

Valley Alliance of  
Neighborhood Councils  
VANC

Thursday, May 13, 2021 6:30 p.m. Promptly

Via zoom: Join Zoom Meeting

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Kevin James, Immediate Past President,  
Board of Public Works, City of LA

## AGENDA

1. **Welcome and Introductions:** Jill Banks Barad-Hopkins, Founder and Chair
2. **Kevin James, Immediate Past President, Board of Public Works, current candidate for LA City Attorney**
3. **Update: NC Elections 2021:** Candidate filing & Voter Registration - [website link](#)
4. **BONC/DONE: Discussion of Proposed Digital Media Policy.** (Len Shaffer, BONC Commissioner) [DRAFT policy link](#)
5. **NC Grievances and Regional Panels Status:**
6. **Important Council Files for your Council's consideration:** Glenn Bailey (Northridge East & Encino) Link: <https://tinyurl.com/VANCCouncilFiles>. Important issue: AB 339 would revise the Brown Act and affect Neighborhood Councils. The text of the bill is [linked here](#).
7. **L.A. Planning Department updates:** Ariel Jones, LA Planning Dept.
8. **NC Budget Advocates:** Brian Allen (Granada Hills North); [website](#)
9. **New GM for Animal Services and Update on West Valley Animal Shelter.** Jeff Mausner (Tarzana NC) & Michelle Cornelius. (Council File [20-1114](#) and link to new [76 page report](#))
10. **Congress of Neighborhoods 2021:** The future of the Congress, Cindy Cleghorn (Sunland-Tujunga)
11. **Possible Housing Forum with Sen. Scott Weiner,** author of SB 9, SB 10
12. **Items from the floor:** one minute per speaker

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR

VANC Meeting Thursday, June 10, 2021: Speaker Cong. Brad Sherman, CD 30 and John Alford, legislative deputy to Cong. Sherman