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Subject: Purchase of the San Pedro Superior Courthouse, 505 S. Center Street

Dear Supervisor Don Knabe,

The Central San Pedro Neighborhood Council is very concerned about the future of the San Pedro Courthouse. We are entirely supportive of the Los Angeles County purchasing this property from the State of California as soon as possible. We encourage you to set up a community process whereby Harbor Area residents can discuss community options for this property that will be consistent with the San Pedro Community plan, the San Pedro Arts, Culture and Entertainment district plan and the Pacific Corridor plan of the now demised LA/CRA.

The Central San Pedro Neighborhood Council stands prepared to help the Los Angeles County Supervisor's office with soliciting or gathering community input and holding outreach meetings for the purpose of finding a suitable future use of this property.

Sincerely,

James Preston Allen
President
On behalf of the Central San Pedro Neighborhood Council

cc: Councilman Joe Buscaino
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