# Sunland Tujunga Neighborhood Council

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# MONTHLY BOARD MEETING AGENDA Wednesday, September 8, 2010 – 7:00 p.m. BOARD MEETING

North Valley Neighborhood City Hall 7747 Foothill Blvd., Tujunga, CA 91042

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## \*6:15 PM - STNC PRE-MEETING BBQ, POTLUCK & ICE CREAM\*

#### 7:00 PM

- 1. Call to Order, Pledge of Allegiance Meeting overview, Introduction of STNC Board, Elected Officials, City staff, LAPD Sr. Lead, DONE rep, Handouts, notices, sign-in sheets, speaker cards, agenda timeline.
- 2. President's Report: Outreach Participation & Best Of Awards Ballots
- 3. Outreach Report David Cain, VP Outreach
- 4. Public Safety Report Nina Royal, Safety Chair
- 5. Group & Region Board Reports (10) Recognition presentations
- 6. Secretary's Report: Minutes of August 2010
  - Neighborhood Council Workshop Sept. 19 1-5 p.m. at Marvin Braude Ctr, Van Nuys
  - DWP Committee Report & Request for STNC support of Ratepayers Advocate Term Sheet
- 7. **PUBLIC COMMENTS fill out speaker card –** (10)
  - Service Clubs Report
- 8. Land Use Committee Report Tomi Lyn Bowling, LUC Chair (10)
  - a. LUC recommendation to confirm Bill Skiles appointed as a member of the STNC Land Use Committee; Mark Seigel and Arsen Karamians as alternate LUC members.
  - b. LUC recommendation to oppose the building of a Single Family residence at 6340, 6342, 6346 Sister Elsie, Tujunga including opposition to any discretionary actions and waivers that have been requested by the applicant/property owner. The community is concerned with issues related to engineering, geotechnical engineering (soils) analysis, hydrology, construction operations, set backs, survey of the land, utilities and public safety. If the applicant/property owner is able to resolve these issues and improving the roads including widening and maintaining the roads, then the applicant's proposal shall be satisfactory for building.
  - c. LUC recommendation that City Planning extend the timeline for comments regarding Citywide Urban Design Guidelines, CDO Streamlining Ordinance and Zoning Code Simplification to allow time for neighborhood councils and communities to become familiar with these new proposals, comment and participate in the process.
  - d. Other Updates: Next ST Planning Class is Sept. 14 and will include discussions regarding new Citywide initiatives and how they relate to Sunland-Tujunga's current ordinances.
- 9. Discussion/Action to fill vacant board seat: Region 3 (5)
- 10. Treasurer's Report Mark Seigel (5)
  - a. Motion to receive Sept. 2010 STNC Financial report.
- b. Motion to approve up to \$100 for the Valley Alliance of Neighborhood Councils Planning Forum to be held on Nov. 11, 2010 at CBS Studios. Funds to cover direct cost for the event. Other Valley NCs are also in support. Board and Stakeholders invited
- 11. Announcements: Next Land Use Committee meeting Sept. 20 . Next STNC meeting Oct. 13, 2010

### Adjourn.

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