



MINUTES – FULL COUNCIL MEETING

Wednesday, June 19, 2013

Prince of Peace Church, 5700 Rudnick Avenue, Woodland Hills, CA 91367

Call to Order - Chair, Scott Silverstein called the meeting to order at 6:45

Pledge of Allegiance - was conducted by Al Saur

Roll Call – as conducted by Secretary, Joyce Fletcher 14 Board members present. A quorum was reached.

Approval of the Record of Proceedings: May 8, 2013Chair Scott Silverstein made a motion to approve the minutesVote: Ayes 14Nays 0Abstain 0

Peter Fletcher seconded

1. Organization, Operation, Policies, & Procedures: Public Announcements: None Public Comment None

SPECIAL PRESENTATION Councilman Dennis P. Zine Los Angeles City, Council District 3

Chair Scott Silverstein presented remarks that commemorated the accomplishments of Councilman Zine and thanked the Councilman for his work with the Neighborhood Council.

Councilman Zine presented the Neighborhood Council with a check for \$50,000 to be used for street, sidewalk, etc. maintenance and upgrades in Woodland Hills. The NC will work with the City to determine the specific parameters, requirements and options. The money becomes effective July 1, 2013 and the money must be spent by July 1, 2014 The Councilman suggested that the community be invited to weigh in on the decision.

The Councilman thanked the Council for our work and dedication the community.

2. Organization, Operation, Policies, & Procedures:
Chair, Scott Silverstein – requested that a Board member volunteer to be Treasurer
Vice-Chair, Dennis DiBiase – the Committees need to post minutes on the NC Website library
Treasurer, Scott Silverstein – The P Card is operational and bills are being paid.
Secretary, Joyce Fletcher – No report
Parliamentarian, Sean McCarthy – No report

3. Items for Which Committee Meetings Have Been Held:

Item no. (1) Joyce Fletcher, Chair Community Outreach

(13-019)

Discussion and possible action:

Recommendation that the Board approve the following motion:

Community Outreach Committee Chair Joyce Fletcher made motion to authorize the expenditure of \$2,500 from the 2013-2014 budget to sponsor Valley Cultural Center's Concerts on the Green for the 2013 Summer Season. In return for sponsor recognition the VCC will provide the Neighborhood Council with a 10x10 foot booth at the 12 concerts and July 4th fireworks, sponsorship of the Monday Morning Concerts for Children; a series of eight shows at the Madrid Theatre, and logo recognition of such on the Valley Cultural Center website. Vahid Khorsand seconded the motion

Discussion followed.

Dennis Di Biase made a motion to amend the first motion to add \$500 to the requested amount of \$2,500 providing a total of \$3,000. Heath Kline seconded the motion

Discussion followed.

Vote on first motion:	Ayes 9	Nays 4	Abstain 1
Vote on second motion:	Ayes 11	Nays 2	Abstain 1

Item no. (2) Joyce Fletcher, Chair Community Outreach

(13-020)

Discussion and possible action:

Recommendation that the Board approve the following motion:

Community Outreach Committee Chair Joyce Fletcher made a motion to authorize the expenditure of \$2,000 from the 2013-2014 budget to purchase Neighborhood Council giveaways/promotional materials to be used at various future Neighborhood Council community events.

	-	Second	led by Dennis DiBiase
Vote:	Ayes 14	Nays 0	Abstain 0

Item no. (3) Joyce Fletcher, Chair Community Outreach

(13-021)

Discussion and possible action:

Recommendation that the Board approve the following motion:

Community Outreach Chair Joyce Fletcher made a motion to authorize the expenditure of \$2,000 from the 2013/2014 budget for the printing of neighborhood council newsletters. The newsletters design and layout will be created by the Outreach Committee Newsletter Ad-Hoc Committee. The newsletters will be will be reviewed and approved by the Officers prior to publication and distribution.

