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Danielle Brazell
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Dear Ms. Brazell,

The Glassell Park Neighborhood Council supports local artist Justin Stadel in his effort to re-install his GLASSELLAND artwork on a private hillside lot overlooking our community.

As you may know, Glassell Park is a vibrant, diverse area of Los Angeles that has, nonetheless, been without a strong community identity. That changed when Justin Stadel's artwork appeared on our hillside. The pride of place it brought to our residents was undeniable, and its removal was met with an outpouring of dismay and calls to action.

In fact, within days of starting an IndieGogo campaign to raise the funds to put the artwork back up, Justin raised 750% of the amount he set as his goal. The community's support is a valid measure of the desire of residents to bring the artwork back to our area.

The LAPD has already implemented measures to address concerns of nearby neighbors by installing new street lighting and increased patrols. The ordinance prohibiting signs that was used to dismantle this art piece does not have bearing, since GLASSELLAND is not a sign and was never intended to be one.

The GPNC supports the GLASSELLAND artwork and we ask you to support it as well. This artwork is important to our community and--quite literally--puts Glassell Park on the map.

Sincerely,

Molly Lynn Taylor
Chairperson