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## WEST HILLS NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL

### **JOINT ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE/BOARD MEETING MINUTES**

**WEDNESDAY, May 8, 2019 @ 7:00 P.M.**

**Chaminade College Preparatory – Condon Center**

**23260 Saticoy St., West Hills, CA 91304**

**Committee Attendees:** Steve Randall Co Chair, Alec Uzemeck Co Chair, Brad Vanderhoof and Myrl Schreibman.

**Other Attendees:** Seme Park, John Luker and Patrick Aguirre.

#### **Opening Business**

Steve called the meeting to order at 7:12 PM and a quorum was present.

There were no public comments.

Steve read the committee meeting rules.

#### **New Business**

Steve did not have any comments.

Alec reported on the Waterboard meeting that was held recently when the Stormwater Expert panel reported the test results for the past six months and showed comparisons to prior years. The exceedances which were below drinking waters standards, have been significantly declining over the past five years and continued to do so until the Woolsey fire. The fire damaged the stormwater remediation system and was the cause for a growth in exceedances. Since that time the system has been repaired and the exceedances are down to the levels before the fire.

John made a presentation about the Sky Valley Volunteers which is an unpaid group of members who are planting oak tree seedlings to replace that mature trees that died due to a wide spread infestation of tree borers. The group is working the Sage Ranch, the SSFL, Dayton Canyon and other Santa Susana Mountain areas. He requested that the WHNC donate to his organization for the purchase of additional gardening tools and Steve made the motion for the Committee to submit a NPG request to the Budget Committee for future funding. The motion was seconded and approved. Myrl said the Events Committee was planning a community street fair and he recommended that the Sky Valley Volunteers set up booths in the fair to announce their activities and to recruit new volunteers and donations. John agreed with the idea for use in the future.

#### **Old Business**

No items were discussed.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:15 PM.

The video of the full meeting is YouTube at <https://youtu.be/oKHevfTLvkM> the WHNC Environment Committee.