopt-a-median/ Murals and all public art projects located on or over City property must be submitted to the Cultural Affairs Commission for approval prior to installation.</p>	Chair Clark / CM Núñez
7	<p>Discussion and Possible Action: LADWP City Plants programs They plant them for you! Sign up to get street trees planted in the parkway in front of your home, apartment, business, or school. In 2001, LADWP created the “Trees for a Green LA” program and started planting trees for energy efficiency. They have subsequently partnered with City Plants to run this program.</p>	Chair
Parks & Green Spaces		
8	<p>Discussion and Possible Action: Los Angeles Neighborhood Council Sustainability Alliance (LANCSA) & Trees Committee Updates</p>	Liaison Núñez / Liaison Sotelo
PUBLIC SAFETY		
9	<p>Discussion and Possible Action: Review Community Concerns about Coyotes, specifically near Valley Plaza Branch Library and Valley Plaza Recreation Center. A) CD2 has provided the following guide: Encounters with Coyotes - LA City Guidance B) Coyote-Smart Los Angeles - A Community Forum on Living Safely with Urban Coyotes February 26, 2026 at 6 pm via Zoom Sign up here: https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/a-ihHdhmTEG9ejKqxeFfnw C) Petition - “Address the Rising Coyote Threat in the San Fernando Valley”</p>	Chair
10	<p>Discussion: “Delete Request and Opt-out Platform” (DROP) https://privacy.ca.gov/drop/ DROP was created by the California Privacy Protection Agency to give residents a single place to request the deletion of their personal information from data brokers operating in the state. KTLA's Rich DeMuro reports</p>	Chair
11	<p style="text-align: center;">Discussion: Farewell, Valley Steam Plant 1953-2026</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around;">   </div> <p>The Valley Steam Plant was built in 1951 and began operation in 1953, and was decommissioned in 2002. Demolition started in 2024 and will be completed by late 2026. This project involves tearing down the original Units 1–4, along with related infrastructure. Modern, cleaner units at the same location (which are 95% cleaner) will continue to operate. The site clearance will make way for future renewable energy projects.</p>	Chair
City Services		
12	<p>Discussion and Possible Action: “Be Part of the Change! From the Palm of Your Hand” event March 7, 2026 10 am - 1 pm Arminta Street Elementary School is host. * Partners include: North Hollywood Northeast Neighborhood Council, Sun Valley Area Neighborhood Council, LAUSD BD6, MyLA311, LA Sanitation SORT LA, LA Public Library, and New Earth Regeneration Initiative (NERI).</p>	Chair

	<p>* NHNENC partnership includes providing refreshments, printed & interactive materials, and outreach tabling materials. Formally referred to as the MyLA311 Requesting City Services Workshop Event, which has a budget hold for \$1000. Discussion to include reviewing expenses. * RSVP & More Information available here and Flyer available here. *</p>	
Crime & Safety		
13	<p>Discussion & Possible Action: Community Police Advisory Board (CPAB)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● NHNENC is within both North Hollywood and Foothill CPAB boundaries <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Hear updates from the NHNENC Liaisons: Wendy Sotelo & Jennifer Clark ● "Community Safety & Engagement in LAPD North Hollywood Division" project. Survey <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ "As dedicated public servants, we are committed to enhancing the safety, trust, and well-being of the North Hollywood community. Your voice is essential in shaping the future of public safety in our neighborhoods." 	Chair
Emergency Preparedness		
14	<p>Discussion: Recap the LA County Emergency Preparedness event that was held on February 7, 2026 in LA Mission College</p>	Chair
15	<p>Discussion: Neighborhood Council Emergency Preparedness Alliance NC EPA monthly meeting update - Meets on the 4th Sat For additional information, contact the chair, Len Shaffer, at commissionerlenshaffer@gmail.com Resources: Emergency Preparedness Guide ; Register for City Alerts</p>	Chair
***	Committee Business	***
16	<p>Discussion & Possible Action: Updates on Committee Projects, including: Tree Health & Empty Tree Wells Project (Sotelo/Núñez) NoHo Walk & Talk - City Services Community Outreach series (Clark) Street Furniture / Bus Shelters / Urban Panels (Clark/Núñez) Air Pollution Research (Núñez)</p>	Various
17	<p>Discussion & Possible Action: Planning & Next Steps for Upcoming Events "Beat the Heat!" - Extreme Heat Preparedness Event (June) approved budget up to \$1500 "Are you READY?" - Emergency Preparedness & CERT Awareness Event (Sept) "sead & step garden" - Native Plants Community Garden Planting Event - Lankershim Slope (Nov) "MLK, Jr. Day of Service" - Community Clean Up & Resource Fair (Jan '27) "Be Part of the Change! From the Palm of Your Hand" - MyLA311/LA Sanitation Interactive Workshops Event (March '27) "sead & step garden" - Native Plants Community Garden Ribbon Cutting Event (April '27)</p>	Chair
18	<p>Discussion and Possible Action: Stakeholders interested in becoming members of the Beautification & Public Safety Committee will be allotted 2 min to speak. (To become a committee member, the Chair shall appoint a member and the Board will ratify per Article VII§3 of the bylaws)</p>	Chair
19	<p>Discussion & Possible Action: Next meeting date & time and Requests for future agenda items.</p>	Chair
20	Committee Member Announcements	Various
21	Adjourn	Chair
	<p>Information Only - Contact information for the following LAPD Senior Lead Officers</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Foothill Community Division: https://www.lapdonline.org/lapd-contact/valley-bureau/foothill-community-police-station/</p> <p style="text-align: center;">North Hollywood Community Division: https://www.lapdonline.org/lapd-contact/valley-bureau/north-hollywood-community-police-station/</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Senior Lead Officers (SLOs) and their coverage area maps: https://lapdonlinestrgeacc.blob.core.usgovcloudapi.net/lapdonlinemedia/fthl-slo-map-jan-2023-.pdf 16A81 - Officer Cesar Contreras (818) 634-0854 36373@lapd.online</p> <p>https://lapdonlinestrgeacc.blob.core.usgovcloudapi.net/lapdonlinemedia/BASIC-CAR-MAP_022223.pdf 15A3 Officer Gabriel Ahedo (818) 634-0949 33107@lapd.online</p>	

<p>15A27 Officer Cesar Gonzalez (424) 552-0256 36888@lapd.online 15A33 Officer Jennifer DuVally (818) 634-0809 30991@lapd.online</p> <p>LAFD/LAPD Overlay Map with CD2/CD6/NHNENC Boundaries</p>
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