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GREATER VALLEY GLEN COUNCIL AGENDA
Monday, July 7, 2008, 7:00 PM
Los Angeles Valley College, Cafeteria Conference Room
5800 Fulton Avenue
Valley Glen, CA 91401

The public is requested to fill out a “**Speaker Card**” (per individual item) to address the Board on any item of the agenda prior to the Board taking action on an item. Comments from the public on Agenda items will be heard only when the respective item is being considered. Comments from the public on other matters not appearing on the Agenda that is within the Board’s subject matter jurisdiction will be heard during the Public Comment period. Public comment is limited to 2 minutes per speaker, unless waived by the presiding officer of the Board. Presiding officer reserves the right to limit further, depending on number of speakers. No person may assign their speaking time to another person. Period for comment not to exceed 15 minutes.

Erwin Street School, 13400 Erwin Street, Valley Glen, CA; Cambridge Farms, 12431 Burbank, Valley Glen, CA; Monlux Elementary School, 6051 Bellaire, Valley Glen, CA; Kittridge Street Elementary School, 13619 Kittridge Street, Valley Glen, CA.; and on the web site, www.greatervalleyglencouncil.org or www.gvgc.us.

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1. Call to Order, Pledge of Allegiance, and Roll Call
2. Introduction of Officials
3. Presentation to Board members for support of Serenity Garden by Gladys Aldana
4. Public Comments (see rules above)
5. Review and **Motion** to adopt Minutes for June 2, 2008 – Carlos Ferreyra
Note: corrected Minutes as approved by the Board needed for: 6/4/07; 7/9/07; 10/1/07; 12/3/07; 2/4/08
6. Review and **Motion** to adopt Treasurer’s Report – Vic Viereck
 - a. Update on DONE funding and Proposed changes. 90 day Public Comment period commenced on June 16, 2008. – **Possible Motion(s)**
7. Board Member comments – Comments from Board on non-agenda item subject matters within the Board jurisdiction
8. President’s comments and general announcements including:
 - a. Reminder for Conflict of Interest Training for NC board members – available on DONE website, www.lacityneighborhoods.com
 - b. Election update; overview and critique of City Clerk’s handling of election; and L.A. City Council’s Education & Neighborhoods Committee review – **Possible Motion(s)**
 - c. Announcement regarding Valley Glen designation.
 - d. General announcements

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

9. Planning & Land Use – Douglas Breidenbach & Ted Geldberg, Co-Chairpersons
 - a. Vacation request for Sunnyslope Avenue right-of-way between Debby Street and Erwin Street (VAC-E-1400864 / Case File 03-1351) and committee recommendation to support the vacation, exclusive of the existing public walkway between Debby Street and Erwin Street. – **Possible Motion(s)**
 - b. Update on 40-unit development at 13505 Barbara Ann - Hearing for appeal is Monday, 7/21/08, 2:30 p.m., Marvin Braude Center, Van Nuys Boulevard.
 - c. General Updates
10. Outreach: Carlos Ferreyra, Chairperson
 - a. **Motion** to approve additional funds of \$1,752.68 for Daily News ads. On 4/5/08, the Board approved up to \$3000. for two ads for the election. The actual cost is \$4,752.68.
 - b. Review and discussion regarding Election Outreach: GVGC, DONE, City Clerk
11. Beautification: Arline Simon, Chairperson
 - a. Update on 170 Freeway signs
 - b. Update on Victory and Whitsett medians
 - c. Update on Laurel Grove Community Park benches and freeway barriers
12. Arts and Education: Linda Wehrli, Chairperson
 - a. Update on Serenity Garden sign
13. Public Safety and Government Relations - Terry Anderson, Chairperson
 - Public Safety:
 - a. Update on Neighborhood Watch signs
 - Government Relations:
 - d. Update on Valley Alliance – Chris Ueland
 - e. Update on LANCC – Charlotte Laws
14. Next scheduled meeting **August 4, 2008 – 7:00 P.M.** – Swearing in of new Board by Councilmember Wendy Greuel
15. Adjournment

GVGC Election Results:

Area 1 – Homeowner – Ted Geldberg (incumbent)
Area 2 – Homeowner – William Fishman
Area 3 – Homeowner – Kathleen N. Schwartz
Area 4 – Homeowner – Steven Hamm
Area 5 – Homeowner – Katrina Bada (incumbent)
Area 6 – Homeowner – Bruce Thomas
Commercial Property Owner – Charlotte Laws (incumbent); Fernando Ayala
Merchant/Business – Hafeed Kardouh (incumbent); Karapet “Karo” Torossian; Matthew Giaba

Returning Board Members:

Area 1 – Resident Occupant – W. Douglas Breidenbach
Area 2 – Resident Occupant – Eli Kademian
Area 3 – Resident Occupant – Chris Mushyan
Area 4 – Resident Occupant – Gary Popenoe
Area 5 – Resident Occupant – Montie Mazo
Area 6 – Resident Occupant – Vic Viereck
Other – Carlos Ferreyra; Chris Ueland
Community Organization – Terry Anderson; Maria Denis
Religious Institution – Stanley Friedman
Schools – Abdul Zohbi

Vacant –
Youth Seat
1 Business Seat