

SECTION III - PROJECT BUDGET OUTLINE

You may also provide the Budget Outline on a separate sheet if necessary or requested.

6a)

Personnel Related Expenses	Requested of NC	Total Projected Cost
	\$	\$
	\$	\$
	\$	\$

6b)

Non-Personnel Related Expenses	Requested of NC	Total Projected Cost
	\$	\$
	\$	\$
	\$	\$

7) Have you (applicant) applied to any other Neighborhood Councils requesting funds for this project?
 No Yes If Yes, please list names of NCs: _____

8) Is the implementation of this specific program or purpose described in Question 4 contingent on any other factors or sources or funding? (Including NPG applications to other NCs) No Yes If Yes, please describe:

Source of Funding	Amount	Total Projected Cost
	\$	\$
	\$	\$
	\$	\$

9) What is the TOTAL amount of the grant funding requested with this application: \$ _____

10a) Start date: ___/___/___ 10b) Date Funds Required: ___/___/___ 10c) Expected Completion Date: ___/___/___
 (After completion of the project, the applicant should submit a Project Completion Report to the Neighborhood Council)

SECTION IV - POTENTIAL CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

11a) Do you (applicant) have a current or former relationship with a Board Member of the NC?
 No Yes If Yes, please describe below:


Name of NC Board Member	Relationship to Applicant

11b) If yes, did you request that the board member consult the Office of the City Attorney before filing this application?
 Yes No ***(Please note that if a Board Member of the NC has a conflict of interest and completes this form, or participates in the discussion and voting of this NPG, the NC Funding Program will deny the payment of this grant in its entirety.)**

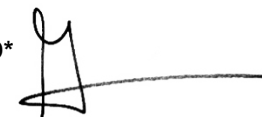
SECTION V - DECLARATION AND SIGNATURE

I hereby affirm that, to the best of my knowledge, the information provided herein and communicated otherwise is truly and accurately stated. I further affirm that I have read the documents "What is a Public Benefit," and "Conflicts of Interest" of this application and affirm that the proposed project(s) and/or program(s) fall within the criteria of a public benefit project/program and that no conflict of interest exist that would prevent the awarding of the Neighborhood Purposes Grant. I affirm that I am not a current Board Member of the Neighborhood Council to whom I am submitting this application. I further affirm that if the grant received is not used in accordance with the terms of the application stated here, said funds shall be returned immediately to the Neighborhood Council.

12a) Executive Director of Non-Profit Corporation or School Principal - REQUIRE

			10/31/23
<i>PRINT Name</i>	<i>Title</i>	<i>Signature</i>	<i>Date</i>

12b) Secretary of Non-profit Corporation or Assistant School Principal - REQUIRED*

			10/31/23
<i>PRINT Name</i>	<i>Title</i>	<i>Signature</i>	<i>Date</i>

* If a current Board Member holds the position of Executive Director or Secretary, please contact the NC Funding Program at (213) 978-1058 or clerk.ncfunding@lacity.org for instructions on completing this form

City of Los Angeles
Office of the City Clerk Neighborhood Council Funding Program

Neighborhood Purposes Grants

Project description

Please describe the purpose and intent of the grant.

We will work with local community volunteers to plant 39 trees around our lower income neighbors' buildings in the Public Right of Way. The project will build community by involving volunteers of all ages in the beautification and appreciation of our neighborhood. By inspiring people with the beauty, necessity, and understanding of our natural world and the importance of our local natural resources, we will promote the idea that protecting our watershed is both an individual and collective responsibility.

Our group has been planting trees in and around Venice low-income projects for 5 years. To date we have planted 443 trees (384 in Venice) in collaboration with City-funded groups such as Cityplants and LA Conservation Corps. However, those programs that pay for trees are no longer available to our community because, on average, our neighborhood is not considered a Disadvantaged Community. Therefore, we are asking for the funds to purchase trees. There will be over 100 stakeholders working on this project. Our volunteer group and other friends and neighbors will donate their time toward the labor of planting and caring for these trees for up a minimum of 5 years. Our volunteers have already secured permission from the City to plant the 39 trees. Permitted tree locations include Venice Way, Flower Ave, San Juan, Santa Clara, 6th Ave, Morningside, Cabrillo, and Indiana.

