

BOARD PRESENT

Ally Bean

John Reimers

Julie Bean

Sarah Mahir

Lisa Redmond

Monday Dec 8th 2025

Call to Order at 6:06

PUBLIC COMMENT

Items not in the agenda

Lydia Ponce: **Dec 17 5:30-7:30** open mic talk about Venice housing in the past, present, future Oakwood Red Center in collaboration with Westside Local Tenants Union and [P.O.W.E.R.](#) and Ground Game

CHAIR REPORT

Ally: from Jonah Sec 8 Housing vouchers will not be taken away as Feds had threatened; other vouchers as well (Continuum of Care, Family Vouchers, Emergency Vouchers)

Pilot of SB 43 in the Valley is underway; full implementation Jan 6th

OLD BUSINESS

Winter Shelter: CD11 says it is the LAHSA responsibility but they aren't returning calls; could we do a shelter without LAHSA?

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Lisa: CD11 could PUSH HARD on LAHSA and the City and get a winter shelter.

Motion approved ally to send to Brian

NEW BUSINESS

CD 11 Funding for family reunification program

Sarah: 1 r 2 a month; reps to assist with people sent home. Funding is there.

Ally: Every single day at Rose Pagoda 10 am on the same a woman named Jenna Westcoast Cares funded by CD 11

PUBLICITY around this!; how is it coordinated/how does she know?

MOTION: the VNC board requests CD 11 in conjunction with relevant VNC committees expand awareness and publicity regarding the existence of a family reunification program aimed at reuniting local unhoused stakeholders with housing in their home region funded by CD 11; staffed daily on the boardwalk, by West coast Cares, by bringing awareness to all community members, especially service providers such as St Josephs, Bible Tabernacle, BID , Circle, and the Venice Family Clinic. We also request a report back detailing how said publicity has been implemented

Motion made by John Reimers
Seconded by Sarah Mahir

Public comment
Erica Moore: outreach committee will work to publicize
Lydia Ponce: thank you

Amended made adding 'requests CD 11 in conjunction with relevant VNC committees'
Proposed by John Reimers
Approved by Ally Bean

Amended to add “
Offered by Ally
Seconded by Julie

Amended motion made by Ally Bean
Seconded by Julie Bean

Motion passed unanimously

Meeting Adjourned by unanimous consent 7:00