



# Venice Neighborhood Council

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## JOINT MEETING OF Public Safety Committee & VNC General Board Agenda

**Meeting Date:** Friday, January 31, 2020

**Meeting Time:** 5:30pm

**Meeting Location:** Extra Space Storage (Community Room) 658 Venice Blvd. Venice, CA 90291

**Contact:** [Nisa.Kove@venicenc.org](mailto:Nisa.Kove@venicenc.org)

**1. Call to Order and Roll Call: Approx 5:30pm**

Nisa Kove (Chair)			
Dawn Hoffman			
Jose Angel Castro			
		Ira Koslow (ex-officio)	

2. Approve Agenda as presented or amended -5:35pm (2min)
3. Approve Minutes of last meeting as presented -5:38pm (3 min)
4. ANNOUNCEMENTS: Meeting Norms & Expectation: Posted on wall- 5:45pm (7 minutes)
5. GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT – 1 minute on non-agendized items related to Public Safety Committee only
6. Chair Report N/A
7. Items for Discussion (1 hour - approx 5:45-6:45)

- 1)Meet Pacific Division Senior Lead Officer, Monique Contreras
  - a)Introduction to Officer Contreras
  - b)Crime report
  - c)Neighborhood Watch information & current areas using Neighborhood Watch
  - d)Best practices for the community in partnership with our SLO/LAPD

8. Old Business
9. New Business
10. COMMITTEE COMMENTS – Comments by Committee Members on subject matters within the jurisdiction of the Public Safety Committee but not on the Agenda
11. ADJOURN



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