Seconded by Peter Fletcher

Vote:	Ayes 14	Nays 0	Abstain 0

Item no. (4) August Steurer, Chair, Planning Land Use Mobility Committee

(13-022) DIR 2013-865-SPP 22102 Clarendon St., Woodland Hills, CA

(Shelly's Stereo)

Discussion and Possible Action

Project Permit Compliance Application for façade remodel under the Ventura Blvd.- Cahuenga Blvd. Corridor Specific Plan. There shall be no floor area increase or change to the parking requirements.

Item no. (4) was continued to a future date to be determined by the PLUM Committee Chair

Item no. (5) August Steurer, Chair, Planning Land Use Mobility Committee (13-023) APC – SV-2011-2528-SPE-SPP Discussion and Possible Action:

PLUM Chair August Steurer made a motion regarding drawings for Specific Plan Compliance and Specific Plan Exceptions for demolition of an existing/vacant retail coffee kiosk and construction of a specific Plan Exceptions for demolition of an existing vacant retail coffee kiosk and construction of a specific Plan Exception of a specif

Specific Plan Exceptions for demolition of an existing/vacant retail coffee kiosk and construction of a new approximately 15,700 sq.ft. office/medical building. The height shall be approximately 45' with multiple subterranean parking levels.

Seconded by Dennis Dibiase

Vote:	Ayes 14	Nays 0	Abstain 0

9:10 p.m. Chair Scott Silverstein announced that the Board would recess for a Special Meeting Please see the minutes for the June 19, 2013 Special Meeting

Chair Scott Silverstein called the regular Board Meeting back to order at 9:20 p.m.

Discussion by the Board regarding committee operations: Committee Reports:

Budget Committee - Scott Silverstein, Chair

Community Services – William Anderson, Chair

Education Committee*- Melanie Smotrich-King, Chair

The Committee is currently working on school safety issues. Heath Kline reported that the Valley College Trustee meeting regarding gun safety in schools was a success. The trustees accepted the letter from the NC and thanked the Committee for their participation.

Governance Committee -- Gordon Murley, Chair

The Governance Committee is meeting on a regular basis to assess by-law changes and language. New Standing Rules will be added.

Outreach Committee – Joyce Fletcher, Chair

See above motions

PLUM Committee - August Steurer, Chair, Peykan Abbassi, Vice-Chair

A new ad-hoc committee was formed to address a streetscape plan for Woodland Hills. The PLUM committee is working on a Woodland Hills/Warner Center design guideline summary for the Council office so new applicants will know the requirements of the PLUM Committee and the Council office prior to meetings.

Public Safety Committee – John Strand, Roger Gerrish, Co-Chairs

The Serrania School Public Safety Event was very successful.

Senior Committee*-Kathy Davies, Chair

No report

Warner Center 2035 Plan, Citizens Advisory Committee - Dennis DiBiase, Chair

The WHWC Specific Plan has been reviewed by the City Attorney. The Planning Department is still including Citizen's Committee input. It will go to City Council soon.

*subcommittees of the Community Services Committee

This agenda is subject to correction of non-material information.

Announcements:

Next Board meeting will be Wednesday, July 10, 2013 at Woodland Hills Academy,

20800 Burbank Boulevard, Woodland Hills, CA 91367 in the Multi-Purpose Room.

Meeting dates for the rest of the academic year:

For the upcoming 2013/2014 academic year the proposed Board meeting dates will be announced as soon as determined.

September to June meetings will be held at Woodland Hills Academy, Multi-Purpose Room ("MPR"), 20800 Burbank Boulevard, Woodland Hills, CA 91367 at 6:30 p.m. July and August 2013 meetings are to be held at a venue to be determined at a later date.

(Date, Time, location subject to change or cancellation. Please check the www.whcouncil.org website)

Adjournment of meeting: The meeting was adjourned at 9:40

Minutes submitted by Joyce Fletcher, Secretary WHWCNC

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