

**MINUTES VENICE NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL OCEAN FRONT WALK COMMITTEE**  
**MEETING AUGUST 4, 2025**

**CALL TO ORDER:** 6:15 PM

**ATTENDANCE:** Fran Solomon (chair), Todd Eichenberger, Deborah Keaton, Noel Johnston, Nick Antonicello, Clark Brown (secretary).

(absent) Kevin Arantes

**MISC.** There were no minutes to approve and there was no chair report because this was the Committee's first meeting following the election. The new Committee members introduced themselves.

**GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT:** Erica Moore, VNC Outreach Chair, Steve Bradbury, VNC Communications Officer, spoke on their plans for upcoming projects.. Yolanda Gonzalez, VNC Board member, spoke on Marina del Rey Yacht Club plans. Tanner Kelly, new Venice resident, introduced himself and offered to help the VNC where needed.

**GOVERNMENT REPORTS:** Eleni Polakoff spoke on the Venice BID's operations. LAPD Sergeant, Chris Gelvin, reported on the LAPD's beach area operations. Zach Gaidzik, Supervisor Horvath's Venice Representative, spoke on the supervisor's Venice plans and projects. Adon Pulido, LA Parks and Recreation representative, spoke on his department's ocean front plans and projects. Sean Silva, Councilwoman Park's Venice Deputy, spoke on plans and project for the ocean front.

**Q&A WITH GOVERNMENT REPS** The Committee and public members questioned the government representatives about a variety of issues with emphasis on the existing dangers on ocean front walk. There are various approaches in place to find the best solution.

**ADJOURNMENT** 7:45PM

Clark Brown, secretary

Fran Solomon, chairperson