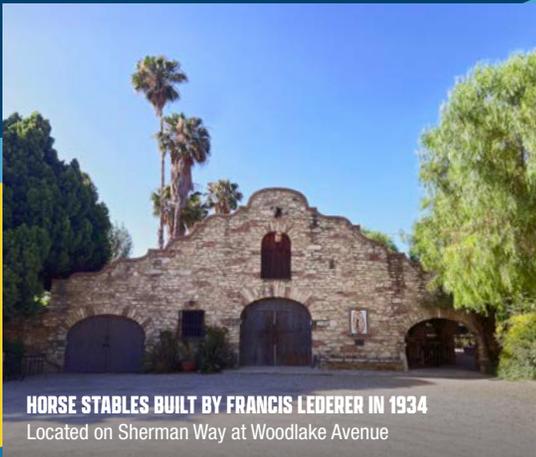


# HISTORY

## West Hills Neighborhood Council

- The West Hills Neighborhood Council (WHNC) was certified by the City of Los Angeles in 2001.
- It was the first Neighborhood Council in the San Fernando Valley and the fourth citywide to incorporate under the revised 1999 City Charter.
- WHNC is highly respected among Neighborhood Councils of Los Angeles.
- It has numerous active committees that promote community involvement.
- WHNC represents and supports over 40,000 West Hills residents and local businesses to maintain a safe, welcoming and vibrant community.
- West Hills is home to Orcutt Ranch, a historic 1920s estate of oil pioneer William Orcutt, featuring gardens, orchards, and adobe-style architecture.
- Francis Lederer, Czech-American actor turned Southern California rancher, built Mission-Revival estate in 1934 on 300-acre ranch, now a West Hills landmark. ✓



**HORSE STABLES BUILT BY FRANCIS LEDERER IN 1934**

Located on Sherman Way at Woodlake Avenue



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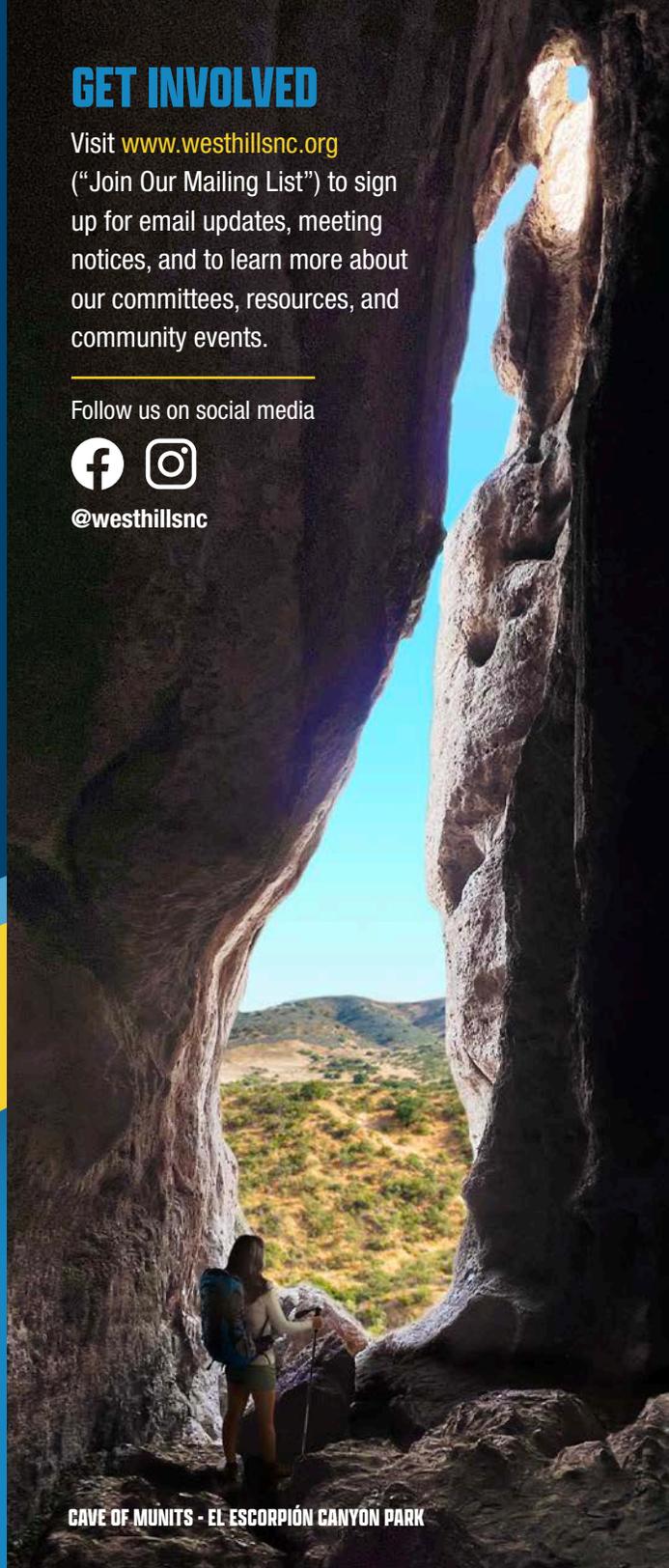
# GET INVOLVED

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*Where Neighbors Become Family*





ORCUTT RANCH

## ABOUT US

### You are the reason for the West Hills Neighborhood Council!

Everyone who lives in, owns property or works in West Hills has an ongoing stake in preserving the unique character of our community. The Neighborhood Council has 25 volunteer Board members chosen by community stakeholders in elections administered by the City of Los Angeles. The WHNC Board listens to and encourages participation by every stakeholder.

### Mission Statement

To provide a forum in which West Hills stakeholders can learn about issues that affect the community and express their concerns and ideas; to recommend actions by government officials to address the needs of the West Hills Community; to promote communication between stakeholders and all levels of government; and to foster pride and participation in addressing the needs of the community.

## WHAT WE DO

- Collaborate with City Council representatives and staff to help improve city services.
- Connect stakeholders with appropriate city departments to facilitate issue resolutions.
- Provide informed recommendations on development proposals and zoning matters.
- Create and participate in community events and annual festivals.
- Organize monthly neighborhood cleanups with volunteers of all ages.
- Educate residents on public safety and emergency preparedness.
- Partner with law enforcement to share crime trends and mitigation strategies.
- Assist local schools in developing Neighborhood Purpose Grant proposals to benefit students and the broader community.
- As a team, we work to bring the West Hills community closer together.



CASTLE PEAK - EL ESCORPIÓN CANYON PARK

## OUR COMMITTEES

-  **Board of Directors**
-  **Beautification**
-  **Budget**
-  **Bylaws**
-  **Communication & Outreach**
-  **Education**
-  **Environment**
-  **Government Relations**
-  **Homelessness**
-  **Operations**
-  **Public Health & Safety**
-  **Special Events**
-  **Streets & Transportation**
-  **Zoning & Planning**

### Committee Meetings Location

Chaminade College Preparatory, Condon Center, 2nd Floor  
23241 W. Cohasset Street, West Hills, CA 91304

### Board Meetings Location (First Thursday of Every Month)

de Toledo High School  
22622 Vanowen Street, West Hills, CA 91307