NEWPORT BEACH STANDS UP FOR LEONA VALLEY, GREEN VALLEY AND BOUQUET CANYON.

SAVE YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD FROM NARCONON

Feb. 13, 2006
Leona Valley Town Council Meeting: *

My name is Dr. Linda Orozco and I have lived with Narconon as a ‘neighbor’ for over 7 years. I strongly encourage you to reject Narconon, and work intensely to block them from coming into your neighborhood. Thank you for allowing me to share my experience and that of dozens of neighbors of the multi-million dollar Narconon business in Newport Beach.

Multiple times a month, paramedics, fire &/or police are called to the property. Overdoses by addicts, fights, and other problems requiring fire/police have become a routine for our neighborhood. The drug/alcohol rehabilitation nature of the business also requires regular doctors’ visits, drug testing vans, paramedic vans, etc. (There are) Repeated violations of maximum occupancy limits observed by neighbors, videotaped, and documented in written violations by the state licensing agency, Calif. Dept. of Alcohol and Drug Programs (ADP).

Sundays are visitors day! Expect a doubling of people on the property as relatives and friends of the ‘clients’ come on Sunday. Also remember that according to David Feinberg, an administrator from Calif. Dept. of Alcohol and Drug Program, 80-90% of clients in these facilities have criminal convictions. Imagine the ‘friends and family’ that will now be welcomed into YOUR neighborhood?

Based on our experience, we encourage Leona Valley to consider intervening to stop Narconon from entering additional residential neighborhoods based on the violations, intrusions, disruptions, and suffering we, the neighbors of this business in Newport Beach, have experienced.

In sharing my experience and FACTS with you—Narconon may try to silence me again with legal threats. These threats are illegal and violate ‘anti-SLAPP’ legislation in California, which protect individuals speaking/writing on public issues in a public meeting. Is THIS the kind of business you want in your neighborhood? One that has a proven record of threatening neighbors with legal action when they tell the TRUTH in public meetings, and try to protect their families, neighborhoods and others?

Sincerely,
Dr. Linda Orozco
Newport Beach, CA  *Excerpted from a longer letter detailing many more grievances than this space allows.

STAND UP FOR YOURSELF.

It’s time to take a stand against Narconon, the controversial drug rehab facility is trying to impose themselves on our community. On Scientology property on Bouquet Canyon Road. In an unprecedented move, residents from other communities with their own Narconon problems have written the Leona Valley Town Council to warn of what can happen here. But you can stop Narconon. NOW. Public outcry letters to Supervisor Michael Antonovich worked. He put a hold on Narconon approval. Now the entire Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors wants to hear from our community.

Stand up for Leona Valley, Green Valley and Bouquet Canyon. Come to the Public Hearing, Downtown Los Angeles, July 25th. Stand shoulder to shoulder with your neighbors, and just say “No!” To Narconon. It’s really that simple. The Board of Supervisors will listen to you, if you show up. If you don’t, they won’t. They’ll write you off.

See you at the hearing 8:00 a.m. July 25th, at the Kenneth Hann Hall of Administration, 500 West Temple Street, Downtown, Los Angeles.

For information and directions, Call 661-726-3600
To learn more about Narconon go to: www.stop-narconon.org