CITY OF LOS ANGELES

NORTHRIDGE EAST NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL

EDUCATION COMMITTEE MEMBERS:
Judy Diamond and Barbara Nitkin Co-Chairs
Ken Ross, and Martin de Mucha Flores, Committee Member and Marjorie Ross, Alternate Committee Members

Education Committee Regular Meeting Agenda for Nov 3, 2026 at **7:00** p.m. held VIRTUALLY via ZOOM, https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89739227688

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I. CALL TO ORDER by Presiding Officer.

II. ROLL CALL and DETERMINATION OF QUORUM.

III. ADMINISTRATIVE MOTIONS.

IV. AGENDA ITEMS.

A. Progress Report by NENC Treasurer on status grants approved in September Board Meeting.

B. Draft of Transmittal Document procedure Motion to Recommend such with our Grant Applications, date submitted recommended , reviewed by Committee, Submission to Board, BAC form prepared, BAC signed by President and Treasurer; Submission to City Clerk, Approval by City Clerk, notification of check prepared for Applicant, Closing Form submitted by recipient to NENC and forwarded to City Clerk to close file. Update at Board Meeting possible addition.

C. Discussion of Options for Balboa Middle School Grant Request for $15,000 for sound equipment.

D. Updates from our Ed Com. Team on visits to “our” schools& CSUN Engineering project

E. Discussion of Motion to recommend reimbursement for funds expended for the August 18 aborted at the Kendall Bldg on the Campus of Northridge United Methodist (“NUM”) Meeting was rescheduled to 8/26/26 at the NUM Patio in +102 degree temperature: justification:1) Directions to Kendall Building on NUM campus better than Reseda Blvd. address which confused attendees and had ADA issues; 2) Budget doc for refreshments says “meetings” not “Board meetings” and prior in person” meetings of Ed Committee had refreshments; 3) Notice from GB re cancellation was received after 4 pm, or less than 1 hour before meeting 4) copies for attendees was done between 3:30 pm (estimate $10); and 4) Guests invitations had been extended verbally by Ross to most school principals; 5)Misunderstanding on 72 hr. Brown Act related to “directions” and addition of Reseda Blvd done following ENS submission at 90hrs approx; 6)Phone communication of “perceived problem” not made to either Co-Chairs by NC Support or GB on 8/15/26 or on other occasions of scheduled meetings. “Perceived problem” solving not afforded; No consideration given to time and effort to order and pick up food, specifically $146.86 to Ken Ross for food; and $35.33 for beverages inclusive of cups & ice for outdoor meeting on 8/26/26 meeting/and Lead Officer Zamora meeting immediately following in Kendall Bldg.8/26 meeting was able to use remaining beverages (outreach).

F. Recommendation that Motion be made that before any meetings are cancelled, telephonic discussion be initiated to determine if a quick adjustment to the Agenda can be made by the CoChairs..

V. NEW BUSINESS:

B Followup discussion on incentivized competition for Voter Registration at our High Schools including Northpoint High possibly against other schools in Valley NC’s, (possible motion).

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SB 707 TELECONFERENCE NOTICE AND PUBLIC PARTICIPATION PROVISIONS

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Meeting disruption

In the event of a disruption that prevents the eligible legislative body from broadcasting the meeting to members of the public using the call-in option or internet-based service option, or in the event of a disruption within the eligible legislative body's control that prevents members of the public from offering public comments using the call-in option or internet-based service option, the eligible legislative body shall take no further action on items appearing on the meeting agenda until public access to the meeting via the call-in option or internet-based service option is restored. Actions taken on agenda items during a disruption that prevents the eligible legislative body from broadcasting the meeting may be challenged pursuant to Section 54960.1. California Government Code Section 54953.8(b)(3).

Real-time public comment

The legislative body shall not require public comments to be submitted in advance of the meeting and shall provide an opportunity for the public to address the legislative body and offer comments in real time. California Government Code Section 54953.8(b)(4).

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Timed public comment

A legislative body that provides a timed public comment period for each agenda item shall not close the public comment period for the agenda item, or the opportunity to register, pursuant to paragraph (5), to provide public comment until that timed public comment period has elapsed. California Government Code Section 54953.8(b)(6)(A).

Public comment without a timed period

A legislative body that does not provide a timed public comment period, but takes public comment separately on each agenda item, shall allow a reasonable amount of time per agenda item to allow public members the opportunity to provide public comment, including time for members of the public to register pursuant to paragraph (5), or otherwise be recognized for the purpose of providing public comment. California Government Code Section 54953.8(b)(6)(B).

VI. GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT FROM STAKEHOLDERS ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS*.
VII. SCHEDULE for Next meeting, first Tuesday of month Virtually at 7 pm unless cancelled per notice in website, exception is annual in person meeting. Most recent in person meeting was on August 26, 2026 Website is NENC-la.org**)**
VIII . ADJOURNMENT.

Los Angeles Unified Public Schools within the boundaries of the NENC: Andasol Ave. Elementary, Balboa Gifted/High Ability Magnet, Darby Ave. Elementary, Dearborn Elementary Charter School, Holmes Middle School, and Northridge Academy High School. **UNIVERSITY:** Cal State University at Northridge is also within the boundaries of NENC

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Britta Steinbrenner Secretary
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CSUN Appointees:
Claudia Lopez, Appointed CSUN FacultyStaff
(Vacant) Appointed CSUN Student

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