

Venice Neighborhood Council



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JOINT MEETING OF Board and Rules and Selections Committee

Agenda Draft Meeting Minutes

Meeting Date: December 15, 2016 Meeting Time: 8:30AM – 9:00AM

Meeting Location: Extra Space Community Room, 656 Venice Blvd.

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1. 8:00am - Call to Order and Roll Call

Chairperson (Chair)	John Reed	X
Committee Member	Jim Murez	X
Committee Member	George Francisco	X
Committee Member	Yolanda Gonzalez	absent
Committee Member	Hugh Harrison	X
	Ira Koslow (ex-officio)	X

2. 8:35 am – Approve Agenda as presented or amended

Agenda approved 4-0-0

- 3. 8:10 am Public Comment Public comments will be heard at 8:35 am for 5 minutes for items related to the Rules and Selections Committee only which are not on the agenda, and is limited to 1 minute per speaker, unless adjusted by the chair.
 None
- 4. 8:40 am Close Public Comment
- 5. 8:41 am Old Business None
- 6. 8:42 am -- New Business MOTION: Whereas the VNC Education Committee has not met for the past six months in violation of the VNC bylaws, Therefore Be It Resolved that the VNC Board shall remove Article VII, Section 1G "Education Committee" from the VNC bylaws.

Motion made by John Reed: **MOTION:** Whereas the VNC Education Committee has not met for the past six months in violation of the VNC bylaws, Therefore Be It Resolved that the VNC Board shall remove Article VII, Section 1G "Education Committee" from the VNC bylaws. Discussion- This is a necessary by law change because no Community Officeir has volunteered to Chair this committee and by removing the Education Committee from a Standing Committee – a stakeholder may chair a Ad Hoc Education Committee if there is community interest. No public comment-

Motioned Seconded by Hugh Harrison-

Vote John Reed – yes- Jim Murez- yes, George Francisco- yes- Hugh Harrison- yes- 4-0-0

7. 9:00 am – ADJOURN – approximate Adjourn 8:20

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