

Venice Neighborhood Council

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Via email: councilman.rosendahl@lacity.org
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Subject: REQUEST FOR COUNCIL MOTION TO CREATE

"VENICE PARKING METER BEAUTIFICATION TRUST FUND"

Dear Councilman:

Please be advised that at a regularly held public meeting of the Venice Neighborhood Council's Board of Officers on Tuesday, October 23, 2012, the Board of Officers voted to approve the following motion:

VENICE IS A MAJOR ATTRACTION AND REVENUE GENERATOR FOR THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES AND HAS A SIGNIFICANT NEED FOR ADDITIONAL MONEY AND RESOURCES TO MAINTAIN AND IMPROVE THE LIGHTING, BICYCLE RACKS, PUBLIC BATHROOMS, TRASH REMOVAL, THE BEACHES AND GENERAL PUBLIC SAFETY.

THEREFORE, THE VENICE NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL REQUESTS COUNCILMAN ROSENDAHL TO INTRODUCE A MOTION TO CREATE A "VENICE PARKING METER BEAUTIFICATION TRUST FUND" WHERE 50% OF GROSS REVENUE GENERATED FROM ALL NEW METERS INSTALLED IN VENICE BE DEPOSITED IN THIS FUND ONLY FOR USE ON ADDITIONAL (NEW) EXPENDITURES FOR BEAUTIFICATION, MAINTENANCE AND THE SAFETY OF VENICE.

ONCE THIS PROGRAM IS IN PLACE, WE ASK THAT A FAIR PERCENTAGE FROM EXISTING METERS BE INCLUDED IN THIS NEW FUND. ACCOUNTING FOR REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES SHALL BE PUBLICLY AVAILABLE AND MANAGED BY COUNCIL DISTRICT 11 WITH THE VENICE PARKING IMPACT TRUST FUND.



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Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Very truly yours, Venice Neighborhood Council

Linda Lucks, President

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