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**Joint meeting of Parking and Transportation Committee and Board of Directors – Minutes**

IN CONFORMITY WITH THE SEPTEMBER 16, 2021 ENACTMENT OF CALIFORNIA ASSEMBLY BILL 361 (RIVAS) AND DUE TO CONCERNS OVER COVID-19, THE PARKIGN AND TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE OF THE VENICE NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL MEETING WILL BE CONDUCTED ENTIRELY WITH A CALL-IN OPTION OR INTERNET-BASED SERVICE OPTION.

**Meeting Date:** 2-7-22  
**Time:** 7:00pm  
**Meeting Location:** Webinar online zoom meeting  
**Contact:**

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 When: Feb 7, 2022 07:00 PM Pacific Time (US and Canada)  
 Topic: PTC

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1.

<b>Robert Thibodeau (Chair)</b>	<b>X</b>	<b>Alyson Wilson</b>	<b>X</b>
<b>Jonathan Deer (Co-Chair)</b>	<b>X</b>	<b>Selena Inouye</b>	<b>X</b>
		<b>Elizabeth Clay</b>	<b>X</b>
		<b>James Murez (ex-officio)</b>	<b>X</b>

- 2. **07:00pm – Call to Order and Roll Call 7:02 (5,0,0)**
- 3. **Review, Comment and Adopt Minutes from prior meeting Moved: Alyson Seconded: Elizabeth Clay**

<https://www.venicenc.org/ncfiles/viewCommitteeFile/28385>

**PUBLIC COMMENT – non-agenda items related to Parking and Transportation Committee only**

**Old Business: (carried over from prior meetings)**

## OLD BUSINESS

### 4. Community Plan and Land Use/Specific Plans

- a. **Item for discussion and possible action:** discussion of these plans, their impact on Venice, and development of new plans by the city. GUEST SPEAKER: Laura McPherson, Senior City Planner. To discuss status of new community plan and format and manner of input into the community plan. **Laura MacPherson's email: [laura.macpherson@lacity.org](mailto:laura.macpherson@lacity.org)**  
Community Plan - [https://planning.lacity.org/odocument/b1ce0423-e344-4dc1-8dfe-3f493eaddf6c/Venice\\_Community\\_Plan.pdf](https://planning.lacity.org/odocument/b1ce0423-e344-4dc1-8dfe-3f493eaddf6c/Venice_Community_Plan.pdf); Land Use Plan - <https://planning.lacity.org/odocument/d0a7f30b-87c1-430e-8415-5b5e30d230e7/venluptxt.pdf>
- b. **Public Comment:** Public comment taken.
- c. **Committee Discussion:** Discussion among committee.

### 5. Mildred Ave Red Zone Request

- a. **Item for Discussion and Possible Action:** Request to remove three parking spaces from Mildred Ave at corner of Ocean Ave across from former "Mr. Kim's" market due to traffic congestion on corner.
- b. **Public Comment:**
- c. **Committee Discussion:** Item set over.
- d. **Possible Motion:** Motion to send a letter to DOT and BOE to request the removal of parking spaces on the north side of Mildred Ave. at Ocean Ave. Whereas the intersection at Mildred Ave. and Ocean Ave. is narrow and heavily used, we are requesting the removal of 3 parking spaces (verify) and the corresponding increase of the red zone on the north side of Mildred at Ocean Ave.

### 6. Speedbumps on Pacific Between Venice and Washington

- a. **Item for Discussion and Possible Action:** Request of resident for speedbumps on Pacific between Venice and Washington.
- b. **Public comment:**
- c. **Committee Discussion:** Item set over.
- d. **Possible Motion:**

## NEW BUSINESS

### 7. HURRICANE/GRAND CANAL PARKING ISSUE

- a. **Item for Discussion and Possible Action:** City may plan to install parking spots in city lot. Neighbor wishes to make presentation regarding the same.
- b. **Public comment:** Public comment taken.
- c. **Committee Discussion:** Committee discussion had.
- d. **Possible Motion:**

### 8. MAIN STREET PARKING METERS

- a. **Item for Discussion and Possible Action:** Stakeholders seek follow-up on prior VNC action regarding removal of nonfunctioning parking meters.
- b. **Public comment:**
- c. **Committee Discussion:** Item set over.
- d. **Possible Motion:**

### 9. LINCOLN FAST FORWARD UPDATE

- a. **Item for Discussion and Possible Action:** Discuss (i) lack of aesthetics (tree wells, center planter, etc.); (ii) remediation for affected business owners (including possible side street metering for first few spots); (iii) additional northerly bus lane being added; (iv) meters on Lincoln, and other issues related to Lincoln Fast Forward project.
- b. **Public comment:** Public comment taken.
- c. **Committee Discussion:** Committee discusses issues.
- d. **Possible Motion:**

### 10. OVERNIGHT PARKING

- a. **Item for Discussion and Possible Action:** Discussion of overnight parking enforcement and city's possible extension on ban on enforcement of restrictions.
- b. **Public comment:** Barry Cassilly presents requested motion.
- c. **Committee Discussion:** Committee discussion.
- d. **Possible Motion:** Motion to oppose any extension on ban of enforcement of overnight parking restrictions.

**11. Comments on items not on the agenda for consideration**

**12. ADJOURN 9:09**

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