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Homelessness Subcommittee/Joint Board Meeting Agenda

February 20, 2017 – 6:00pm

**Chaminade Condon Center -- 2nd floor conference room
23260 Saticoy St., West Hills, CA. 91304**

This meeting is open to the public. Doors open at 5:50p.m. Those who wish to speak during the meeting may be asked to complete a Speaker Card. Comments on matters not on the agenda will be heard during the Public Comment period. Those who wish to speak on an agenda item will be heard when the item is considered.

1. Call to order.
2. Sign-in to establish quorum
3. Review and approval of 1/16/17 minutes.
4. Comments from the Co-chairs
5. Public comment (2 minutes per speaker).
6. Report on Homeless Liaison's – Simone
7. Report, discussion and possible action on support for local school families in danger of becoming homeless—Aida
 - a. Determine next steps.
8. Report on progress of Shower Proposal to Councilman Englander's office—Aida, Tony, Olivia, Tom
 - a. Determine next steps.
9. Report on Homeless Connect Day for humans and their animal companions—Alec
 - a. Determine next steps.
10. Report on Faith-based Community Connection List. – Olivia
 - a. Determine next steps.
 - b. Discussion and possible action on Homeless Event in conjunction with Rocky Peak Church Service Day.
 - i. Next steps regarding possible event.
11. Discussion and possible action on a request from CSUN Women's Research and Resource Center to do a Spring food/toiletry drive for homeless students--Simone
 - a. Determine next steps.
12. Discussion on FY17-18 Draft Budget—All
 - a. Next steps
13. Call for new agenda items
14. Adjourn

Next meeting is March 20, 2017

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