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AGENDA ITEM 8

PUBLIC COMMUNICATIONS

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From: noreply@cityofventura.ca.gov
Sent: Monday, January 11, 2021 5:17 PM
To: City Clerk
Subject: -EXT- Online Form Submittal: Public Comment Form

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Name John Sanders Jones

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Good evening Mayor and members of Council,

as 2021 starts – we can take a few moments to reflect on what we learned in 2020 – and I truly hope we have learned – for to have gone thru what we went thru and not learned would be a tremendous loss.

as 2021 starts

2020 taught me to be comfortable with being uncomfortable

2020 taught me to be at peace amongst uncertainty

2020 reminded me of those moments when I think I am certain I am in control of what is going on – that sense of control is often only an illusion

as 2021 starts

goodbye to illusions

may I love others more

may I continue to learn

may I share joy and wonder and peace (for my heart hears the world calling out for this)

earlier this month Pope Francis said

"We don't know what 2021 has in store for us, but what each of us -- and all of us together -- can do -- is to commit ourselves a little more to take care of each other."

in 2020 my New Year's resolution was to
judge others less and love others more -

and throughout the year of 2020, that concept or idea returned to my mind again and again, as there were so many opportunities to judge and critique the actions or non-actions of others

for 2021 I did not come up with a New Year's resolution -
although I have returned to journaling – which in the past I have found to strengthen my prayer life.

As 2021 gets underway

amongst the news and noise and seeming chaos -

allow your self time each and every day to be quiet and grateful -

allow your self to disconnect from the noise

allow your self some moments of peace

doing so will open us to be aware of the needs of others and more open to caring for one another

AGENDA ITEM 12A

**APPEAL OF THE PLANNING COMMISSION'S
PLANNED DEVELOPMENT PERMIT, DESIGN REVIEW
AND MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION
APPROVAL FOR THE VA CLINIC PROJECT
(PROJ-14017) / CASE NO. APL-12-20-58015**

Tracy Oehler

From: Leslie Purcell
Sent: Monday, January 11, 2021 8:03 PM
To: City Clerk
Subject: -EXT- Item 12a Public comment

To the Mayor and City Council:

I would like to comment on the proposed VA facility. I suggest that if this project goes forward, it should include solar panels, rooftop and/or over the parking lot, with battery storage, to address energy production and use, and help mitigate climate impacts. Do the design specifications include plans for such on-site solar energy production and storage? If so, this would help further the City's climate and renewable energy goals.

Thank you,
Leslie Purcell
Ventura

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