Parts of Venice were formerly red-lined neighborhood, meaning that they were not provided with the same level of infrastructure as wealthier neighborhoods. Other parts of Venice were developed as vacation homes and also not provided with public benefits such as tree lined streets and the resulting tree canopy shade and cooling effects these trees provide.

Our project is unique in that we have been given special permission from the City for a pilot project which will allow us to plant trees that the City has not planted before. These special trees are native trees that are difficult to procure and might require care that the city can't afford to provide. The City is aware that Venice is in a Biodiversity Hotspot, meaning we have trees that exist nowhere else on the planet, such as the gorgeous *Lyonothamnus floridunda* (Catalina Ironwood) and *Quercus tomentella* (Island Oak). The City supports our efforts to plant these trees to demonstrate their success and provide seed sources for future generations of trees. As an example, the acorns of the *Quercus tomentella* native to the Channel Islands are only sourced by 2 trees near Santa Barbara. If those trees were to die, this beautiful local tree species would go extinct.

How will this grant be used to primarily support or serve a public purpose and benefit the public at-large.

In addition to their beauty, trees have been shown to provide a wide variety of important benefits such as shade in a warming climate and air purification which is especially necessary under the flight path of the SM airport. Young people in underserved communities are especially susceptible to lung damage from air pollution. Tree canopy has also been shown to lead to a decrease in crime and improved learning in school children. Trees provide habitat for butterflies and local and migrating birds. Additionally, the knowledge gained from our pilot project will help inform the City and our community about our unique native trees and will create a market for these trees so that procurement and initial care is not so time intensive. Beneficiaries are neighbors and businesses interested, low-income apartment dwellers, local school children, and public agencies who lack funds for plant replacement or maintenance.

The project is a good investment since it builds on an already existing structure to improve highly trafficked streets that are deteriorating, and creates on-going education to ensure continual tree care. The project builds community by involving volunteers of all ages in the beautification and appreciation of the community. By inspiring people with the beauty and understanding of our natural world and the importance of our local natural resources, we will promote the idea that protecting our watershed is both an individual and collective responsibility.



Date Permit Granted: 10/04/2023
UFMS or SIR#: 1-4494762671
Area: East Valley
Permit Expires: 04/04/2024

PERMIT TO PLANT STREET TREES

Permission is hereby granted to: Verdant Venice Group

Venice ID1

Telephone: _____ Fax: _____

To plant tree(s) as specified by instructions below and where marked at curb by Urban Forestry Division Inspector.

PROJECT NAME: Venice ID1

PLANTING ADDRESS: 1128 6th Ave

PLANTING SITES:

Tree Position	Species to plant	Container size	Parkway Size
<u>39</u>	<u>Various</u>	<u>15gal</u>	

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS:

Trees must be of size indicated and planted at designated distances apart and from curb as per attached City of Los Angeles specifications.

- Tree(s) must be inspected (tagged) prior to planting. Contact: _____
- Linear root control barriers shall be installed.
- Additional instructions:

YOU MUST CALL DIG ALERT AT (800) 227-2600 TWO DAYS PRIOR TO DIGGING.

Upon completion of tree plantings, contact the inspector for a final inspection.

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS
URBAN FORESTRY DIVISION

Inspector: Gerald Stephens
Office Number: 213-847-3087
Hours Available: 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.
2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

OFFICE USE ONLY

Inspector's Signature: _____ Final Inspection Date: _____



VENICE NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL
COMMUNITY IMPROVEMENT PROJECT APPLICATION PACKET 2009



COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT SHEET

Use this sheet to establish the involvement of Venice stakeholders in this project. This sheet may also be used to document pledges of volunteer hours.

