



# Mar Vista Community Council



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REGULAR MEETING AGENDA - MINUTES

Board of Directors

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Wednesday, June 21st, 2023 from 6:30pm - 9:00pm

PUBLIC WELCOME

Mar Vista Recreation Center Auditorium

[11430 Woodbine Street, Mar Vista, CA 90066](http://11430 Woodbine Street, Mar Vista, CA 90066)

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## 1. CALL TO ORDER 6:41 pm

## 2. ROLL CALL WITH EX PARTE COMMUNICATIONS AND CONFLICTS OF INTEREST (3 MINUTES) - Roll

*Call shall include each board member declaring any ex parte communications outside of their duties and conflicts of interest pertaining to items on or related to this agenda.*

**Present:** Samiley, Honda, Rafeedie, Laferriere, Ruesch, Myrha, Martin - No ex parte, no conflicts

**Absent:** Tilson, Wheeler, Sharma, Marton, Paul, Greenwald, Blakey

## 3. WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS and COMMUNITY MEMORIALS

-Third Tuesday of the month is comedy night at Mar Vista Library - family friendly; 5:45 open mic sign-ups, 6pm start time.

-LA Care Plan - free resources to the community opening in September, 2023

## 4. ELECTED REPRESENTATIVE, GOVERNMENT AGENCY AND CITY DEPARTMENT REPORTS

-Michelle Persoff, Sr Field rep for Assembly Member Isaac Ryan

-Rental Assistance Program from Covid; state has taken it over, state was under injunction and now injunction is over. Reach out to Michelle Persoff if expecting this assistance and haven't received it.

-Pride and Juneteenth events attended by Assembly Member Isaac Ryan.

Stacey joined at 6:49pm

-Kay Hartman, Budget Advocate.

-Approval of budget by Karen Bass

-Discussed that MVCC should elect a budget representative, who can then vote for budget advocate.

-Atzi, new position: Director of Civic Leadership; we will get a new NEA

-Trainings for onboarding on MVCC will be upcoming

**5. PUBLIC COMMENTS FOR ITEMS NOT ON THIS AGENDA (20 MINUTES)** - *1 minute per speaker, if time permits, more time will be given. The MVCC is built on Stakeholder participation and input; especially through our committees (see [MarVista.org](http://MarVista.org) > Council > Committees). The Brown Act provides for a “part of the meeting where the public can comment on any item of interest that is within the subject matter jurisdiction of the local agency.” The MVCC is an advisory board to the Los Angeles City Council and, as such, its jurisdiction is restricted within Los Angeles and most importantly, the Mar Vista Community. Therefore, please keep public comments within the MVCC jurisdiction and on matters that the MVCC may act upon in future meetings. Thank you for your involvement with the MVCC. Please feel free to contact us ([info@MarVista.org](mailto:info@MarVista.org)) if we may be of service.*

## **6. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA**

Motion: Laferriere

Seconded: Honda

Vote: no opposition, approved 8-0

## **7. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES**

Motion: Laferriere

Seconded: Rubin

Vote: no opposition, approved, 8-0

### **7.1. May 17th, 2023 Meeting**

## **8. SPECIAL ORDERS**

**Room 20 at Windward School available for Monthly Board Meeting.**

Motion: Ruesch

Seconded: Greenwald

Amendment: Motion made by: Rubin made motion to table it until new board installed, no second, fails

Vote on original motion: yes: 6-0-2, **passes**

**9. CONSENT CALENDAR (5 MINUTES)** - *Items deemed to be routine, non-controversial. Any officer may ask a clarifying question instead of or before pulling item(s). - PLEASE SEE SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS FOR DETAILS*

Vote for 9.1-9.4

Motion: Ruesch

Seconded: Laferriere-Holloway

Vote: 8-0

**9.1 [Administrative] [Funding] Monthly Expenditure Report** - Discussion and possible action regarding the

**9.2 [Administrative] [Funding] FY 2023-24 Administrative Packet** - Discussion and possible action regarding the MVCC Administrative Packet for Fiscal Year 2023-24

**9.3 [Administrative] [Funding] Budget Adjustments** - Discussion and possible action regarding adjustments to the FY 2022-2023 budget for June 2023.

**9.4 [Administrative] FY 2022-23 Self-Assessment** - Discussion on the FY 2022-23 Annual Mar Vista Community Council Self-Assessment Report, pursuant to Bylaws Article XIV, Section 3.

## 10. EXCLUDED CONSENT CALENDAR ITEMS

**11. OLD BUSINESS** - PLEASE SEE SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS FOR DETAILS.

**12. NEW BUSINESS** - PLEASE SEE SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS FOR DETAILS.

**12.1 [Policy] [PLUM] [Director's - Laferriere-Holloway] SB 4 Affordable Housing on Faith Lands Act [CF 23-0002-S30]** - Discussion and possible action regarding support, if amended, of CF 23-0002-S30, in which the LA City Council, in concurrence with the Mayor, resolved to support SB4.

Motion: Laferriere-Holloway

Seconded: Ruesch

Vote: 5-1-2

**12.2 [Funding] MVCC SurveyMonkey Account** - Discussion and possible action regarding an expenditure of an amount not exceeding \$500 for the annual renewal of the MVCC SurveyMonkey account.

-Table motion per Atzi. Ruesch pulled the motion

**12.3 [Funding] [PLUM] Development Door Hangers** - Discussion and possible action regarding an expenditure not to exceed \$3,500 for the costs (e.g., designing, proofing, printing, and distribution) to produce PLUM door hangers and lawn signs.

-Table the motion per Atzi. Ruesch pulled the motion

**12.4 [Policy] [Director's - Laferriere-Holloway] MVCC Board Conduct** - Discussion on MVCC Board decorum and conduct on social media and at public and/or events even if not in an MVCC capacity.

- Discussion Held

## 13.1. Officer Reports

- Tyler Laferriere-Holloway - Chair

- Andrew Marton - 1st Vice Chair
- Carolyn Honda - 2nd Vice Chair
- Jennifer Rafeedie - Secretary
- Drew Ruesch - Treasurer

### **13.2. Zone Reports**

- Zone 1 - Tyler Laferriere-Holloway
- Zone 2 - Martin Rubin
- Zone 3 - Andrew Marton
- Zone 4 - Jennifer Rafeedie
- Zone 5 - Drew Ruesch
- Zone 6 - Holly Tilson
- Zone 7 - Faith Myhra

### **13.3. Committee Reports**

- Elections and Bylaws
- Outreach
- Public Health, Safety and Homelessness
- Planning and Land Use Management
- Transportation, Infrastructure and Sustainability
- Education Arts and Culture
- WRAC, WRAC Committees and Other Liaisons

**14. ADJOURNMENT** Laferriere moved, Honda seconded. No opposition 8:32 pm

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