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WEST HILLS NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL

JOINT BOARD AND SPECIAL EVENTS COMMITTEE ONLINE AND TELEPHONIC MEETING AGENDA

Tuesday, December 7, 2021 7:00 PM

In conformity with the September 16, 2021 enactment of California Assembly Bill 361 (Rivas) and due to concerns over Covid-19, the West Hills Neighborhood Council meeting will be conducted entirely with a call-in option or internet based service option. All are invited to attend and participate.

This meeting of the West Hills Neighborhood Council Special Events Committee will be conducted online via Zoom Webinar and telephonically. All are invited to attend and participate.

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- 1. Call To Order & Establish a Quorum
- 2. Approve Minutes from November 2, 2021
- 3. Comments from the Co-Chairs
- 4. Discussion and Possible Action on 2022 Senior Valentine's Day Dinner Dance Event or previously approved alternative event
- 5. General Public Comments
- 6. Adjourn Meeting

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JOINT SPECIAL EVENTS COMMITTEE/BOARD MEETING MINUTES Tuesday, November 2, 2021 @ 7:00 P.M.

This meeting of the Special Events Committee was conducted online via Zoom webinar and Telephonically.

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Committee Co-Chair Steve Randall called the meeting to order at 7:04 P.M.

Committee members in attendance were: Steve Randall (Co-Chair), Myrl Schreibman (Co-Chair), Char Rothstein, Dr. Faye Barta, Joan Trent, Aida Abkarians, and Glenn Jennings. Others in attendance were Aida Abkarians.

The minutes from October 5th were approved as written, and the minutes from October 22nd were approved as amended.

There were no Comments from the Chair(s).

Co-Chair Myrl Schreibman stated that we were in the final awards phase of the Halloween Houses event. Mr. Schreibman also stated that the event was a Home Run with nearly 1,000 people going to see the houses, and that the creativity this year far surpassed that of the first year's event. The event came in under budget and we had more community business participation than any event in the past. Co-chair Steve Randall expressed similar views to those stated by Mr. Schreibman. Mr. Schreibman noted that the checks and balances that existed between Steve Randall, Saif Mogri and himself regarding the applications worked out very well.

The plan is for the prizes and awards to be taken to the winners on Sunday, November 7th.

There was a discussion of next year's Halloween Event, and Mr. Schreibman suggested that because there were so many great displays this year, that we may add some additional awards such as Honorable Mentions. He also suggested that we create lawn signs for the winning houses to display, and that he received a phone call from a local TV station who said they wanted to cover next year's event. Aida suggested that the Maiden Society participate in promoting the event again next year.

The next item discussed was the 2022 Senior's Valentine Day Dinner Dance.

There were no members of the public present to make any public comments.

The next Special Events Committee meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, December 7, 2021 at 7:00 P.M.

The meeting was adjourned by Steve Randall at 6:40 P.M.