



City of Venice

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Meeting Minutes Parks and Recreation Advisory Board

Thursday, April 13, 2023

3:00 PM

Council Chambers

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Leadership Venice Project Presentation (Cordy Crane)

Cordy Crane and Robert Dinerman presented the Venice Leadership program information, project guidelines, funding details, project proposal to construct dedication to first responders in Heritage Park, backstory of flagpole, images of Fire Station One at opening, proposed location in park, site proposal, background of Heritage Park, consistency with cultural intent of park, preliminary research with Public Works department, benefits to community, and answered board questions regarding raising and lowering flag, concerns of tree overgrowth into display, sharing proposal with other organizations, memorial or tribute, wording for plaque, deadline for completion, and a dedication ceremony.

A motion was made by Mr. Wilkenson, seconded by Ms. Kargas, to recommend to City Council for approval of the Leadership of Venice Project as presented. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 6 - Mr. Efron, Ms. Kargas, Mr. Hinshaw, Mr. Wilkenson, Mr. Patel and Carr

Absent: 1 - Mr. Blaser