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When: Apr 19, 2022 06:00 PM Pacific Time (US and Canada)

Topic: Board

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2 Call To Order 06:03

3 Roll Call:

✓ James Murez ✓ Daffodil Tyminski ✓ Melissa Diner

✓ Andrea Boccaletti ✓ Vicki Halliday ✓ Bruno Hernandez

✓ Sima Kostovetsky ✓ Nico Ruderman ✓ James Robb

Attend	dance: 19	Quorum: 11	
☑ Robert Thibodeau	☑ Clark Brown	✓ Michael Jensen	
☑ CJ Cole	☐Oliver Fries	☑ Elizabeth Clay	
☑ Chie Lunn	☐Mike Bravo	✓ Soledad Ursua	
☑Ansar (Stan) Muhammad	✓ Jason Sugars	✓ Alley Bean	

4 Declaration of Ex Parte Communications or Conflicts-Of-Interest

06:08

All Board members shall declare any ex parte communications or conflicts-of interest relating to items on this meeting's agenda.

5 Scheduled Announcements and Presentations

06:16

6 Public Safety - LAPD & LAFD Report

06:17

Questions to the presenter(s) will be limited to the time allotted to this item. Furthermore, all questions from the public must be submitted in writing to Secretary@VeniceNC.org no less than 72 hours prior to Page 5 of 11 the meeting. The Chair at His / Her discretion shell present questions or a summary thereof to the presenter. Questions from Members of the Body will be limited by time allotment for this agenda item following public questions.

7 Government Reports

06:25

- City Councilmember Mike Bonin, Field Deputy, Tristen Marler tristen.marler@lacity.org
- Congressman Ted Lieu, Representative, Janet.Turner@mail.house.gov
- State Senator Ben Allen, Representative, Liliana.Pond@sen.ca.gov
- State Assemblyperson Autumn Burke, Representative Brandon.Stansell@asm.ca.gov
- LA County Supervisor Sheila Kuehl, Deputy Zac Gaidzik zgaidzik@bos.lacounty.gov
- Mayor Eric Garcetti, Deputy TBD
- Empower LA, Advocate, Freddy.Cupen-Ames@lacity.org 213-978-1551
- Westside Regional Alliance of Councils (WRAC)-James Murez,
- Los Angeles Neighborhood Council Coalition (LANCC), Ivan Spiegel
- Budget Advocates Andrea Boccaletti

8 Committee Chair Reports

06:44

Standing Committees:

- · Budget & Finance
- Land Use & Planning
- Neighborhood
- Ocean Front Walk

- Outreach & Event Planning
- Rules & Selections
- Arts

Ad Hoc Committees:

- Community Resiliency Committee
- · Homelessness Committee
- · Parking and Transportation Committee
- · Venice Arbor Committee
- · Discussion Forum Committee
- Preserving Public Places Committee

President Report

President shall create a Centennial Park task force. The goal of the taskforce will be to host meetings that will include stakeholders, service providers, and City departments that identify issues and propose solutions related to: park usage, usage enforcement policies and park maintenance. The task force will report back to the VNC Board on progress achieved and recommend any actions to be considered. These task force updates will occur at each regular monthly board meeting and the task force will be dissolved on or before November 1, 2022.

Westside Regional Alliance of Councils (westsidecouncils.com)

April 25, 7:00pm — City Council District 11

Webinar Link

https://westsidecouncils.com/event/apr2022-2022-council-district-11-candidates-forum/

April 27, 7:00pm — County Supervisor (District 3)

Webinar Link

https://westsidecouncils.com/event/apr2022-2022-county-supervisor-district-3-candidates-forum/

April 28, 7:00pm — City Attorney

Webinar Link

https://westsidecouncils.com/event/apr2022-2022-city-attorney-candidates-forum/

9 Announcements and Public Comment on items not on the Agenda

07:01

Public comment is limited to 1 minute per speaker with a total comment time not to exceed 20 minutes, unless adjusted by the presiding officer of the Board. No comment on Items appearing on the Agenda. No Board member announcements permitted.

NOTE: The public is strongly advised to bring comments up in committees where time restrictions are more flexible and where recommendations from the public can become the bases of action items for Board consideration..

