



## Mar Vista Community Council



### Committee on Public Safety

Tuesday, January 23, 2018 from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at  
The Windward School (Conference Room 1030)  
11350 Palms Blvd.  
Los Angeles, CA 90066

Chair: Elliot Hanna ([elliott.hanna@marvista.org](mailto:elliott.hanna@marvista.org))

- **Call to Order**
- **Brief Introductions**
- **Public Comment and announcements**
- **Review and approval of minutes**
- **Old Business**
  - Discussion of proposed motion regarding sanitation at homeless encampment sites (continued from 11/28/2017). See Attachment A.
- **New Business**
  - None
- **Guest Speaker**
  - None
- **Future Guest Presentations –**
  - TBD
- **Adjournment**

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**Attachment A, 1/23/2018**  
**Sanitation at Homeless Encampment Sites**

Policy Motion (submitted by the Committee on Public Safety) -

WHEREAS, California's outbreak of Hepatitis A is the second largest in the past two decades, and

WHEREAS, public health officials warn that the outbreak could continue for months or even years, and

WHEREAS, at least 569 people have been infected and 17 have died of the virus since November in San Diego, Santa Cruz, and Los Angeles counties, and

WHEREAS, prevention efforts are required at all levels to control the outbreak, and

WHEREAS, poor sanitation at homeless encampment sites, such as the one at Venice Blvd. and the San Diego Fwy., severely complicate efforts to control the outbreak.

THEREFORE, the Mar Vista Community Council moves to advise the City of Los Angeles to provide portable toilet facilities and trash receptacles at known, major homeless encampment sites ~~in order -~~ **for a three-month trial period** - to improve sanitation and protect public health.

FURTHERMORE, the Mar Vista Community Council moves to advise the City of Los Angeles to clean the facilities and empty the trash receptacles ~~sufficiently frequently~~ **appropriately** to protect the public health.