

Venice Neighborhood Council

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September 18, 2009

Los Angeles City Planning Department 200 North Spring Street Los Angeles, CA 90012-2601

Case Number: APCW 2008-4349 SPE CUB CU ZV CDP SPP MEL.

Address of Project: 305 – 307 – 309 Ocean Front Walk, Venice, California 90291

Applicant: Nathan Ahdoot

Address: 305 Ocean Front Walk, Venice, California 90291

Dear Madam/Sir:

This will advise that at a Venice Neighborhood Council regularly held public meeting on August 18, 2009 the following motion to recommend denial of subject project was made and passed by a unanimous vote.

The Venice Neighborhood Council opposes subject project and recommends denial of this application for:

Demo of existing structures & construction of a 3-story approximately 21,950 sq ft hotel with 30 guest rooms. Proposed hotel would have a 1,877 sq ft restaurant (including outdoor dining area) full line of alcoholic beverages. 45 parking spaces in a 1-level subterranean parking garage with mechanized auto lifts. Site is 8,202 sq ft zoned C1-1. Applicant requests many variances. Appeared before VNC Land Use and Planning Committee four times with no significant changes in the project.

Please provide a copy of the decision letter to the Venice Neighborhood Council at Post Office 550, Venice, California 90294

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

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Very truly yours,

Mike Newhouse

President

Venice Neighborhood Council

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