Government Relations Committee

AGENDA

7:00 – 8:30 PM

Wednesday, February 21, 2018

Uncle Tony’s Pizzeria

13007 Victory Blvd., North Hollywood 91606

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1. Call to Order and Roll Call
2. Approval of minutes for meeting of January 24, 2018
3. General Public Comments (See rules above.)
4. Committee Member reports, including Valley Alliance of Neighborhood Councils (VANC) and Neighborhood Council Sustainability Alliance (NCSA), as available.
5. Discussion and possible revision to motion passed at Government Relations Committee of January 24, 2018, re the proposed “Home Sharing Ordinance” that would govern short-term rentals in the City. (CFs 14-1635-S2, S3)
6. Discussion and possible motion re the Bureau of Sanitation report and recommendations to Council on how the City can address the billing, outreach, and customer service concerns involving the RecycLA Program and on the failure of certain RecycLA service providers to fulfill their obligations under the RecycLA agreements and the necessary steps to terminate individual contracts for such failure. (CFs 17-0878-S1 & S2)
7. Discussion and motion re the request to Council to (1) consider and adopt the proposed tree replacement in-lieu concept and (2) approve the establishment of a tree replacement/planting in-lieu fee for private development and residential projects as an option to satisfy the City’s tree replacement policy. (CF 16-0461)
8. Discussion and possible motion sanctioning Joanne D’Antonio, chair of the NCSA Trees Committee, to work with the City Budget Advocates regarding City tree matters.
9. Discussion and possible motion to approve a letter to Kevin James, Bureau of Public Works, that future trim trimming by the Division of Urban Forestry adhere to the guideline of the International Society of Arborists.
10. Discussion of possible future Government Committee agenda items and meeting times and dates.
11. Adjournment

Next meeting, subject to change, March 21, 2018

Time and Place to be announced.