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## JOINT COMMUNITY/SENIOR CENTER AD HOC COMMITTEE/BOARD MEETING APPROVED MINUTES Tuesday November 17, 2015 West Hills Hospital, West Hills

The meeting was called to order at 7:35 PM by Steve Randall, Chair

In attendance were Steve Randall, Char Rothstein, Aida Abkarians, Ron Sobel, Reeyan Raynes, Marge Brown, Esperanza Butler and Tony Brosamle. A quorum was established and the October 20, 2015 minutes were approved.

Steve announced that Timothy Lippman sent an email stating that the Valley Circle site would not be available. The committee agreed to follow up directly with the Department of Public Works.

We discussed several cover letters to be used when asking for letters of support. It was felt that the letters were too long and that perhaps bullet points, italics and bolding could emphasize important points.

Tony suggested that we investigate the process used by others who established Community Centers, and he agreed to research the issue. Marge Brown agreed to assist Tony in this endeavor.

The committee agreed that we should continue to seek out other sites and follow up with Fallbrook Mall, Corporate Point, the Lederer site, the former OSH location, etc.

Simone stated that she had investigated various funding sources, but that our project did not meet their criteria. Reeyan stated that the government agencies he contacted all stated that they had no funds. We all agreed that we should place requests that could possibly be considered next time they form their budgets.

Marge suggested that we should contact de Toledo and other Jewish foundations regarding ideas for funding.

Steve suggested that Aida and Char follow up with Jill Banks on her ideas.

Steve announced that our next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, December 15, 2015 at 7:30 PM at West Hills Hospital.

Meeting Adjourned at 8:43 PM by Steve Randall.