

# Venice Neighborhood Council (VNC) Ballot Voting Model

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The VNC Ballot Voting Model has three (3) ballot types. Community Interest stakeholders will only be issued the Community Interest Ballot. Non-Community Interest Stakeholders will receive the VNC Ballot and have the option of choosing to receive either the At-Large Community Officer Ballot or the Community Interest Ballot.

## 1) COMMUNITY INTEREST BALLOT

Stakeholders who declare a stake in the neighborhood and affirm an ongoing and substantial community interest and who are 16 years or older can only vote for a candidate in the following race:

- Community Interest Officer – Vote for one (1)

## 2) VNC BALLOT

Stakeholders who live, work, own property within the VNC boundaries who are 16 years or older can vote for candidates in the following races:

- President – Vote for one (1)
- Vice President – Vote for one (1)
- Secretary – Vote for one (1)
- Treasurer – Vote for one (1)
- Land Use and Planning Committee Chair – Vote for one (1)
- Communications Officer – Vote for one (1)
- Outreach Officer – Vote for one (1)

## 3) AT-LARGE COMMUNITY OFFICER BALLOT

Stakeholders who live, work, own property within the VNC boundaries who are 16 years or older will be able to either vote the Community Interest Ballot **OR** the At-Large Community Officer Ballot:

- At-Large Community Officer – Vote for one (1)

## Summary:

- The VNC has 21 board seats. All **21** are elected.
- Stakeholders will use **documentation** as a means of establishing their stakeholder status.
- Minimum stakeholder voting age is **16**.
- The VNC Board has a two-year term.
- Candidates can run for no more than one board seat.