PROJECT NAME Community Tree Planting

APPLICANT VARb

NAME	ADDRESS	SIGNATURE	DATE SIGNED	NATURE OF INVOLVEMENT	HOURS PLEDGED
DEBORAH BIRD	708 Angelus Pl. ^{Venice} CA 90291	<i>Deborah Bird</i>	10/21/23	Biologist	As needed
Eric Schiff	824 Milwood Ave ^{Venice} 90291	<i>Eric Schiff</i>	10/21/23	Volunteer	As needed
LAURE OLIVIER	629 WESTMINSTER AVE	<i>Laure Olivier</i>	10/4/23	volunteer	2 needed
Barry Ampico	1044 Palms Bl	<i>Barry Ampico</i>	10/21	landscape designer	as needed
Taylor Whibel	2408 Oakwood Ave 90291	<i>Taylor Whibel</i>	10/21	volunteer	as needed
Ferran Brown	2408 Oakwood Ave 90291	<i>Ferran Brown</i>	10/21	volunteer	as needed
Yolande de Revesse	2323 4th St. SM 90405	<i>Yolande de Revesse</i>	10/21	Volunteer	as needed
Jennifer Wilson	12617 Mitchell Ave #7 LA CA 90066	<i>Jennifer Wilson</i>	10/21	Volunteer	as needed
John Tipton	539 Brooks ave ^{Venice} 90291	<i>John Tipton</i>	10/21	Volunteer	as needed
Leonore Marquez	605 Flower Ave	<i>Leonore Marquez</i>	10/21	volunteer	as needed
Leslie O' Belsma	1786 Washington Way	<i>Leslie O' Belsma</i>	10/21	volunteer/consultant	as needed
Harlan O' Belsma	1786 Washington Way	<i>Harlan O' Belsma</i>	10/21	architect/artist/volunteer anytime	
Rula Gardiner	1128 6th Ave #1	<i>Rula Gardiner</i>	10/21	volunteer	yes
Peter Ruiz	103 ocean front walk	<i>Peter Ruiz</i>	10/21	volunteer	as needed

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BARRY CAMPION	1044 Palms Blvd	[Signature]	10/20	Professional landscaper	as needed
Mark Dyarec	1615 Andrusa Ave	[Signature]	10/20	Urban Forester / Tree People	as needed
MICHAEL MCGUFFIN	2333 CLOY AV. VENICE	[Signature]	10/24/23	GARDENER; volunteer	as needed
NOEL C. JOHNSON Noel C. Johnson	VENICE 103 OCEAN FRONT WALK	[Signature]	10/20/23	PLANT, GARDEN, PLAN	AS NEEDED.
Janin Paine	531 Vernon Ave ^{VENICE} _{ADD}	[Signature]	10/20/23	Volunteer/organizer	as needed
Andreas Kenkas	1615 Walgrove Ave	[Signature]	10/20/23	Volunteer	as needed
Yolande dehenesse	2323 4 th St. SM 90405	[Signature]	10/24/23	Volunteer	as needed
Isabelle Duvivier	350 Westminster Ave	[Signature]	10/21/23	Architect / Native Plant Specialist	as much as needed
Sara Wauters	13650 Marina Pt. Dr.	Venice 90292	10/21/23	Lawyer/Volunteer	as needed
Luca Arnoult	12531 Barbara Ave	[Signature]	10/21/23	student / volunteer	as needed
Lea Arnoult	12531 Barbara Ave	[Signature]	10/21/23	student / volunteer	as needed

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DEVIL MOUNTAIN WHOLESALE NURSERY

3200 West Telegraph Road
Fillmore CA 93015
United States
(805) 524-3939
www.devilmountainnursery.com

Quote

#EST41324

Quote Date: 10/13/2023

Customer: 18161 Duvivier Architects

Bill To
Duvivier Architects
350 Westminister Ave
Venice CA 90291
United States

Ship To
Duvivier Architects
3200 West Telegraph Road
Fillmore CA 93015
United States

Contact: Isabelle Duvivier

Delivery Contact:

TOTAL
\$2,878.17

Terms	Sales Rep	PO #	Job Name	Estimated Job Date	Shipping Method
Due on receipt/COD	Jasmin Garcia	Estimate- Native Trees			Will Call

