



Mar Vista Community Council



Transportation and Infrastructure Committee Meeting MINUTES

Wednesday, September 4, 2019 - 7:30 PM - 9:00 PM

Windward School, Room 1030, Building C - 11350 Palms Blvd, Los Angeles, CA 90066

Chair: Ken Alpern | First Vice-Chair: Selena Inouye | Second Vice-Chair: Andrea Ambriz

1. **Call to Order**—Ken Alpern, Selena Inouye and Andrea Ambriz presiding
2. **Introductions**
3. **Public Comment for Items Not On the Agenda**
4. **Approval of Minutes of Previous Meetings** (postponed until next meeting)
5. **Special Orders**
 - a. CD11 Mobility Deputy Alek Bartosouf's report
 - *The new, upgraded signal at Palms/Sawtelle works now.*
 - *The next major signal upgrade is planned for Centinela/Venice.*
 - *Major signals being designed are at Barrington/Gateway, McLaughlin/Palms, and Graham/Sawtelle.*
 - *Initiatives being worked on at CD11 include Westside Fast Forward and the Sepulveda Transit Project.*
 - *The Parking Demand Study is still being worked on, with major unresolved issues including funding and geography. Both CD11 staff member Alek Bartosouf and CD5 transportation deputy Jay Greenstein were encouraged to work with the MVCC on a defined and workable Parking Demand Study.*
 - *The LADOT speed hump program was being worked on by Len Nguyen and the LADOT to determine what metrics and qualifications were needed to prioritize and approve speed humps in requested locations.*
 - *LA Now Microtransit includes students accessing LAUSD schools. Ongoing discussions with the principal of Venice High School with respect to the minimum age, and whether seat belts were going to be mandatory and provided for riders, are underway. Luz.echavarria@lacity.org is the contact person for this program.*
 - b. Street Improvements Zone 1: discussion with CD5 Transportation Deputy Jay Greenstein
 - *There is a large number of requests for dead-ends and blocked residential streets, and they are ALL likely to be denied by the City, including the request for Tabor and Westminster to be a cul-de-sac in Zone 1.*
 - *The LADOT Neighborhood Traffic Management Department was terminated in the last economic downturn/recession.*
 - *Red-curb/no parking zones are being considered for Glendon and Ellenda Avenues in Zone 1.*
 - *For future service requests from the LADOT, contact myladot@lacity.org*
6. **Presentation:** LAX Modernization Project
7. **Old Business**
 - a. Culver City Stormwater Project—joint City of Culver City, Del Rey Neighborhood Council, Venice Neighborhood Council, and MVCC Townhall
 - **Someone from Culver City will be there.**

- b. Recap/round up on the Neighborhood Council Initiative Bureau of Street Services Small Asphalt Repairs https://www.marvista.org/productphotos/Pothole_Blitz_FAQs.pdf
 - **Will be repaired by the City BSS 09/06/2019. Submissions from the MVCC submitted 08/29/2019.**
 - c. Centinela Blvd. Street-Sweeping Services in Zones 3 and 6 (Mary Hruska) - Update, further discussion and possible further action regarding street-sweeping for Centinela Blvd. between Palms Blvd. and National Blvd.
 - **MVCC Motion to request the Clean and Green team to be assigned this effort, until regular street sweeping service can be established.**
 - **Motion PASSED 6-0-1**
 - d. Enhanced Infrastructure Financing District (EIFD) (Selena Inouye) - Discussion and possible Community Impact Statement (CIS) regarding the Venice EIFD ([Council File 14-1349-S1](#))
 - i. UPDATE: [Motion passed](#) (pages 8-11) by the Venice Neighborhood Council
 - **Tabled until next meeting**
 - e. Extension of L.A.M.C. 85.02 – Discussion and possible Community Impact Statement (CIS) regarding the extension of LAMC 85.02 by the LA City Council on July 30, 2019. ([Council File: 14-1057-S8](#))
 - i. UPDATE: LA City Council approved a 5 month extension July 30, 2019, with a Sunset provision January 1, 2020. Recommend tabling this item until November 2019.
 - **Tabled until November**
 - f. Dockless scooter and bike parking zones - Discussion and possible motion regarding LADOT's dockless parking zones. <https://ladot.io/programs/dockless/>
 - i. UPDATE: Discussed with the Mobility Committee August 26, 2019
 - **Tabled until October. The MVCC Mobility Committee is working on it.**
- 8. New Business (*Postponed until next meeting, because the meeting time was ending*)**
- a. Temporary Removal of Venice Blvd road diet (Mary Hruska): Discussion and possible motion requesting LADOT and CD 11 to remove the lane reconfigurations on Venice Blvd during the City of Culver City Stormwater Project due to traffic rerouting during construction.
 - b. Discussion regarding the mobility element in the Palms-Mar Vista-Del Rey Community Plan currently undergoing the update process. <https://www.planningthewestside.org>
 - c. Discussion about conducting a MVCC survey regarding housing and transportation needs (similar to the Southern California Association of Governments (SCAG) survey: <http://connectsocial.org/survey>)

9. Future Agenda Items

10. Reports

- a. Sub-Committee Reports:
 - i. Airport Committee
 - ii. Great Streets Committee (**Meets next Wednesday**)
 - iii. Mobility Committee
- b. Bi-Monthly Mar Vista CD11/LADOT/LAPD Traffic External City Committee Report- next meeting September 18, 2019 (<https://www.marvista.org/traffic-committee.php>)
- c. LADWP Oversight and Advocacy Committees Report - next meeting September 7, 2019
- d. Neighborhood Council Sustainability Alliance Report - <https://www.ncsa.la/>
- e. StreetsLA Stakeholder Advisory Council - <https://streetsla.lacity.org/stakeholder-advisory-council-invitation>

11. Public Comment and Announcements

12. Adjournment