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People Street – LA Department of Transportation
100 South Main Street, 9th Floor
Los Angeles, CA 90012
Attn: Kevin Ocubillo

Re: **Letter of Support for Decorative Crosswalks and Intersection Murals**

The Central San Pedro Neighborhood Council would like to express our support for the San Pedro Waterfront Arts District's proposal for decorative crosswalks and murals in downtown San Pedro.

San Pedro has been designated as one of 14 California Cultural Districts by the State of California. We think public art projects such as intersection murals and decorative crosswalks will enhance the economic vitality of our historic downtown while bringing vibrancy and unique way-finding clues to visitors and residents. Marked crosswalks and intersection murals can calm traffic and are an essential tool for helping pedestrians move safely, conveniently, and predictably across roadways while creating a sense of community.

We urge you to consider the application from the San Pedro Waterfront Arts District and help us bring public art to intersections and crosswalks in San Pedro. We understand this is a pilot program, sponsored by the LA Department of Transportation. Successful implementation and funding could lead to more of these creative places making and way finding projects.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Alexander Hall".

Alexander Hall, President
On behalf of the Central San Pedro Neighborhood Council