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Councilman Bill Rosendahl
200 N. Spring Street
Rm 415
Los Angeles, CA 90012

Dear,

I just wanted to take a moment to tell you how grateful the Venice Neighborhood Council ("VNC") is for your leadership in shepherding the Lincoln Boulevard Community Design Overlay through the process and into reality. From the start, you have been ardent support of the re-vitalization of Lincoln Boulevard. The VNC looks forward to big improvements to one of our main streets in Venice.

We also are aware of your leadership in the further planning for Lincoln Boulevard with the upcoming Master Plan for Lincoln Boulevard. Comprehensive planning is greatly needed, and we look forward to working with you and the community on this.

Please also commend Grieg Asher for his tireless advocacy on behalf of the Lincoln Boulevard Community Design Overlay. He was instrumental in moving this along. We would also like to thank Whitney Blumenfeld who was your able representative before the Los Angeles Planning Commission when they heard this matter.

At that hearing, the Commission commended the Council Office for supporting this forward looking document.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Mike R. Newhouse".

Mike Newhouse, President
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