

Venice Neighborhood Council

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VNC Public Safety Committee Minutes of April 2, 2015 Meeting

- 1. Meeting was called to order at 7:30pm. Present were George Francisco (GF), Clarence Carter (CC), Nicolas Hippisley-Coxe (NHC).
- 2. The agenda was approved. (CC/NHC; 3-0)
- 3. The Minutes of the last Committee meeting were approved (CC/NHC:3-0).
- 4. There was no Public Comments.
- 5. Motion to create "window clings" that would indicate locked doors and windows and to be given to NW Captains in Venice passed. Public comment and committee comment felt it was a good idea and positive step in helping LAPD message to residents about the importance of locking doors and windows. (GF/NHC:3-0).
- 6. Motion to support proposed LAPD PacDiv "SafetyFest" passed. (GF/CC:3-0). Committee comments were made concerning scope, location, and possible exhibitors.
- 7. Public presentation was made by guest Joshua Hersko. He explained his unique "Community Watch" concept and plan. Plan is currently deployed on a small scale in the Marina Peninsula. Very positive reception and discussion about the "next-level" nature of the concept and how it can be fully realized and potentially integrated into long-term future of Safety Com goals.
- 8. The meeting was adjourned at approximately 8:45pm.