

LAKE BALBOA NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL Health & Public Safety Committee & **LBNC** Meeting AGENDA This is an open meeting for all persons interested in Health

& Public Safety Issues and Campaigns in Lake Balboa and the San Fernando Valley

SATURDAY AUGUST 19, 2017

10:00 AM – Meeting Start The Flyaway - Community Meeting Room – 2nd Floor 7610 Woodlev Ave (NE Corner of Saticov & Woodlev) Free Parking-short term lot in spaces close to Woodley



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Out of an abundance of caution due to the expected attendance and participation of a majority of Board Members at the following Committee meeting, this agenda is noticed as a Joint Meeting of the Committee and the Board, in adherence with the State's Brown Act.

- PLEASE SIGN IN. 1. WELCOME: 10:00 AM
- 2. OPENING REMARKS: James Brown, 1st VP, LBNC & Chair Health & Public Safety Committee
- **3. ATTENDEE/GUEST INTRODUCTIONS**
- 4. PUBLIC COMMENT NON-AGENDA ITEMS
- 5. DISCUSSION TOPIC: KEEPING UP OUR DEFENSE WHY A NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH **GROUP MAKES SENSE**
 - a. Starting a Neighborhood Watch Group Benefits of a Watch Program
 - b. Neighborhood Watch Program Objectives and Purpose
 - c. Getting Organized Positions, Roles and Responsibilities
 - d. How to Start a Neighborhood Watch Group -
 - e. Setting up a Neighborhood Watch "Kick Off" meeting Involving LAPD Senior Lead Officers
 - f. Keeping your Neighborhood Watch Group Active or Revitalizing a previous NW Group
- **EFFECTIVE NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH GROUP PRACTICES** 6.
- 7. **KNOWING WHAT TO WATCH FOR**
- 8. HOW TO REPORT A CRIME
- USING SOCIAL MEDIA, e.g. NEXTDOOR -9.
- **NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH SIGNS FOR HOME AND POSTING ON STREETS** 10.
 - a. Sign up to receive Free Neighborhood Watch Street Signs
 - b. Distribution of materials, information, and Neighborhood Watch Signs for in-home use
 - c. Distribution of Free "The Club" Anti Auto Theft Steering Wheel devices (while supply lasts)
- DISCUSSION AND SELECTION OF HEALTH/PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE MEMBERS 11.
- 12. ADJOURNMENT

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<u>The Next Regular Meeting: Free Community CPR Training</u> <u>Saturday September 16, 2017 - Meeting starts 10:00 am</u>

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In compliance with Government Code section 54957.5, non-exempt writings that are distributed to a majority or all of the board in advance of a meeting, may be viewed at our website by clicking on the following link: www.lakebalboanc.org, or at the scheduled meeting. In addition, if you would like a copy of any record related to an item on the agenda, please contact ruth@lakebalboanc.org our current secretary.

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