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Council File Number: 15-1022-S2

Agenda Date: 02/21/2017

Item Number: 13.D.

Summary: Whereas the City plans to change Neighborhood Council election procedures unilaterally and,

Whereas the City plans to make all NC elections self-affirmation against the will of some boards and bylaws, Whereas the City plans to reduce unilaterally the voting age of stakeholders in some NC's to 16 years of age against the bylaws and will of the boards,

Whereas the City is mandating all NC's use online voting only, against the will of the some boards who voted against online voting

Whereas the City is attempting to mold neighborhood councils to fit an electronic voting model rather than fitting the contracted for electronic voting model to neighborhood councils,

Be it resolved that the Venice Neighborhood Council shall file a Community Impact Statement in opposition to Council File 15-1022-S2 and demand the City suspend online voting unless and until it can show evidence that the online model is complete and secure as contracted for, that the City will provide proper outreach, that the Department can show it has returned to its core mission of supporting NC's, and can truly support neighborhood councils per its Charter mandate, and allow all of the councils, per the Charter, Ordinance and Plan, to self-rule for the benefit of its stakeholders, and to allow the NC's to determine whether it should offer online, self-determination and age specific for its voters.