



Venice Neighborhood Council

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Venice Arbor Committee (VArb) Meeting Agenda

Meeting Date: October 21st, 2022

Meeting Time: 11:30 AM – 1:00 PM Pacific Time

Meeting Location: Webinar online zoom meeting

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You are invited to a Zoom webinar.

When: Oct 21, 2022 11:30 AM Pacific Time (US and Canada)

Topic: Arbor

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1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call

Sarah Wauters, Chair (SW)		Michael McGuffin	
Isabelle Duvivier			
Mark Ryavec			
Noel Johnston			
Barry Campion		Jim Murez (ex-officio)	

3. Review, Comment and Adopt Minutes from September 16, 2022 meeting.
4. PUBLIC COMMENT –
5. Reports
 - a. Chair Report
 - b. Report from CFAC Isabelle Duvivier
 - c. VVG Report – Noel Johnston to report

OLD BUSINESS

1. **Conversation with Traci Park (second of two with candidates regarding trees and green space in CD11)**
 - a. Items for Discussion, Action, and Possible Motion
 - b. Public comment
 - c. Committee discussion
 - d. Motion
2. **Should we pass an official Tree Policy for Venice? For Coastal Communities? See the official Tree Policy of the UNNC. BRIEF introduction was made last time.**
 - a. Items for Discussion, Action, and Possible Motion
 - b. Public comment
 - c. Committee discussion
 - d. Motion
- 3.

NEW BUSINESS



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1. **Butterfly Habitat Flowers – Should we seed the mulch of the understory of the Sycamores along Venice with native flowers this winter?**
 - a. Items for Discussion, Action, and Possible Motion
 - b. Public comment
 - c. Committee discussion
 - d. Motion

2. **Field Trips in our Future – Visit City Projects? Native Nurseries? Please bring suggestions.**
 - a. Items for Discussion, Action, and Possible Motion
 - b. Public comment
 - c. Committee discussion
 - d. Motion

3. Comments on items not on the agenda for consideration

4. ANNOUNCEMENTS
5. ADJOURNED

Next VArb meeting November 21st, 2022 11:30 Friday

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