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# PANORAMA CITY NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL LAND USE COMMITTEE MEETING AGENDA

Monday, July 22, 2019, 7:00 pm

# Plaza del Valle, Liz Galan Community Room, Building G, Unit #62 8610 Van Nuys Boulevard, Panorama City, CA 91402

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- 7:00 1. Call to Order and remarks (Tony Wilkinson Chair) [2m]
- 7:02 2. Roll Call of committee members or alternates (the quorum is three). [1m]
- 7:03 3. Public Comment and announcements (*Please limit to two minutes per speaker.*)

Public comment on agenda items will be heard at the time the item is considered. [7m]

7:10 4. Consideration and possible action on "The Evil Twins of SB50", SB330 and AB1279, and other bills in the state legislature that overrule local zoning and ordinances and remove city and county control over housing density. More information at the meeting. However, here are snippets of news on these bills from an article in CityWatchLA.com on May 27:

**SB330** "would create parcel-by-parcel spot-zoning and up-zoning for the benefit of private developers. This provision negates a city's power to adopt a carefully prepared General Plan that lowers density in specific areas". **AB1279** "imposes mandatory upzoning on the entire State of California, without any consideration of legally required General Plans, infrastructure monitoring, public hearings, notices, and appeals." (Dick Platkin) [15m]

7:25 5. Consideration and possible action on the plans of Clifford Beers Housing to build permanent supportive housing on the site of the former Los Angeles County Department of Public Social Services (DPSS) building and parking lot at 14545 Lanark Street in Panorama City. The County of Los Angeles chose Clifford Beers Housing to build apartment homes on this lot, through a competitive process. This lot is required by the County to be affordable housing with a retail space on the ground floor. Clifford Beers Housing conducted an outreach meeting at Goodwill in Panorama City on May 29 to gather public input on design options. The development company will discuss the results of that meeting. They will also provide information on financing options for the project and the next steps for environmental clearance, obtaining entitlements, additional outreach and the path forward. Information on the status of the proposed plans will be presented by Audrey Peterson, Senior Project Manager, Clifford Beers Housing (apeterson@cbhousing.org, 213-316-0108 Extension 105). More Information at: https://www.corazon-del-valle.org/. [25m]

No representatives of the following projects are scheduled to present at this Land Use Committee meeting. The items below are on the agenda for the information of the public and to allow discussion.

- 7:30 6. Consideration and possible action on the proposal to demolish a single-family home and to create a small lot subdivision with 9 small single-family homes on the property at 14421 West Nordhoff Street. The case numbers are APC 2019-1697-ZC, VTT-82584-S, and ADM-2019-1698-SLD. The property owner and applicant is Nordhoff Residential LLC (Lior Mandelbaum, liormandelbaum@gmail.com, 818-822-7300). The applicant's representative is Jerome Buckmelter Associates, Inc (Jerome Buckmelter, jba@buckmelter.com, 818-340-8386). [5m]
- 7:40 7. Consideration and possible action on the proposal to demolish the existing office building at 8130 and 8136 Van Nuys Boulevard and to build a 5-story mixed use building with 102 residential units (24 units of which will be low income) with 1,755 square feet of retail space on the ground floor. This is the former Assistance League building. The property owner is Somis Investments LLC (care of Eric Taylor). The project applicant is Panorama Square LP (T. Safran & Assoc., care of Andrew Gross (Email: emily@tsahousing.com, 310-820-4888). The applicant's representative is Englander Knabe & Allen, land use and development services (eka360.net), Dana Sayles (Email: olivia@eka360.net, 310-204-3500). [5m]

# 8:00 8. Adjournment

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