10 Approve Prior Board of Officers Regular Meeting Minutes 3-15-2022

Description:

Attachments: 3/15/22:https://www.venicenc.org/assets/documents/5/meeting6231780773173.pdf

MOTION: Approve prior Board Meeting Minutes dated 3-15-2022

Maker: Michael Jensen **Second:** Jason Sugars

Y James Murez Y Daffodil Tyminski Y Melissa Diner

Y Andrea Boccaletti Y Vicki Halliday Y Bruno Hernandez

Y Sima Kostovetsky Y Nico Ruderman Y James Robb

Ansar (Stan) Muhammad Y Jason Sugars Y Alley Bean

Chie Lunn Mike Bravo Y Soledad Ursua

Y CJ Cole Oliver Fries Y Elizabeth Clay

Y Robert Thibodeau Y Clark Brown Y Michael Jensen

Voter Tally (17): Yea:17 / Nay:0 / Abstain:0 / Recuse:0 / Ineligible:0

11 Approve Prior Board of Officers Bylaws Special Meeting Minutes 3-22-2022

Description:

Attachments: 3/22/22:https://www.venicenc.org/assets/documents/5/meeting623a98fb0a42c.pdf

MOTION:

Approve prior Board Meeting Minutes dated 3-22-2022

Maker: Michael Jensen Second: Vicki Halliday

Y James Murez Y Daffodil Tyminski Y Melissa Diner

Y Andrea Boccaletti Y Vicki Halliday Y Bruno Hernandez

Y Sima Kostovetsky Y Nico Ruderman Y James Robb

Ansar (Stan) Muhammad Y Jason Sugars A Alley Bean

Y Chie Lunn Mike Bravo Y Soledad Ursua

Y CJ Cole Oliver Fries Y Elizabeth Clay

Y Robert Thibodeau Y Clark Brown Y Michael Jensen

Voter Tally (18): Yea:17 / Nay:0 / Abstain:1 / Recuse:0 / Ineligible:0

12 Approve Prior Board of Officers Bylaws Special Meeting Minutes 3-29-2022

07:16

Description:

Attachments: Minutes: https://www.venicenc.org/assets/documents/5/meeting62443ba80189f.pdf

MOTION: Approve prior Board Meeting Minutes dated 3-29-2022 - Meeting was adjourned-

not conducted due to lack of quorum.

Maker: Jason Sugars Second: Daffodil Tyminski

Y James Murez Y Daffodil Tyminski Y Melissa Diner

A Andrea Boccaletti Y Vicki Halliday Y Bruno Hernandez

Y Sima Kostovetsky Nico Ruderman A James Robb

Ansar (Stan) Muhammad Y Jason Sugars A Alley Bean

Y Chie Lunn Mike Bravo Y Soledad Ursua

Y CJ Cole Oliver Fries Y Elizabeth Clay

A Robert Thibodeau Y Clark Brown Y Michael Jensen

Voter Tally (17): Yea:13 / Nay:0 / Abstain:4 / Recuse:0 / Ineligible:0

13 Treasurer Report

14 Motion to approve our February Monthly Expenditure Report (MER)

Description:

Committee: Budget & Finance Committee On: 2022-04-26 Vote: (4-0-0)

Attachments: 2/22 MER: https://www.venicenc.org/ncfiles/viewCommitteeFile/29303

MOTION:

Motion to approve our February Monthly Expenditure Report (MER)

Maker: Andrea Boccaletti **Second:** Sima Kostovetsky

Y James Murez Y Daffodil Tyminski Y Melissa Diner

Y Andrea Boccaletti Y Vicki Halliday Y Bruno Hernandez

Y Sima Kostovetsky Nico Ruderman Y James Robb

Ansar (Stan) Muhammad Y Jason Sugars Y Alley Bean

Y Chie Lunn Mike Bravo Y Soledad Ursua

Y CJ Cole Oliver Fries Y Elizabeth Clay

Y Robert Thibodeau Y Clark Brown Y Michael Jensen

Voter Tally (17): Yea:17 / Nay:0 / Abstain:0 / Recuse:0 / Ineligible:0

15 Motion to approve our March monthly expenditure report (MER)

Description:

