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c/o Supervisor Zev Yaroslavsky, Third District

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**RE: REDISTRICTING – SUPPORT TO KEEP THE THIRD DISTRICT
INTACT**


Dear Mr. Pedersen,

On behalf of the Board of Directors of the Miracle Mile Civic Coalition, we support keeping the Third District intact in the redistricting process. The Third District as presently constituted unites three adjacent, interlocking communities of interest; the greater Westside, the San Fernando Valley and the Las Virgenes regions. Together, these areas form a cohesive, coherent unit – the northwestern portion of Los Angeles County – which should be preserved. Similarly, the greater Westside, including Beverly Hills, West Hollywood, Santa Monica, and the Westside City of Los Angeles including Miracle Mile and Hollywood/ Fairfax areas form a cohesive compact community of interest with a common culture and economy. The integrity of the Third District's boundaries benefits the residents of northwest Los Angeles County, benefits the Miracle Mile and benefits the County as a whole.

We are served extraordinarily well by Supervisor Yaroslavsky and are very proud of the Miracle Mile's long history of working in the spirit of cooperation with him. We are also proud to foster our strong support for our Hancock County Park and our thriving Los Angeles County museums (– LACMA and the Page Museum of La Brea Discoveries all located in Miracle Mile) and for the emergency services provided by the Los Angeles County Fire Department when needed.

We urge you to keep the Third District intact.

Sincerely,



Lyn MacEwen Cohen
President and Founder



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cc. Supervisor Yaroslavsky, District 3; Councilmember Tom LaBonge, CD 4;
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