# MARKETING COMMITTEE REPORT

for August 17, 2022 Historical Commission Meeting

## 1. Renaming Museum

Recommendation: Rename the Queen Anne Museum located in Dominquez Park and propose name change to City Council or reaffirm the museum name as the Redondo Beach Historical Museum and request that the City install signage with that name and conform name on all City websites and publications.

One of the stated goals of the Historical Commission is to perform volunteer services at the **Redondo Beach Historical Museum**. The Museum is referred to differently throughout the City and has led to some confusion whether there is a history museum in Redondo Beach. For example, on 190th Steet, the sign directs the public to the **Queen Anne Museum**. See image on the lower left. On yelp, it is called the Redondo Beach Historical Museum.

On the Redondo Beach Cultural Arts' webpage, the picture is of the Morrell House . There is a phone number for the museum for information and hours. However, when you click on the drop down links for the **Redondo Beach Historical Museum** hyperlink, it gives you the following three choices: the Morrell House; Historical Information; and Redondo Beach Memories. See middle image. However, if one clicks the hyperlink itself, rather than the drop downs, it does take you to a museum page that includes the address, phone number, and a description of the museum content (but no photo). However, clicking a drop down option does not take you to that same page. Clicking "Historical Information" takes you to a page that describes the content of the museum, but does not even give its address or include a picture. Clicking the "Morrel House" link provides the Morrell House location.

The Redondo Beach Library's link to "Local History" on the "Information and Reference" dropdown takes one to the "Local History Resources" page. At the bottom of the page, there is mention of the "Historical Museum", which first mentions the Morrell House and that Next to the Morrell House Museum is the **Queen Anne Museum**." See image on the lower right.



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#### Historical Museum

The Morrell House Museum is located at Heritage Court in Dominguez Park, 298 Flagler Lane, Redondo Beach, CA 90278 Museum Hours: Closed during the Pandemic

Next to the Morrell House Museum is the Queen Anne Museum 302 Flagler Lane, Redondo Beach, CA 90278 Museum Hours: Closed during the Pandemic

### From Dictionary.com:

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Torrance Historical Society and Museum

Santa Monica History Museum

Catalina Museum for Art and History

Morrell House