Committee: Budget & Finance Committee On: 2022-04-26 Vote: 4-0-0

Attachments: 3/22 https://www.venicenc.org/assets/documents/5/meeting624dc990bacea.pdf

MER:

MOTION:

Motion to approve our March monthly expenditure report (MER)

Maker: Andrea Boccaletti Second: Michael Jensen

Y James Murez Y Daffodil Tyminski Y Melissa Diner

Y Andrea Boccaletti Y Bruno Hernandez Y Vicki Halliday

Y Sima Kostovetsky Nico Ruderman James Robb

Ansar (Stan) Muhammad Y Jason Sugars Y Alley Bean

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Y CJ Cole Oliver Fries Y Elizabeth Clay

Y Robert Thibodeau Y Clark Brown Y Michael Jensen

Voter Tally (16): Yea:16 / Nay:0 / Abstain:0 / Recuse:0 / Ineligible:0

16 Outreach Committee Requests Funding for May 4,2022 CD11 Candidate Town Hall

Description:

Committee: Budget & Finance Committee On: 2022-04-16 Vote: 3-0-1

The Outreach Committee requests \$2000 for advertising to promote the May 4th VNC Council District 11 Candidate Forum via Zoom. \$500 to the Argonaut, \$500 to Yo Venice, \$500 to Westside Current, \$500 for lawn signs printing, Social Media boosting and promotional material printing. Budget & Finance committee (3-0-1) in favor.

MOTION:

The VNC moves to approve \$2000 for Outreach Committee Requests Funding

for May 4,2022 CD11 Candidate Town Hall

Maker: Sima Kostovetsky Second: Michael Jensen

Y Melissa Diner **R** James Murez Y Daffodil Tyminski

Y Andrea Boccaletti Y Vicki Halliday Bruno Hernandez

Y Sima Kostovetsky Nico Ruderman Y James Robb

Ansar (Stan) Muhammad Y Jason Sugars Y Alley Bean

Y Chie Lunn Mike Bravo Y Soledad Ursua

N CJ Cole Oliver Fries Y Elizabeth Clay

Y Robert Thibodeau Y Clark Brown Y Michael Jensen

Voter Tally (16): Yea:14 / Nay:1 / Abstain:0 / Recuse:1 / Ineligible:0

17 Old Business

18 General Consent Calendar - Items

All agenda items on the Consent Calendar will pass when the Consent Calendar is approved. No discussion or Public Comment is allowed on any item. Items may be removed by any board member or stakeholder. Removed items will go to the end of the agenda and be treated as regular agenda items with discussion and public comment.

19 Land Use and Planning Committee Consent Calendar - Items

All agenda items on the LUPC Consent Calendar will pass when the Consent Calendar is approved. No discussion or Public Comment is allowed on any item. Items may be removed by any board member or stakeholder. Removed items will go to the end of the agenda and be treated as regular agenda items with discussion and public comment.

20 LUPC New Business

21 De Minimus Cases

22 🗌 127 E Galleon St

Address:127 E Galleon St LUPC Member:Lauren Siegel LUPC Hearing:4/7/2022 LUPC Vote:Consent

Case Number(s): DIR-2021-10374-CDP-MEL; ADM-2022-164-VSO-ADU

Venice Subarea: Marina Peninsula

Description:

Conversion/ change of use of existing 347 sf 1st floor recreation room to an accessory dwelling unit.(CDP-COASTAL DEVELOPMENT PERMIT)

LUPC Report:

Attachments: Planning File: https://planning.lacity.org/pdiscaseinfo/caseid/MiUzNDgy0

MOTION:

VNC recommends President transmit de minimus letter

Maker: Second:

Voter Tally (0): Yea: 0 / Nay: 0 / Abstain: 0 / Recuse: 0 / Ineligible: 0

23 2340 S. Beach Ave

Address:2340 S. Beach Ave LUPC Member:Michael Jensen LUPC Hearing:4/7/2022 LUPC Vote:consent

Case Number(s): ADM-2022-737-VSO-ADU; DIR-2022-735-CDP-MEL

Description:

NEW 460 SQ. FT. DETACHED ADU

LUPC Report:

Attachments: Planning File: https://planning.lacity.org/pdiscaseinfo/caseid/MjU0Nzg50

