

Valley VOTE

AGENDA

Meeting Date: Monday Nov. 16, 2015

Time: 6:30pm - 8:30 pm

Place: Galpin Ford - 2nd floor meeting room
15555 Roscoe Blvd (at the 405)

Free parking in the Galpin Lot on the West side of Orion.

Please do not park in the customer parking areas.

6:30pm Networking

6:50pm Introductions - Flag Salute

7:15pm Valley VOTE Committees ~5 minutes each, limited questions

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| Vic Viereck | Affordable Housing |
| Ralph Kroy | Sunshine Canyon |
| Ernie Hilger | Veterans |
| Denny Schneider | LAX |

7:40 pm **Susan Shelly**

Susan will discuss the proposed Rate Increases planned by the LADWP.

8.00pm **David Ryu - L.A. City Councilmember - 4th Council District**

Los Angeles City Councilmember David E. Ryu represents the 4th Council District which includes the neighborhoods of Sherman Oaks, Toluca Lake, Hollywood, Hollywood Hills, Los Feliz, Silverlake, Miracle Mile, Hancock Park, Windsor Square, Larchmont and a portion of Koreatown. Ryu studied economics at UCLA; Public Policy and Administration at Rutgers; won a prestigious United Nations graduate internship; and was a Netkal Fellow at USC's School of Social Work.

As Senior Deputy to Los Angeles County Yvonne Supervisor Burke, he worked for years on issues like public health, housing, children and family services, transportation and senior services. He helped oversee the County budget and worked for a time as a Special Investigator for the Auditor-Controller, rooting out waste and fraudulent expenditures.

Ryu returned to the non-profit world and served as Director of Development and Public Affairs at one of Los Angeles's largest non-profit health care providers: Kedren Acute Psychiatric Hospital and Community Health Center.

On July 1st, 2015 Ryu became the first Korean American to serve on the LA City Council and only the second Asian American.

We are very pleased that City Council member Ryu has taken time out of his schedule to be with us this evening to bring us up to date on current L.A. city issues.

8:30pm Adjourn

Valley VOTE Mission Statement

Valley VOTE is a diverse coalition of San Fernando Valley residents, business people, educators, community activists, and organizations, committed to exploring and fostering the implementation of programs that empower the people of the San Fernando Valley and the City of Los Angeles, to improve local governance, education and public participation on policy matters. We meet monthly to address key policy issues and hear reports from our standing committee chairs. For additional information about Valley VOTE, for an upcoming meeting agenda, or for previous meeting reports and press releases, we encourage you to go to our web site - Valleyvote.org.

We are a 501c4 non profit with no paid staff. We appreciate the dues payments from our members to help meet our goals.

The press and public are invited to attend our meetings. Our next meeting **will be next year on January 18, 2016. Happy Holidays!**