

## Policy Motions, March 2020

March 6, 2020:

**Item 9.1 [POLICY][ELECTIONS & BYLAWS] : Adjustment of MVCC Internal Boundaries –**  
Possible action on splitting Zone 6 into two zones

Motion approved (9Y/0N/1 Abstention/3 Absent)

**Item 9.3 [POLICY][PLUM][COMMUNITY PLAN] Arts District Designation-**

The Mar Vista Community Council requests that the Department of City Planning either:

- a) present a definition for the community to review for the proposed Arts District unveiled at its June 2019 Workshop or
- b) remove the designation from future presentations

Additionally, should a zoning category for such a district be drafted, the MVCC requests that it should be presented to the community with sufficient time (60-90 days prior to the next anticipated DCP workshop for the community to provide feedback

Motion approved without objection

**Item 9.4 [POLICY][T&I][GREAT STREETS]-String Light Installation on Great Streets Venice Blvd-**

The Mar Vista Community Council is disappointed and concerned that Councilmember Bonin Ordered string lighting for Great Street Venice Blvd totaling over \$54,000 per Council File 18-1124, and with potential negative impacts including light pollution, urban blight and environmental impacts, without the legally mandated notification of the MVCC, violating City Charter Section 907 and L.A.M.C. Section 22.810.1(f)(A).

Motion approved (7Y/1N/2Abstentions/3Absent)

March 10, 2020:

**Item 12.6 [POLICY][T&I] [POLICY][Transportation & Infrastructure] Traffic Data Request for Great Streets Venice Blvd. Project –** Approval of a request that LADOT, CD 11 and the Mayor's Great Streets office release year 2 traffic, bicycle, and accident data regarding Great Streets Venice Boulevard and reinstate the [www.VeniceBoulevardMarVista.org](http://www.VeniceBoulevardMarVista.org) website.

Motion Approved without objection

**Item 12.7 [POLICY][Hanna] MOU regarding shared storage space at the Mar Vista Recreation Center –**  
Approval for the Executive Board to move forward with a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) for shared storage space at the Mar Vista Recreation Center.

Motion approved without objection

**Item 14.1[POLICY][T&I][GREAT STREETS] MVCC Position Statement on Great Streets Venice Blvd. -**  
Discussion and possible action regarding the MVCC's current position on Great Streets Venice Blvd.

“It is the current position of the Mar Vista Community Council that it has withdrawn its support for the Great Streets Venice Blvd project”

Motion approved (5Y/4N/2Abstentions/2Absent)

**Item 14.2[POLICY][T&I][GREAT STREETS] Pavement Mural Project -** Discussion and possible action regarding the pavement mural project at the intersection of Grand View Blvd. and Pacific Ave.

“The Mar Vista Community Council Requests that Lenore French or another member of Green Communications Initiative attend the April 14, 2020 MVCC board meeting to present an update on the project”

Motion approved (5Y/3N/3 Abstentions/2 Absent)



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**VIA EMAIL**

April 23, 2020

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RE: Palms-Mar Vista-Del Rey Community Plan Update

Dear Messrs. Bertoni and Janacua and Ms. Gardner:

At its March 6, 2020 special meeting, the Mar Vista Community Council (MVCC)  
Board of Directors approved the following motion:

*The Mar Vista Community Council requests that the Department of City Planning  
either:*

*a) Present a definition for the community to review for the proposed Arts  
District unveiled at its June, 2019 Workshop*

OR

*b) Remove the designation from future presentations*

*Additionally, should a zoning category for such a district be drafted, the MVCC  
requests that it be presented to the community with sufficient time (60-90 days prior  
to the next DCP workshop) for the community to provide feedback.*

Please do consider this as you move forward with the Community Plan for Mar Vista.

Sincerely,

Elliot Hanna, Chairman  
Mar Vista Community Council



**VIA EMAIL**

November 2, 2020

TO : Harris, J. Levey, Member, Traffic Subcommittee, Pacific Division Community Police Advisory Board, [harrisjl@webtv.net](mailto:harrisjl@webtv.net)

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Cc: Councilmember Mike Bonin, [councilmember.bonin@lacity.org](mailto:councilmember.bonin@lacity.org)

Dear Mr. Levey,

At its March 10, 2020 meeting, the Mar Vista Community Council passed the following by a vote of five ayes, 4 noes, and two abstentions:

*It is the current position of the Mar Vista Community Council that it has withdrawn its support for the Great Streets Venice Blvd Project.*

Please consider this as you move forward in your discussions,

Sincerely yours,

Elliot Hanna, Chairman  
Mar Vista Community Council