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Brief Summary: The Greater Wilshire Neighborhood Council requests that the proposed ordinance language be modified to eliminate from the proposed ordinance those elements that might allow digital graphics and murals on single family homes and that digital graphics and murals on single family homes be prohibited.

Additional Information: The Greater Wilshire Neighborhood Council requests that the proposed Mural Ordinance should be referred back to the PLUM Committee, allowing Neighborhood Councils to participate in crafting rules that respect single family homes and the different needs of communities throughout the city



June 13, 2013

We, Owen Smith and Jeffry Carpenter, declare that we are the President and Secretary respectively of the Greater Wilshire Neighborhood Council and that on June 12, 2013, a Brown Act noticed meeting was held by the Greater Wilshire Neighborhood Council with a quorum of board members present and that, by a vote of by yes to no, and abstentions, the Greater Wilshire Neighborhood Council adopted the following resolution:

WHEREAS the City of Los Angeles Planning & Land Use Management (PLUM)
Committee approved a Proposed Mural Ordinance (CF-11 0923) "Mural
Ordinance" for the entire city and
the City Council is expected to consider such proposed ordinance very soon; and

WHEREAS the ordinance would facilitate the placement of new murals, and at the same time will facilitate protection and preservation of existing murals; and

WHEREAS the current version of the proposed ordinance would facilitate approval of murals on single-family homes; and

WHEREAS digitally printed images are considered "Original Art Installations" under the current version of the proposed ordinance; and

WHEREAS the proposed ordinance is not appropriately tailored to reflect the needs and characteristics of our city's residential areas:

THEREFORE, LET IT BE RESOLVED that the Greater Wilshire Neighborhood Council requests that the proposed ordinance language be modified to eliminate from the proposed ordinance those elements that might allow digital graphics and murals on single family homes and that digital graphics and murals on single family homes be prohibited; and



LET IT BE FURTHER RESOLVED that proposed Mural Ordinance should be referred back to the PLUM Committee, allowing Neighborhood Councils to participate in crafting rules that respect single family homes and the different needs of communities throughout the city.

Authorized Signature (Owen Smith)

Authorized Signature (Jeffry Carpenter)