

COMMUNITY UPDATE

HERE'S HOW THE VENICE BEACH BID'S BEEN WORKING TO SERVE OUR DISTRICT | DECEMBER 2018

A SAMPLING OF **CLEAN TEAM** ACTIVITY

1192



Bags of Trash Removed 474



Graffiti Tags Removed

343



Dumped Bulk Items Removed

72



Pressure Washing Hours

A SAMPLING OF SAFE TEAM ACTIVITY

311



Incidents Resolved 64



Quality of Life Issues Addressed* 14



Conflict Interventions

3



Medical Response Assists

Clean Team data is provided by Chrysalis. Safe Team data is provided by Allied Universal. Activities are reported daily by Clean and Safe Team members, who are employees of Chrysalis and Allied Universal, respectively. Chrysalis and Allied managers compile these reports into a monthly summary. The VB BID relies on our vendors' decades of BID expertise for the statistics we provide.

VENICE BEACH BID IN THE COMMUNITY

Note from a Venetian

We got this message on our website the first week of January. It seemed like a wonderful start to the new year.

MESSAGE:

Hi met one of your team members cleaning up on N Venice Blvd this morning and wanted to write you guys to let you know he did an exceptional job. His effort and care for the neighborhood is very much appreciated. He told me Venice helped turn his life around and I ended up buying him a coffee and a snack from Bellissimo next to James Beach.

Please pass along the positive feedback if you can! His attention to detail reminded me of the MLK Jr. quote:

"If a man is called to be a street sweeper, he should sweep streets even as a Michaelangelo painted, or Beethoven composed music or Shakespeare wrote poetry. He should sweep streets so well that all the hosts of heaven and earth will pause to say, 'Here lived a great street sweeper who did his job well."

-Christophe Lambert

BID RESPONSE:

Happy New Year, and thank you for your kind words and kind acts, Christophe. We did pass your praise along to our Clean Team member, who prefers to remain anonymous.

To request service please call our dispatcher at 310.396.VBID (8243)

^{*}Includes noise complaints, misuse of bikes and scooters on public walkways, and public drinking/smoking/urination/defecation.