



MEMORANDUM TO VENICE CITY COUNCIL

FROM: Ms. Joan Farrell

DATE: 4/12/2024

COUNCIL MEETING DATE: Tuesday, April 23, 2024

SUBJECT / TOPIC: Presentation from Mara Skadden, Director of Science with the Marine Resources Council

BACKGROUND INFORMATION: I am requesting a presentation from Mara Skadden on the topic of shoreline restoration and living shorelines for the purpose of considering whether there are any appropriate sites in the Venice shoreline for Mangrove planting and living shorelines.

SUPPORTS STRATEGIC PLAN: Goal One: Keep Venice Beautiful and Eco-Friendly

COUNCIL ACTION REQUESTED: Presentation: Staff Directive Requested

Motion to direct the appropriate Charter Officer to bring back pertinent information including any financial impacts, related to the feasibility of conducting a survey of Venice shorelines for the purpose of identifying appropriate sites for the planting of Mangroves and establishing living shorelines.