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To Whom It May Concern:

This letter is in support of the request by the residents of Woodley Hill area of North Hills to change the name of their neighborhood to Northridge.

This small community of approximately 400 homes and 1300 residents is directly adjacent to Northridge and residents most identify with Northridge. They should be allowed to change their name from North Hills to Northridge.

The name change will not affect the North Hills West Neighborhood Council, or any of the surrounding Neighborhood Councils, inasmuch as the granting of the name change to Northridge does not affect or change the boundaries of any neighborhood council.

Similarly, no new street signs are needed. The existing Northridge signs on Lassen and Plummer Street simply need to be moved to the western corners of Woodley Avenue.

We urge you to support and vote for the requested name change to Northridge.

Yours truly,

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