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Los Angeles City Council
Planning and Land Use Committee
200 N. Spring Street,
Los Angeles, CA 90012

Via Email

Dear Committee Members:

The Westwood Homeowners Association ("WHA"), bounded on the North by Wilshire Blvd, on the South by Santa Monica Blvd, on the East by Los Angeles Country Club, on the West by Sepulveda Blvd, and which represents more than 3000 households, is strongly opposed to the demolition of the landmark Century Plaza Hotel located at 2025 Avenue of the Stars in Century City.

Sadly Los Angeles has few iconic buildings left the Century Plaza Hotel being one of them. The City of Los Angeles should do everything possible to preserve its architectural history especially great works such as the Century Plaza Hotel by architect Minoru Yamasaki. WHA supports the hotel being placed on the Los Angeles list of cultural / historical monuments.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Steven Kaufman', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Steven Kaufman, President
Westwood Homeowners Association