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**General Board Meeting Agenda
Tuesday, May 19, 2009, 5:30 p.m.
Chinatown Branch – LA Public Library
639 N Hill St, LA CA 90012**

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1. Call to Order & Roll Call – Kim Benjamin
2. Public Comments for youths and seniors: 5 minutes
3. Approval of Minutes February 2, 2009 – Jose Luis Sedano
4. Vacant Board Seats – Discussion and Action
5. Bylaw/Election Committee Report and Action Items: Alan Kumamoto.
 - 5.1 Election Form (45 minutes)
 - 5.2 First vote on Bylaw changes.
6. Action Committee: Discussion and action items on neighborhood projects and expenditures, new and previously approved (see minutes of 5/13/08 and prior agendas). Brian Kito
 - 6.1 Arts District Projects and Action Items.
 - 6.2 Chinatown Projects and Action Items.
 - 6.3 El Pueblo Projects and Action Items.
 - 6.4 Little Tokyo Projects and Actions Items.
 - 6.5 Solano Canyon Projects and Action Items
 - 6.6 Victor Heights Projects and Action Items.
 - 6.7 At-Large Projects and Action Items.
 - 6.7a Youth Outreach
 - 6.7b Mounted Police Program
7. President's Report & Action Items, Kim Benjamin
 - 7.1 Development Project updates, CALL FOR PROJECTS, and HCNC Sponsored Community Project updates and action items for:
 - 7.1a Arts District
 - 7.1b Chinatown

- 7.1c El Pueblo
- 7.1d Little Tokyo
- 7.1e Solano Canyon: 20 minutes: update on SC, Craig Havens & Alicia Brown
- 7.1f Victor Heights: Bylaw change to make Non-Profit seat a Residential Seat.
- 7.1g At-Large

7.2 River Plan, Arroyo/Seco Plan, Chinatown Streetscape Program, Cornfields: Mike Fong

7.3 Oppose City Council efforts to reduce 2009 budgets and to make a motion recommending NC's be provided at least \$40,000 a year and that DONE staff be reduced 50 percent and elections of all NC's be postpone till 2012 and that these savings go to budget shortfall.

- 8. Treasurer's Report: David Nagano. Action Items:
- 9. Public Comments
- 10. Next Meeting & Announcements, change in meetings dates/times, posting locations and process, action items, possible bylaw change.
- 11. New Business
- 12. Old Business
- 13. Adjournment

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