Quote Memo:

Line#	Item	Ready Bins	Quantity	Rate	Amount
1	Estimate - "PLEASE NOTE" Bid subject to stock on hand. Availability and pricing subject to change. PRICES VALID FOR 30 DAYS.				
2	ACERNES15G Acer negundo 'Sensation' 15 gal Line Memo: NorCal		2	\$85.99	\$171.98
3	QUENGEStd15G Quercus engelmannii Standard 15 gal Line Memo: Fillmore	FI-311(183)	4	\$69.99	\$279.96
4	QUETOMESStd15G Quercus tomentella Standard 15 gal Line Memo: Fillmore	FI-310(45)	8	\$75.99	\$607.92
5	PLARCMASStd15G Platanus racemosa Standard 15 gal Line Memo: Fillmore	FI-719(120)	13	\$55.99	\$727.87
6	CACIMUStd15G Callistemon citrinus Standard 15 gal Line Memo: Very few avail in Standard. NorCal		11	\$75.99	\$835.89
7	KOEBIPISStd15G Koelreuteria bipinnata Standard 15 gal Line Memo: Fillmore/NorCal	FI-719(2)	1	\$59.99	\$59.99
8	CANCELLATIONS & RETURNS Plants that are in stock, have been pulled and then cancelled are subject to a restocking fee up to 50%. Brokered plant material purchased from outside vendors to fulfill an order and then cancelled are subject to up to 100% restocking fee. We do not accept returns on plants that have been planted or annual color.				

Subtotal \$2,683.61

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Quote Memo:

Tax Total \$194.56

Total \$2,878.17



EST41324

Partner: Verdant Venice Group
 Contact: Robert Castaneda 661-904-8126
 Bureau of Street Services Tree Permit #: **1-4494762671**
 Project Name: Venice ID1
 Project Number: Venice ID1
 Total Tree Count: 39.00
 Total Concrete Cuts:
 Billing Month:
 Date Submitted:

**Planting Spreadsheet
(Form F)**

Date SEPT 6, 2023

Building Vintage	Cooling System	Azimuth	Distance	Story
1 = Pre-1950	0 = None	N = North (337.5 - 22.5°)	1 = Adj (< 20 ft.)	1 = One story building
2 = 1950-1980	1 = Central air/heat (unit)	NE = Northeast (22.5 - 67.5°)	2 = Near (20 - 40 ft.)	2 = Two story building
3 = Post-1980	2 = Evaporative cooler	E = East (67.5 - 112.5°)	3 = Far (40 - 60 ft.)	
	3 = Wall/window unit	SE = Southeast (112.5 - 157.5°)	4 = >60 ft.	
		S = South (157.5 - 202.5°)		
		SW = Southwest (202.5 - 247.5°)		
		W = West (247.5 - 292.5°)		
		NW = Northwest (292.5 - 337.5°)		

Post Planting Field Check/Inspection on _____
 Performed By (Printed): _____
 Performed By (Signed): _____
 Title and Phone number: _____
 Number of trees approved: _____

