

Candidate Statement of Ira Koslow Running for At-Large Community Officer



I have been on the Venice Neighborhood Council for four years, serving on the Administrative Committee and as chair of the Rules & Elections Committee. Having been a resident of Venice for forty years, I have seen the community go through incredible growth from a deserted Ocean Front Walk, to its current status as the largest tourist attraction in California. I am a staunch supporter of the Venice Specific Plan, and have fought for its strict application in all issues that have come before the Council.

Born and raised in New York, I went to Bronx High School of Science, C.C.N.Y. and then U.C.L.A., where I received degrees in Economics. After teaching college level Economics for 4 years I became a manager in the music business for most of my life. For the last decade I have been at a Los Angeles magnet school teaching mathematics and Advanced Placement Economics.