



## Venice Neighborhood Council

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## Verdant Venice Committee Meeting Agenda

Meeting Date: October 4, 2019 Meeting Time: 9:00 AM

Meeting Location: The Rose, 220 Rose Ave., Venice, CA 90291

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## 1. Call to Order and Roll Call

| Noel Johnston (Co-Chair)     |                         |  |
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| Isabelle Duvivier (Co-Chair) |                         |  |
| Melissa Diner                |                         |  |
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|                              | Ira Koslow (ex-officio) |  |

- 2. Approve Agenda as presented or amended
- 3. Approve Minutes from last meeting as approved or amended.
- 4. ANNOUNCEMENTS
- 5. Chair Report
- 6. PUBLIC COMMENT 2 minutes on non-agendized items related to Verdant Venice Committee only
- 7. Items for Discussion and Possible Action
  - a. City's anticipated response to Venice Neighborhood Committee motion (July 24 minutes) on removal of agroperm.
  - b. Request that the City revise and update the current list of trees that can be planted as several species can no longer be planted.
  - c. How best to reach out to property owners about preserving, planting and maintaining the trees on their property.
  - d. City restrictions on planting trees in parkways (tree height, distance from utilities, etc.) and obtaining variances.
- 8. Old Business
- 9. New Business
- 10. COMMITTEE COMMENTS Comments by Committee Members on subject matters within the jurisdiction of the Verdant Venice Committee but not on the Agenda
- 11. ADJOURN

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