MOTION: VNC recommends President transmit de minimus letter			
Maker:			
Second:			
Voter Tally (0): Yea:0 / Nay:0 / Abstain:0 / Recuse:0 / Ineligible:0			
24 LUPC Consent Calendar			
25			
Address:701 Lincoln			
Applicant:Welly Effendy, Lokal Venice Inc			
Contact:Email: Ph:			
LUPC Member: Chris Plourde/Michael Jensen			
LUPC Vote: Yea (unanimous)			
Case Number(s):ZA-2021-8202-CUB			
Venice Subarea:Oakwood-Milwood-Southeast Venice			
Representative: Alex Woo			
Description: A CUP FOR THE SALE AND SERVICE OF BEER & WINE FOR ONSITE			
CONSUMPTION WITH AN EXISTING RESTAURANT			
LUPC Report: https://www.venicenc.org/assets/documents/5/meeting6256f4a2ab4ff.pdf Attachments: Planning File: https://planning.lacity.org/pdiscaseinfo/caseid/MjUxMjQ10			
MOTION:			
VNC recommends approval of the project as presented.			
Maker:			
Second:			
Voter Tally (0): Yea:0 / Nay:0 / Abstain:0 / Recuse:0 / Ineligible:0			
26 □ 2410 S. Grand			
26			
Address: 24 to 5. Grand Applicant: Ramzik Davoudian and Jeffrey M. Hoffman			
Contact:Email:			
LUPC Member: Chris Plourde			
LUPC Hearing:4/7/2022			
LUPC Vote:Yes (unanimous)			
Case Number(s):DIR 2021-9496-CDP			
Venice Subarea: Venice Canals			
Representative:Austin Peters and Ngoc Thē Tran (Noc)			
Description:			
RENOVATION AND ADDITION TO EXISTING SINGLE-FAMILY RESIDENCE WITH ATTACHED GARAGE			
LUPC Report:https://www.venicenc.org/assets/documents/5/meeting624b3fb69b53c.pdf			
MOTION:			
LUPC recommends approval of the project, as presented, subject to clarification as to whether the new third floor balcony complies with the Venice Specific Plan.			

Maker: Second: **27 1201 S Abbot Kinney**

07:41

Address: 1201 S Abbot Kinney

Applicant: ASB/Blatteis 1201 Abbot Kinney, LLC

Contact:Email: Ph:

LUPC Hearing:4/7/2022

LUPC Vote:Yes (unanimous)

Case Number(s):DIR-2021-9140-CDP; ENV-2021-9141-CE

Venice Subarea:North Venice Representative:Veronique Trimble

Description:

Change of use from bar to retail in the venice coastal zone(CDP-COASTAL

DEVELOPMENT PERMIT)

LUPC Report:https://www.venicenc.org/assets/documents/5/meeting6256f4aca5d71.pdf **Attachments:** Planning File:<u>https://planning.lacity.org/pdiscaseinfo/caseid/MjUxMjQ10</u>

MOTION:

VNC recommends approval of the project as presented.

Maker: Second:

Voter Tally (0): Yea:0 / Nay:0 / Abstain:0 / Recuse:0 / Ineligible:0

28 New Business

Implement Settlement Terms of the LA Alliance v. City of Los Angeles case in Venice and throughout CD11

Description:

Committee: Homelessness Committee On: 2022-04-05 Vote: 8 yes

Implement Settlement Terms of the LA Alliance v. City of Los Angeles case in Venice and throughout CD11

MOTION:

We ask that Councilman Mike Bonin and the City of LA immediately implement the Settlement Terms of the LA Alliance v. City of Los Angeles case in Venice and throughout CD11.

With this settlement, the City of Los Angeles agrees to:

Immediately begin the creation of additional shelter and housing

Reduce encampments through humane efforts that minimize the use of law enforcement

Establish deadlines and targets that they must meet

Return public spaces for everyone's use

This agreement is for all of Los Angeles. It is not limited to Skid Row and Downtown.

The City will offer shelter to persons experiencing homelessness and agrees to no enforcement unless an individual has first been offered shelter or to relocate.

