



# Venice Neighborhood Council

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## Budget and Finance Committee NOTE CHANGE OF DATE AND TIME

July 5, 2017, Wednesday, 6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.  
Extra Space Community Room, 658 Venice Blvd.

### AGENDA

1. Call to Order – Roll Call

	Present	Absent		Present	Absent
Hugh Harrison, Chair			George Francisco		
Evan White			Ivan Spiegel		
Matt Kline					

2. Approval of this agenda as presented or amended.
3. ANNOUNCEMENTS
  - A. Changes to budget and reporting procedures with City Clerk.
  - B. Report on Budget Day
4. PUBLIC COMMENT on items not on the agenda.
5. Approval of minutes of May 30, 2017, meeting.
6. OLD BUSINESS
  - A. Item for discussion and possible decision: Approval of self-assessment.
7. NEW BUSINESS
  - A. Item for discussion and possible decision: Approval of expenditures in June and for fiscal year.
  - B. Item for discussion and possible decision: Motion to establish a policy to deny any community improvement project that fails to submit a detailed budget.
  - C. Item for discussion and possible decision: Expenditures for July and August.
8. PUBLIC COMMENT on items not on the agenda.
9. ADJOURNMENT.

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