

Minute 2/25/2015  
6:00 Call to Order  
Pledge of allegiance  
Moment of silence  
Roll Call

Ms. Glaze we will skip the roll and minutes because we do not have enough members to vote. We will have Ms. White speak first.

Mrs. Loma White: Community clean-up flyer. The clean will be Saturday, March 19, 2016, from 9 a.m. 1 p.m. The meeting location will be at the Van Meter Center on 7600 S. Avalon Blvd, Los Angeles, CA 90001. Lunch will be provided. I have provided an email to demonstrate that we have requested for CANN DU to supply volunteers with food. Clean up will be between Avalon and Stanford we will be going down 76st, 76 Pl and 77st. I have passed out a map showing the boundaries of District 9. Feel free to call me with any problems you might have.

In May there will be a tree planting event that will be on Vermont on Gage going south all the way down to King. You are welcomed to come and help. He will be giving away free fruit trees. I will email the location once the location has been booked.

We have established trash cans that the city is responsible for picking up. Ms. Jackson: The trash cans are a good idea, but do you think people will start dumping trash in those locations.

Mrs. Loma White: That would be my responsibility to take pictures and document that situation I would contact responsible parties.

Ms. Jackson: Is this a residential area or main streets.

Loma White: This would be for main streets. The city also has gotten extra money for tree trimming. The priority is for trees that blocking light or street lights.

Community stakeholder: Cars on the street are not being moved. New housing does not lock gate. Teenagers:

LAPD Representative (Jorge Rodriguez): I've brought some information for you guys. Map of our areas and the senior lead officers along with their phone numbers. Give them a call for any reasons you might need. If there are any communities events let me know and the Senior Lead Officers know, and we will engage and participate in activities.

There will be an African American forum. We need more people to come out. Last time we had a forum we had 10 people come out. Which was great, but we need larger community involvement to understand how we are doing. We also have community police academy that informs you more of the role of the police.

We will not train you to be officers, but you will have more of an understanding of why things happen. I have also brought crime information, these are the statistics for this year. We are having

an increase in crime, we even had two homicides. Robberies are a problem, the number one things being stolen is cell phones. Help pass the word out to be aware of their surroundings. If you have to answer your phone go into a store. Second is a gold chains. Cell phones and chains are the two items being stolen. We are giving away clubs. If you know anybody who own a 1990 - 1999 Toyota or Honda and are the registered owner tell them to come on over to pick up a club.

Gang activity has grown, if you see activity please call us

Ms. Glaze: Valdez from 77<sup>th</sup> street will not be available tonight we will not get a report from 77<sup>th</sup> Street tonight.

#### Roll Call 6:43

Glaze	Present
Simpson	Present
Campbell	Present
Jackson	Present
Bustamante	Present
Alvarenga	Present

#### Treasurer Report

Ms. Simpson: Our total budget for the year is \$42,000 we have spent \$11,119.78. We will be spending considerable more money for the election. We have earmarked an extra \$2000 to hire an election manager to help Brenda Jackson. On the table you will find the report for the months of November, December, and January. You will clearly see how we our spending our funds. Our largest expense has been maintenance for the website. I encourage you all to access the website.

#### Election and Outreach

Ms. Jackson: This election is a challenge to me because I've never been in a position of being chairperson of an Election. The election committee goal is to ensure that every stakeholder within CANNDU NC boundaries are aware that they have a neighborhood council and to increase their participation within the community meetings as well. This isn't Ms. Jackson Election but it is CANNDUNC Election, therefore we all have a responsibility as Board Members to assist the Election Committee in making the 2016 Election a success.

Ms. Scott has been my right hand making phone calls and contacting NPG recipients. Our goal is to make sure all people in the area are aware of the election. CANNDU will be teaming up with Councilman Curren Price for the clean up to ensure we are spreading information to the community. Everyone is encouraged to join the committee if they would like. Next committee meeting will be Wednesday March 2, 2016 from 12-2 at Ascot Library.

Mrs. Loma White: As soon as your flyers are ready let me know. I walk the community and would like to pass out flyers.

#### Land Use

Ms. Glaze: I am still doing research to see how we can stop the high rise duplex. We can individually create impact statements.

Ms. Campbell: the 900 block of Florence. We got information that there was a company that was going to do a demolition and construct condos. Their building plans have not been approved. Their plans included taking the alleys. I am in the process of finding out when they will have their town hall meeting.

One thing about community interest Community Gospel Outreach got their freezer. They pass out food on Fridays from 1– 2:30 AT book store. There are two homeless camps on 74<sup>th</sup> and Central. They did a massive cleanup. We had two individuals who we are trying to get help. One individual is a vet who we are trying to convince to go to the VA. The other individual has mental health issues and we are trying to convince to receive treatment. Four people got shot at. I asked officer Valdez to have more police presence in that region.

Mrs. Loma White. We have a LASO team that will go out and talk to those homeless individuals and convince them to get treatment.

Speakers:

Mr. and Ms. Desmond from Verizon Wireless: to discuss the cell site 5860 Towne Ave. No opposition during the hearing. All the neighbors 500 feet from the site were notified, no opposition. The cellphone tower will be modeled after a pine tree.

The Stakeholder took notes ask about it?

Campbell: I motion that CANNDO board supports Verizon requested to build cell phone tower on the corner of Towne and Slauson.

Bustamante: 2nd  
4 in Favor  
2 opposed

Motion does not pass. (Ms. Glaze will contact Empowerla about the majority vote. After finding the information is correct will write a letter to Zoning Administrator, which was done)

Ms. Glaze: my concern is that there is a house. I was under the impression that it was in a commercial region. There are members here that would be bothered by the tower.

Ms. Campbell: Can I get a point of order? I thought that as long as we have a quorum all we need is a majority.

Ms. Glaze: We are under a different set of Bylaws. You have to go back to the Bylaws from June 1st .

Ms. Desmond: What are your concerns?

Ms. Glaze: Being next to the house I didn't know about the house.

Ms. Desmond: So there are health concerns?

Ms. Glaze: Yes.

Mr. Desmond: After reviewing the Bylaws a majority is required.

Approval of Minutes: Motion to approve minutes from Feb 11, 2016

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#### Library NPG

Library reading and community programs offered through the year for stakeholders - \$2,400. This was approved as a grant last year but the former treasurer did make the payments. According to DONE this has to go under an event program because it is open to the public. Ms. Cathy Simpson is to complete the paper work once Ms. Ana, youth Library gives the information.

Library needs to provide description of program and invoices.

Lisa: Will the library advertise that CANNDU patronage the Library

Ms. Jackson Motion to approve \$750 for CD 9 Clean up on March 19, 2016.

Second by Ms. Campbell

Roll call motion passes.

Glaze            Yes

Simpson        Yes

Campbell       Yes

Jackson        Yes

Bustamante    Yes

Alvarenga      Yes

Meeting adjourned? 7:50