The City will be held accountable to this agreement by Federal District Court Judge David O. Carter

Maker: Vicki Halliday Second: Andrea Boccaletti

Y James Murez Y Daffodil Tyminski Y Melissa Diner

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Voter Tally (17): Yea:16 / Nay:0 / Abstain:1 / Recuse:0 / Ineligible:0

30 Mobile toilets for sanitary health and safety

08:24

Description:

Committee: Homelessness Committee On: 2022-04-05 Vote: 5 yes, 2 no

Mobile toilets for sanitary health and safety

MOTION:

In order to assist in helping to maintain, at the most basic level: - The sanitary health and safety of all persons housed and unhoused. - The dignity of the unhoused. - The respect for the housed. Since safe camping areas have yet to be designated, properly maintained and supervised by the City of LA, we feel this solution is the most basic mandatory service required of the City of LA. We ask that the City of LA immediately provide to ensure safety and cleanliness to any encampment of 5 or more tents an adequate supply, maintenance and monitoring of mobile toilets and hand washing facilities made available 24/7. When and if an encampment is dispersed these facilities are to be kept available to be used where ever these encampments reappear. The monitoring and maintaining to be provided by a locally based safety monitoring entity relying on persons inhabiting the encampment.

Maker: Vicki Halliday Second: Andrea Boccaletti

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Voter Tally (18): Yea:2 / Nay:14 / Abstain:1 / Recuse:1 / Ineligible:0

31 WRAC MOTION - Cool Streets/ Cool Asphalt Program - move to 17

Description:

Committee: Parking and Transportation Committee On: 2022-04-04 Vote: 4/0/0

WRAC MOTION generally encourages the use of cool street coating where

appropriate

Attachments: Background: https://westsidecouncils.com/motion/request-use-of-cool-asphalt-for-

paving/

MOTION:

Motion to support WRAC Cool Streets/ Cool Asphalt Program

Maker: Robert Thibodeau **Second:** Elizabeth Clay

Y James Murez Y Daffodil Tyminski Y Melissa Diner

Y Andrea Boccaletti Y Vicki Halliday Y Bruno Hernandez

Y Sima Kostovetsky Y Nico Ruderman Y James Robb

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Voter Tally (19): Yea:19 / Nay:0 / Abstain:0 / Recuse:0 / Ineligible:0

32 PPP - PAGODA'S MOTION

Description:

Committee: Preserving Public Places On: 2022-04-05 Vote: 4 Yea /0 Nay /1 Abst

WHEREAS, in the 1930's renown Architect Gregory Ain designed the iconic "Pagoda" shade structures with seating for Ocean Front Walk; and, WHEREAS, all are in need of repairs, including: replacement of shingles, paint and spires, and, WHEREAS, the City may be considering repainting the Pagoda's with murals or tearing them down, completely, contrary to the integrity and appreciation of our beautiful, iconic, historic, cultural architectural landmarks designed by a world renown architect; and, WHEREAS, the City has confirmed that they would be doing repairs but has not committed to the Venice Neighborhood Council Preserving Public Places Ad Hoc Committee ("PPP") that it would maintain the historic integrity of the design;

Attachments: untitled: https://www.venicenc.org/assets/documents/5/request624cdb9668696.pdf

MOTION: THEREFORE, the Venice Neighborhood Council requests confirmation from the Department of Recreation and Parks that the iconic "Pagoda's" on Ocean Front Walk will be restored this year in keeping with their historic design, features and color, and that such plans will be shared in advance with the VNC Board via Preserving Public Places (PPP) VNC Ad Hoc Committee. PPP will provide assistance as needed, including to recreate the distinctive missing spires (No Funds Requested). To: Sylvia Patsaouras, Commission President, Los Angeles Department of Recreation and Parks RAP.COMMISSIONERS@LACITY.ORG Joseph Halper, Commissioner, Los Angeles Department of Recreation and Parks RAP.COMMISSIONERS@LACITY.ORG Sonya Young-Jimenez, Superintendent, Los Angeles Department of Recreation and Parks sonya.young-jimenez@lacity.org Cc: Linda Dishman, President and CEO Idishman@laconservancy.org Erik Van Breene, Preservation Coordinator vanbreene@laconservancy.org

Maker: Andrea Boccaletti Second: Robert Thibodeau

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33 Board of Officer Comments, Items not on the Agenda

34 Adjournment

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Concluded At: 08:56 PM

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