

Valley Alliance of  
Neighborhood Councils  
VANC

Thursday, October 14, 2021 6:30 p.m. Promptly

Via zoom: Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/98759241651>

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**State Senator Henry Stern, SD 27**  
Henry serves on the Natural Resources & Water;  
Energy, Utilities and Commerce; Judiciary; and  
Banking & Fiscal Review Committees

## AGENDA

1. **Welcome and Introductions:** Jill Banks Barad-Hopkins, Founder and Chair
2. **State Senator Henry Stern:** Issues of concern to SFV councils and residents.
3. **Passage of SB9/SB10:** What do we do next? SB478?
4. **EmpowerLA Virtual Governance Hybrid Working Group:** Regarding virtual/hybrid meetings, Note: AB [339](#) (vetoed by Governor) and [361](#) would revise Brown Act and affect NCs. Remarks from Sen. Stern and Raquel Beltran, GM DONE
5. **Councilwoman Rodriguez Council File CF21-0407:** Neighborhood Councils need to discuss and forward CIS to City Council File.  
<https://cityclerk.lacity.org/lacityclerkconnect/index.cfm?fa=ccfi.viewrecord&cfnumber=21-0407>
6. **Valley Redistricting:** How can VANC and the NCs weigh in? Draft K2.5 map has been released. [Agenda website](#) is: <https://laccrc2021.org/>
7. **Cool Blocks Program:** Michael Benedetto (Granada Hills South)
8. **Proposed new Code of Conduct:** Introduced 7/19, removes any words about NC's behavior. [draft Code of Conduct Policy](#). Response from NCs including Arleta NC.
9. **Items from the floor:** one minute per speaker.

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR

VANC Meeting Thursday, November 11, 2021: Speaker TBA

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