



Venice Neighborhood Council



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Schools & Parks Committee

MOTION

Letter of Support for Centennial Park Food Forest

WHEREAS, Centennial Park has been recently cleared and cleaned and,

WHEREAS, Home Grown Gardens (homegrowngardensla.com) has submitted an application to the Department of Recreation and Parks proposing to install a regenerative food forest and pollinator habitat, along with a community composting hub at Centennial Park, which is adjacent to the Venice Branch Library and,

WHEREAS, their goal is to provide programming to educate the public about the many benefits of gardening and growing food, including but not limited to, mental health, physical health, carbon sequestration, nutrient cycling, food security and enhanced biodiversity and,

WHEREAS, this concept is already fully funded and has dozens of volunteers lined up to assist with the set up, maintenance and classes,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Schools & Parks Committee recommend to the Venice Neighborhood Council (VNC), a letter of support for Home Grown Gardens' Regenerative Food Forest and Pollinator Habitat, be sent to the Department of Recreation and Parks and Councilwoman Traci Park's District 11 Office.

Maker Seconded

Vote: (Yes / No / Abstained / Recused / Ineligible)