Permit Holder	Project Number	Project Name	Project Funder	Match for Grant? (If yes, name grant)	CTW or Funded Watering? (If Funded Watering, a Watering Plan must be attached)	Street Tree / Open Space Tree	Shading / Non-Shading	First Name	Last Name	Phone	Email	Street Number	Street Direction	Street Name	Street Type	Zip	TG Page	TG Grid	Council District	# of Trees	Tree Po.	Sub Po.	C-Cut required? (Y/N)	Size of C-Cuts	PKWY Size	Existing O/H Wires? (Y/N)	UFD Selected Tree Species	Building Vintage	Cooling System	Azimuth	Distance	Story	Tree Size	Date Planted	Comments
VVG	ID1	CD11	VVG	No	CTW	Street	Shading					1128		6th Ave		90291			11	1.00	F		No	9	No	Engelmann Oak (Quercus englemannii)	2	0	W			2	15g		
VVG	ID1	CD11	VVG	No	CTW	Street	Shading					1128		6th Ave		90291			11	1.00	F		No	9	No	Engelmann Oak (Quercus englemannii)	2	0	W			2	15g		
VVG	ID1	CD11	VVG	No	CTW	Street	Shading					565		san Juan Ave		90291			11	1.00	S		No	9	Yes	Engelmann Oak (Quercus englemannii)	1	0	W			1	15g		
VVG	ID1	CD11	VVG	No	CTW	Street	Shading					541		santa clara Ave		90291			11	1.00	S		No	9	Yes	Engelmann Oak (Quercus englemannii)	1	0	E			1	15g		
VVG	ID1	CD11	VVG	No	CTW	Street	Shading					541		santa clara Ave		90291			11	1.00	F		No	5	No	koelreteria	1	0	S			1	15g		
VVG	ID1	CD11	VVG	No	CTW	Street	Shading					740		Flower Ave		90291			11	1.00	F		No	8	No	Island Oak (Quercus tomentella)	2	0	NW			1	15g		Previously permitted
VVG	ID1	CD11	VVG	No	CTW	Street	Shading					740		Flower Ave		90291			11	1.00	F		No	8	No	Island Oak (Quercus tomentella)	2	0	NW			1	15g		Previously permitted Near property line, need CTW from 736 flower
VVG	ID1	CD11	VVG	No	CTW	Street	Shading					736		Flower Ave		90291			11	1.00	F		No	8	No	Island Oak (Quercus tomentella)	2	0	NW			2	15g		Previously permitted- need CTW from 736 Flower, in the middle of shrubs/ flower bed
VVG	ID1	CD11	VVG	No	CTW	Street	Shading					1302		Morningside Ave		90291			11	1.00	S		No	9	No	Island Oak (Quercus tomentella)	2	0	NW			1	15g		
VVG	ID1	CD11	VVG	No	CTW	Street	Shading					1302		Morningside Ave		90291			11	1.00	S		No	9	No	Island Oak (Quercus tomentella)	2	0	NW			1	15g		
VVG	ID1	CD11	VVG	No	CTW	Street	Shading					1302		Morningside Ave		90291			11	1.00	S		No	9	No	Island Oak (Quercus tomentella)	2	0	NW			1	15g		
VVG	ID1	CD11	VVG	No	CTW	Street	Shading					1616		Abbot Kinney Ave		90291			11	1.00	S		No	9	No	Sycamore	2	0	NW			1	15g		
VVG	ID1	CD11	VVG	No	CTW	Street	Shading					1616		Abbot Kinney Ave		90291			11	1.00	S		No	9	No	Sycamore	2	0	NW			1	15g		
VVG	ID1	CD11	VVG	No	CTW	Street	Shading					522		Venice Way		90291			11	1.00	F		No	5x5	No	Quercus tomentella / Island Oak	3	1	N			2	15g		
VVG	ID1	CD11	VVG	No	CTW	Street	Shading					407		Venice Way		90291			11	1.00	F		No	5x5	No	Juniperus californica / California Juniper	1	0	N			1	15g		
VVG	ID1	CD11	VVG	No	CTW	Street	Shading					409		Venice Way		90291			11	1.00	F		No	5x5	No	Hesperocyparis forbesii / Tecate Cypress	3	1	N			2	15g		
VVG	ID1	CD11	VVG	No	CTW	Street	Shading					415		Venice Way		90291			11	1.00	F		No	5x5	No	Fraxinus dipetala / California Ash	3	1	N			2	15g		
VVG	ID1	CD11	VVG	No	CTW	Street	Shading					491		Venice Way		90291			11	1.00	F		No	5x5	No	Quercus tomentella / Island Oak			N			1	15g		
VVG	ID1	CD11	VVG	No	CTW	Street	Shading					230		Venice Way		90291			11	1.00	F		No	5x5	No	Juniperus californica / California Juniper	1	0	S			1	15g		
VVG	ID1	CD11	VVG	No	CTW	Street	Shading					308		Venice Way		90291			11	1.00	F		No	5x5	No	Hesperocyparis forbesii / Tecate Cypress	3	1	S			2	15g		

