

Pagoda's / Pergola's  
Venice Beach, CA



Wooden shade structures with seating.

Per Venice Vanguard newspaper archives:

July 31, 1931 Construction authorized by LA Department of Recreation & Parks \$16,753  
Contractor: Arthur Cox

January 26, 1932 Construction Completed - a Works Project Act project

QUESTION: Were these designed by architect Gregory Ain, as suggested by a resident in one of his Mar Vista houses? Believed to be incorrect. No supporting evidence found.

1997 CA Coastal Commission Refurbishment report: <https://documents.coastal.ca.gov/reports/1997/5/T15b-5-1997.pdf>

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Refurbishment Plan P9 Item 13 ; P26 Budget; P32 Site Plan  
1997 Venice Neighborhood Council pagoda restoration described: [https://www.venicenc.org/  
assets/documents/5/committee624ba9be34780.pdf](https://www.venicenc.org/assets/documents/5/committee624ba9be34780.pdf)