



# Venice Neighborhood Council

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## NEIGHBORHOOD COMMITTEE APPLICATION

### Contact Information:

Qualifying Stakeholder Address (**Dirección**):

Print Name/ <i>Nombre el letra de Molde</i> : _____ nadine b semer _____		
Street address / <i>Dirección</i>	Venice City / <i>Ciudad</i>	CA 90291 State / <i>Estado</i> Zip/ Código Postal

Mailing Address (if different):

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Street address / <i>Dirección</i>	City / <i>Ciudad</i>	State / <i>Estado</i> Zip/ Código Postal

Contact Numbers:

Phone (Day) / <i>Teléfono (día)</i>	Phone (Evening) / <i>Teléfono (tardé)</i>	Fax Number
<b>Email / <i>Correo Electrónico</i></b> (very important)		

Specific Plan Sub-area where you live, work or own property and wish to represent (see Venice Specific Plan: <http://venicenc.org/files/VenCoastal.pdf> section 2 for details):

Sub-area : __ <b>silver triangle-7</b> __ (select number 1. Ballona Lagoon West Bank Subarea, 2. Ballona Lagoon (Grand Canal) East Bank Subarea, 3. Silver Strand Subarea 4. Marina Peninsula Subarea, 5. Venice Canals Subarea, 6. North Venice Subarea, 7. Oakwood-Millwood-Southeast Venice Subarea, 8. Oxford Triangle Subarea, 9. East of Lincoln Subarea), or other niche neighborhoods such as the committee recognizes
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I hereby certify that I wish to serve on the Neighborhood Committee of the Venice Neighborhood Council and I am a Stakeholder within the boundaries of the VNC area.

Stakeholder Signature/*Firma* \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_12/22/2012\_\_

Note: All Neighborhood Committee members must be Venice stakeholders (see [VNC Bylaws Article III.A](#)) and may be asked to demonstrate their eligibility. Please be prepared to supply proof of stakeholder status.



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## Questions:

*Please limit your answers to the 5 questions below to 200 words or less each.*

### 1) Please explain why you wish to serve on the Neighborhood Committee:

\_\_\_\_ Venice is in the process of undergoing significant changes. Although I have lived in Venice for almost 10 years, due to work commitments, I have not had the opportunity to really get to know Venice beyond my immediate area. Serving on the Neighborhood Committee would allow me to become involved with the greater Venice community- and perhaps bring members of my area- the Silver Triangle- more access to helping affect and/or understand change as it comes about.

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### 2) Please describe your previous and/or current neighborhood or community involvement:

\_\_\_\_ I am an occasional volunteer and donor for the WE Garden at Westminster Elementary School. During the past election, I hosted regular phone-banks throughout the late summer/fall in support of President Obama's reelection efforts. I also helped with grassroots efforts in support of Debra Bowen's congressional campaign.

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### 3) In your opinion what are the three most pressing issues facing the Venice Community?

\_\_\_\_ Development: balancing the need for change with the needs of the community. Having the community feel a part of the overall plans.

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\_\_\_\_ Community cohesion: with all the changes, it feels as if Venice is made of many different communities, it would be advantageous to foster a more cohesive environment throughout the area.

\_\_\_\_ Our homeless population

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- 4) **The Neighborhood Committee is tasked with promoting awareness of available City resources and services by acting as a conduit between the Board and Venice neighborhoods, assisting in community outreach and bringing neighborhood issues to the attention of the Board.**

**What are your suggestions for effectively fulfilling this obligation?**

\_\_\_\_\_ Door to door outreach within my area. Opening my home for potluck/open house type get-togethers, to open discussions with my neighbors and get feedback from them on how to interact with the neighborhood I represent.

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- 5) **Do you have a vision for Venice? If so, please describe:**

\_\_\_\_\_ Venice should be a destination spot for tourism while maintaining its diverse/eclectic neighborhoods. Venice should be a great place to live and visit.

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- 6) **Please list all committees, groups, organizations schools churches, agencies, with which you have regular communication.**

\_\_\_\_\_ none

**Thank You for Volunteering to Help Our Community!**