

City of Venice Historic Preservation Board



ACCOMPLISHMENTS 2020-2021

- Sent completed Draft of the Historic Preservation Board Ordinance to the Chair of the Planning Commission and the City Attorney on Feb. 10th for review and comment. No response to date.
- Created a "Property Owners Guide to the Local Register of Historic Places to provide owners the benefits and obligations of having their property listed on the Local Register, and to guide them through the application process. Available both on-line and in hardcopy.
- Created a HPB Kit to provide all board members with complete information on how to assist a property owner through the application process to nominate their property for the Local Register of Historic Places
- Approved 2021 Legacy Award Winners
- Submitted comments to the Planning Commission regarding the Draft LDR Ordinance.

CURRENTLY WORKING ON

- Contacting the 7 properties currently on the Local Register of Historic Places and asking if they want an exterior plaque if yes make arrangements for plaque placement
- Requesting the Mayor to sign a letter that would be placed in the city newsletter encouraging owners of historic properties to complete an application for having their property placed on the Local Register of Historic Places. A letter has been prepared for him to review, and edit as he wishes
- ❖ Launching a public Outreach Program geared towards owners of historic properties about nominating their properties for the Local Register of Historic Places

2021-22 GOALS

- Develop an Annual Plan, with timelines
- Pursue Certified Local Government Status if we have an ordinance that meets the criteria
- Create a Historic Preservation Education Outreach Program
- Develop a Historic Preservation Brochure
- Plan for a City-Wide Historic Structures Survey (requires funding)(approx. 30 years since last done)
- Develop a City of Venice Historic Marketing Plan