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OUTREACH COMMITTEE MEETING

Monday, April 5th, 2021 @ 6:30pm

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Call to Order. Roll call.

1. Public Comment on Non-Agenda Items: Public calling in who wish to speak can use *9 on your phone to request

to speak. For those joining using the video feature, please use the raise your hand feature. **TWO MINUTES (2) per speaker is allotted; total time for all public comment is limited to 10 minutes.** Time may be adjusted at President's discretion. Public Comment on Non-Agenda Items will be heard at the beginning of the meeting. Public Comment on agenda items will be heard when the respective item is up for consideration

- 2. Approve minutes from March 2021 Outreach Committee meeting.
- 3. REMINDER: Advertising Schedule for the Encino Enterprise Candidate filing begins 1/2/21 and ends on 2/16/21. The release of certified candidates is 3/5/21. Vote by mail application begins 3/5/21 and ends 4/27/21. The deadlines for the ads in the Encino Enterprise are: December 17th edition deadline is December 14th. January 21st edition deadline is January 18th. February 4th edition is February 1st, March 18th edition (should have the list of candidates, larger ad) deadline is March 15th and the final reminder to vote ad in the April 15th edition deadline is April 12th.

Motion, Discussion, and Vote may be taken on all items

4. New Business – (80 Min)

Next sequential coding for new motions starts at: MOTION; OUT-21-04-0006:

- A. New Friends Homeless Center (NFHC) NPG for the New Friends Homeless Center. The NFHC provides meals to the homeless at St. Nicholas Church in Encino on Tuesday evenings and Sunday afternoons. They usually serve between 80-100 guests on Tuesday evenings. The funds will be specifically used for food for the homeless.

 Discussion and possible action on the proposed MOTION; OUT-21-04-0006: The ENC's Outreach Committee recommends that the General Board approve the NPG to the New Friends Homeless Center in the amount of \$1000.
- B. West Valley Food Pantry (WVFP) NPG for the West Valley Food Pantry. The mission at the West Valley Food Pantry is to ensure that No one goes away hungry. That mission has never been more urgent than right now. We are now serving three to four times the number of families than before Safer at Home. We urgently need the support of our community to stop hunger from the Covid-19 crisis. Discussion and possible action on proposed MOTION; OUT-21-04-0007: The ENC's Outreach Committee recommends that the General Board approve the NPG to the West Valley Food Pantry in the amount of \$1000.
- C. ImagineLA NPG for ImagineLA, a nonprofit assisting in the transition from homelessness to housed. ImagineLA is a Los Angeles-based nonprofit organization formed in 2006. LA has the nation's largest homeless population: 66,436 people. One-third are families and young adults. Many have repeat episodes of homelessness and are mired in generational poverty. ImagineLA prevents first-time and repeat homelessness and equips families to maintain housing stability and thrive long-term. ImagineLA works with newly housed families, 89% of whom are woman-led, and families at risk of experiencing homelessness. 10% of the families they work with are in the San Fernando Valley. Discussion and possible action on the proposed MOTION; OUT-21-04-0008: The ENC's Outreach Committee recommends that the General Board approve the NPG for ImagineLA in the amount of \$1000.
- D. Encino/Tarzana Library NPG for the Friends of the Encino/Tarzana Library. Once COVID-19 caused the libraries to be closed in March 2020, the funding for new, popular titles was eliminated. Approving the NPG funding for such acquisitions could help the library better satisfy patron requests once they reopen. Discussion and possible action on the proposed MOTION; OUT-21-04-0008: The ENC's Outreach Committee recommends that the

General Board approve the NPG to the Friends of the Encino/Tarzana Library in the amount of \$1000.

- E. Outreach Items for Senior Symposium from Marcos Promos Each year the ENC purchases items to give away at events. The ENC is participating in the Senior Symposium and is in need of items. Discussion and possible motion on the proposed MOTION; OUT-21-04-0009: The ENC's Outreach Committee recommends that the General Board approve the purchase of 250 ENC Hand Sanitizers from Marcos Promos with a cost up to \$295.00
- F. Outreach Items for the Senior Symposium from 4 Imprint Additional items to purchase for the Senior Symposium and other events in 2021/2022. Targeted items have worked great, the ENC has received much praise for always having items that fit the events. Discussion and possible action on the proposed MOTION; OUT-21/04/0010: The ENC's Outreach Committee recommends that the General Board approve the purchase of ENC pill cases from 4 Imprint with an expense of, up to, \$350.
- **G.** Special Meeting, Candidate Forum April 12th, starting at 6:30pm, discussion on flow, pre-submitted questions. On March 29, 2021, the West Hills NC had their 1st of 2 candidate forums. Review of their agenda for the ENC's candidate forum. **Discussion and possible action.**
- H. Discussion on when the new board will be seated and the future of the ENC's Outreach Committee. Discussion and possible action.
- 5. Committee Member Comments on non-agenda items.
- 6. Adjournment by 8:30pm

Next Outreach Committee meeting: May 3, 2021

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