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### Committee Members:

Melissa Menard, Co – Chair  
Kristin Sales, Co – Chair

Christy Adair  
Jenna Lewis  
Barbara McDermott

### Sherman Oaks Neighborhood Council Public Safety Committee Meeting

#### MINUTES

MONDAY, September 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2019

6:30pm

Sherman Oaks East Valley Adult Center  
5056 Van Nuys Blvd – Library Area  
Sherman Oaks, CA 91403

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#### AGENDA

1. Call to Order by Melissa Menard, Co – Chair
2. Roll Call – Melissa Menard, Kristin Sales, Christy Adair, and Barbara McDermott present. Jenna Lewis arrived after roll call.
3. Approve Meeting Minutes from July 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2019
4. Introduction of Committee Members, LAPD, elected officials and staff
5. Public Forum: comments by the public on non-agenda items within the Committee's jurisdiction
  - GREATER LOS ANGELES COUNTY VECTOR CONTROL DISTRICT REP
    - i. West Nile Virus comes from the Culex mosquito. Comes out during dusk/dawn
    - ii. Aedes mosquito – Zika, dengue, yellow fever, chikungunya.
    - iii. Avoid having standing water in and around your house (such as flowerpots or bird baths) or put "mosquito dunks" in the water. Can get the mosquito dunks online or at hardware stores.
    - iv. Contact Greater Los Angeles County Vector Control District for free assistance or to report mosquito problems at (818) 364-9589 or at [www.ReportMosquitoes.org](http://www.ReportMosquitoes.org).
6. Response(s) to public comments by Committee Members
7. Chair's Report
8. DISCUSSION & POSSIBLE ACTION ITEMS:
  - New Business
    - i. **Discussion:** Finalize selection of event signs
    - ii. **Discussion:** Neighborhood Watch forum
    - iii. **Discussion:** Valley Disaster Fair logistics & scheduling
  - Old Business
    - i. **Discussion:** Finalize Calendar of Events for fiscal year 2019/2020 for Map Your Neighborhood, Neighborhood Watch Forum, CERT Training Courses
    - ii. **Discussion and update:** CERT class October 21<sup>st</sup> – December 9<sup>th</sup> 6:30 – 9pm
    - iii. **Discussion & update:** Crosstown funding
      1. Requesting the Crosstown funding be placed on the next Finance committee agenda, based on the motion passed by the board last meeting.

9. Announcements from the Committee on subject matters within SONC's jurisdiction
  - **Los Angeles Police Department Survey:** The Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD) is seeking your feedback. The City of Los Angeles has initiated an anonymous survey seeking input from communities about personal experiences with LAPD. Complete the questionnaire to ensure that your feedback is included. **Take the survey:** <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/LAPDsurvey>
  - CERT1 Training Class – October 21<sup>st</sup> - December 9<sup>th</sup> - Visit [www.Cert-LA.com](http://www.Cert-LA.com)
  - Valley Disaster Preparedness Fair - October 12<sup>th</sup> 9am – 1:30pm Northridge  
For more information, visit: <https://www.valleydisasterfair.com>
  - Next SONC Board Meeting; Monday, October 14<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at Millikan Middle School (**Note new location**)
  - Sherman Oaks Street Fair – October 20<sup>th</sup> 10a – 6pm Ventura Blvd  
[shermanoaksstreetfair.org](http://shermanoaksstreetfair.org)
  - Next Public Safety Meeting: Monday, October 21<sup>st</sup>, 2019 at the Sherman Oaks East Valley Adult Center at 6:45 p.m.
10. Adjourn – 8:12 pm