

Mar Vista Community Council



MAR VISTA COMMUNITY COUNCIL

GREAT STREETS SUBCOMMITTEE with the MVCC Board of Directors http://www.marvista.org/great-streets.php

Wednesday May 12 2021 7:00 pm

ZOOM Electronic Meeting

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AGENDA

- 1. Call To Order and Welcome Chair (1 min.): Michelle Krupkin
- 2. Introductions and Public Comments (for items not on the agenda) (2 minutes)
- 3. Motion to approve recent Great Streets minutes (2-5 minutes)
- 4. Reports (15 -20 Minutes)
 - a. Great Streets Program brief definition-Michelle Krupkin, MV Community Council. General Info at https://ladotlivablestreets.org/programs/great-streets
 - b. CD11 Mobility Deputy Alek Bartrosouf, shares Mar Vista related mobility issues including update on the Downtown Mar Vista Beautification Project –formerly know as the Placemaking Project.
- 5. Old Business (10 minutes)
 - a. Update on the Mosaic Hopscotch project long planned for placement at the MV Library area STATUS: Meetings took place in April 2019 with CD11's Hannah Levien, mosaic artist Tracey Corinne, MVCC's Michelle Krupkin and Bureau of Street Services Supervisor Larry Hresko. The City of LA Cultural Affairs Commission approved the project at their 11/13/19 monthly hearing. Waiting for paperwork and update from CD11 and BoSS/StreetsLA. The mosaic materials passed a BOE slip test 3/4/20. Prior to COVID-19 shutdown, installation was targeted for April 2020 or later. STATUS: 1/08/21 Public Works meeting took place and Encroachment in Public Right-Of-Way permits were approved. Additional meeting with Tracey, BSS/StreetsLA took place week of 1/11/21 in which city clarified that it will remove two of the sidewalk slabs from expansion joint to expansion joint. They will then pour a platform base for the mosaic. On April 30 2021, Tracey communicated prospective May 2021 installation dates and is waiting for a response from LA City agencies as well as confirmation of details and coordination with StreetsLA.
 - b. Motion regarding the Mar Vista Music and Art Walk https://www.marvistaartwalk.org/ Motion passed at 10/15/19 BoD Meeting. **STATUS**: Letter and delivery pending.
 - c. Motion regarding Great Streets Pavement Mural project at Grand View and Pacific Ave. STATUS: Motion passed 12/11/2019 at Great Streets Subcommittee, then passed at 1/08/20 Joint meeting of Transportation and Infrastructure and Great Streets PASSED at 3/10/20 Board of Directors Agenda. Council File: 16-0722. CIS letter delivery pending.
 - d. Motion regarding Traffic Data Request for Great Streets Venice Bld. Project. The MVCC requests that LADOT, CD11 and the Mayor's Great Street Office release year 2 traffic, bike and accident data regarding Great Street Venice Blvd. and reinstate the www.VeniceBoulevardMarVista.org website STATUS: PASSED at 3/10/20 Board of Directors Agenda. Letter and delivery pending.

- e. Discussion and possible motion: MVCC supports the segment of Pacific Ave. between Inglewood Blvd. and Grandview to be considered for StreetsLA Cool Streets project as it is a vital part of the Mar Vista Farmer's Market area which is key to Great Street Venice Blvd. **STATUS**: Passed at GS 10.14.20, Passed at T&I 11.05.20 meeting, Motion passed at 11/10/20 MVCC BoD meeting. Letter and delivery pending.
- f. Discussion and possible motion. Request for formal update from LADOT and other relevant city agencies of past expenditures and total monies remaining to date in the relinquishment fund created when Caltrans relinquished Venice Blvd. in September 2016 to LA City. See Council File 16-0147. STATUS: Passed at GS 10.14.20, Passed at T&I 11.05.20 meeting, Motion passed at 11/10/20 MVCC BoD meeting. Letter and delivery pending.

6. New Business (40 minutes)

- a. Downtown Mar Vista Beautification Project. Discussion of installation of murals. Discussion of Street medallions and street furniture. Possible discussion and motion regarding planned upkeep of street medallions and street furniture to be installed in Mar Vista.
- b. Discussion and possible motion regarding update on status of LA Conservation Corps (Clean & Green project) upkeep of the medians on Great Street Venice Blvd.
- c. Possible discussion and motion to request a Dash Bus to travel from Great Street Venice Blvd. to the Bundy Expo Line stop.
- d. Discussion of broken utility pipes in the median on Venice Blvd. in multiple locations. Which utility is responsible for repair and/or removal?
- e. Discussion / update of the new LA City Al Fresco program as it pertains to Great Street Venice Blvd. area.
- f. Discussion and possible motion regarding the Mayor's Mar Vista Business Initiative and current inventory of empty storefronts on Great Street Venice Blvd., including COVID-19 active and closure inventory. Discussion regarding consideration of application of funding to receive local business map to highlight nearby businesses.
- g. Possible update on the Venice Blvd. Downtown Mar Vista Gateway Signage project. <u>Council File:</u> <u>16-0127.</u> Possible discussion and motion to request update on reserved funds at CD11 or elsewhere.

7. Future Agenda Items

- a. Discussion of an independent Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) evaluation of the Great Street Venice Boulevard Road Design.
- b. Request that Great Street Venice Blvd. receive a upgraded metered parking system to reflect current technologies as well as facilitate the shared use of privately-owned off-street parking facilities in order to make Parking Facility Infrastructure available in Mar Vista.

8. Adjournment

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