Sunland Tujunga Neighborhood Council

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MONTHLY BOARD MEETING AGENDA Wednesday, November 14, 2007 – 7:00 PM Mt. Gleason Middle School 10965 Mt. Gleason Avenue – Sunland

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7:00 PM

1. Call to Order - Cindy Cleghorn, Chairperson

Introduction of STNC Board, Elected Officials, City staff, LAPD Sr. Leads, DONE rep, Handouts, notices, sign-in sheets, speaker cards, agenda timeline. LAPD & LAFD announcements and Q&A in order to facilitate their schedule.

- 2. Mt. Gleason Middle School students trip to Florida Deborah Acosta, Mt. Gleason Principal (7:15)
- 3. The Hidden Danger of Medical Marijuana to Our Children A Mother's Story Belinda Woodruff (7:25)
- 4. Approval of Minutes (7:40)
- 5. Treasurer's Report (7:45)
- 6. Public Comment (non-agenda items) 10 minutes (7:50)
- 7. Design Advisory Committee (Victor M. Castro, IV, DAC Chairman) (8:00) a. CD2 updates

 - b. Approve written DAC report recommendations as presented.
- 8. Outreach Committee (Dan McManus, Outreach Chairman) (8:20)

a. Report/Action to approve expenses: Outreach events - District 4 Pancake Breakfast held 10/14 b. Discussion/Action regarding 4th of July Fireworks 2008: STNC to assist the community through partnership with the Verdugo Hills High School Boosters in organizing and executing the 4th of July fireworks event at Verdugo Hills High School on July 4, 2008 and invites community members to volunteer to help plan the events.

- 9. <u>Board Member Reports</u> on subject matters within the Board's jurisdiction. (8:30)
 - District & Stakeholder Group reps neighbor issues, updates, announce outreach events
 - a. District outreach events/reports/action
 - b. Education Lydia Grant
 - e. Arts & Culture Tim Borquez
 - d. ST-SERVS Allen Rodriguez
- 10. STNC Chair Report: Planning MOU/Oversight meeting
- 11. Committee Reports Discussion/Action/Update (8:40)
 - a. <u>Bylaws</u> (Bill Skiles/Mark Seigel) Report from Oct. 22 STNC Board meeting
 - b. <u>Safety (Nina Royal)</u> Support for Q-Star Cameras.
 - c. <u>DWP/MOU</u> Update on proposed rate increases (David Cain)
- **12. New Business:** (8:50)

a. Discussion/Action regarding Special Trash Tax implemented by the City for the hiring of 1,000 new police officers.

b. Approve administrative expense to replace one wireless microphone. Cost estimate not to exceed \$250 for cost, tax and shipping.

c. STNC recommends support of the Neighborhood Council Review Commission's report. Adjourn 9:10 p.m.

December STNC Meeting will be Wednesday, December 12, 2007 at North Valley Neighborhood City Hall ****location change****

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