

Bogaard, Bill**From:** Larry Roberts [lmresq1@earthlink.net]**Sent:** Tuesday, September 05, 2006 11:47 AM**To:** Haderlein, Steve; Jimenez, Jose; Miller, Denver; Tyler, Sid; Madison, Steve; DeLaCuba, Vannia; Holden, Chris; Little, Paul; Valteau, Desireia; Stone, Rhonda; Bogaard, Bill; Jimenez, Jose; Miller, Denver; Tyler, Sid; Madison, Steve; DeLaCuba, Vannia; Holden, Chris; Little, Paul; Valteau, Desireia; Stone, Rhonda; Bogaard, Bill; Jimenez, Jose; Miller, Denver; Tyler, Sid; Madison, Steve; DeLaCuba, Vannia; Holden, Chris; Little, Paul; Gordo, Victor; Valteau, Desireia; Stone, Rhonda; Bogaard, Bill**Subject:** Planned Strip club on Foothill & the Braley Bldg

Dear Councilmembers and Representatives:

I have been practicing law in Pasadena since 1984 and a resident since 1986. I worked with several of you in the late 1980s in creating and promoting the Old Pasadena Business Improvement District, which laid the groundwork for the rejuvenation of Old Town, and I chaired the original Old Pasadena Celebrates. I have learned, much to my chagrin, that a strip club is slated to open at the old Shakeys restaurant on Foothill. This is truly revolting. We have all worked very long and very hard to create what I think is a spectacular and vibrant town. I, for one, am extremely proud of what we have created.

However, once I learned of this planned strip club, I had to speak up. I can see absolutely no benefit to the city or its residents with this planned addition. When I first moved to East Pasadena, we had prostitutes plying their trade at night from the corners of Colorado blvd, shouting out their willingness to engage in sex act for \$5 to passing cars. Finally the neighborhood cleaned up. Now the thought of adding a strip club and enticing back such elements back to ply their trade disturbs me.

Now on another topic- the Church (and I use that term only with a cringe) of Scientology having obtained the Braley building is even more horrifying. Already they put their tables out on the sidewalks (which I think is a violation of the city code) conning passerbys into whatever scam they happen to be offering. Now I hear they are going to ruin the beautiful Braley building by tuning it into a Church! The building has been such a wonderful draw to downtown with great retail and restaurants! I used to work on the 4th floor (Lee Barker and Associates). Now the thought of thousands of proselytizing scientologists makes me doubt that Old town is going to be my future shopping destination, much less the destination of others!!

Thanks for listening.

Larry M. Roberts, Esq

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Sandel

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Bogaard, Bill

2180 E. Foothill

From: Petrea Burchard Sandel [aertep@earthlink.net]
Sent: Saturday, September 02, 2006 11:28 AM
To: Bogaard, Bill
Subject: opposition to strip club

Dear Mayor Bogard,

I am writing to express my opposition to sex clubs in Pasadena, particularly the proposed strip club at 2180 East Foothill Blvd. on the lot of the former Shakey's Pizza.

Surely this is not the Pasadena we all take pride in. Thank you.

Sincerely,
Petrea Burchard Sandel

9/4/2006

Bogaard, Bill

From: Robert A. Sanders [raandkksan@toast.net]
Sent: Monday, September 04, 2006 1:28 PM
To: Bogaard, Bill
Subject: strip club

Sir,

As a Pasadena resident I encourage you to do all within your power to keep the E. Foothill Blvd. strip club from inhabiting our neighborhood.

R. Sanders

Jacobs, Belinda

From: Bogaard, Bill
Sent: Sunday, September 03, 2006 11:35 AM
To: Jacobs, Belinda
Subject: FW: Proposed Strip Club on Foothill Boulevard--Dict. Folder

From: marytherese sauer [mailto:sauertea@charter.net]
Sent: Sat 9/2/2006 8:36 PM
To: Bogaard, Bill
Subject: Proposed Strip Club on Foothill Boulevard

Dear Mayor Bogaard,

As a resident of east Pasadena and long time client of Foothill Veterinary Hospital, I am writing to express my concern over the proposed conversion of the Shakey's Pizza site into an adult entertainment venue. I strongly urge you to reject the proposed project. I am unable to attend the upcoming Planning Commission and Council meetings relative to this issue. I want to express my objections. I have no desire to be subjected to this type of business and the potential related problems when I visit Foothill Veterinary Hospital and the other businesses in the area.

Thank you for your consideration.

Terry Sauer
2865 Ashley Drive
Pasadena, CA 91107

Bogaard, Bill

From: Dana Saunders [DSAUNDERS@PROVNET.COM]
Sent: Tuesday, September 05, 2006 9:21 AM
To: Bogaard, Bill
Subject: Proposed Strip Club next door to The Foothill Veterinary Hospital
Follow Up Flag: Follow up
Flag Status: Red

I am writing to express my opposition to the plans for the strip club in the old Shakey's Pizza next door to the the Foothill Veterinary Hospital at 2204 East Foothill Blvd, Pasadena, CA.

The Foothill Veterinary Hospital is a long established animal hospital and I see many children accompanying their parents when bringing their beloved animals there for care. A strip club right next door is not appropriate next to a business that caters to families. Please consider the environment and put a stop to the plans for the strip club in the old Shakey's Pizza.

Thank you.

Dana Saunders
2428 Seneca Street
Pasadena, CA 91107

Bogaard, Bill

From: Jeanne Schneider [jschneider@pacificoaks.edu]
Sent: Tuesday, September 05, 2006 11:02 AM
To: Bogaard, Bill
Subject: Strip club on Walnut Street

I regularly patronize several businesses on Walnut Street, between Craig and Sierra Madre Blvd. I understand that the old Shakey's Pizza location may be developed as a strip club and also that the appropriate laws to protect residential neighborhoods from sex businesses may not be in place in Pasadena, which frankly astonishes me! If such a club were to be developed at that location, I believe I would cease to patronize businesses in that area – to call such a club a sleazy, seedy, crime magnet would be much too complimentary and frankly I would be inclined to avoid that area entirely. My biggest concern is for the residential community and especially the children living in the area. In this day and age of emphasis on family values and moral behavior it is entirely inappropriate to allow sex businesses in residential areas and I trust that the elected representatives of the people of Pasadena will step forward and do the responsible thing for the community. If sex businesses need exist at all, then they should be located in "war zones" for better control by the police department, not allowed to spread crime and blight wherever their predatory proprietors fancy. Thank you for your consideration.

Sherman

Jacobs, Belinda

From: Bogaard, Bill
Sent: Sunday, September 03, 2006 11:27 AM
To: Jacobs, Belinda
Subject: FW: Strip Club on Foothill Blvd.--Dict. Folder

From: Bernadette Sherman [mailto:bksherman@earthlink.net]
Sent: Sun 9/3/2006 11:18 AM
To: Bogaard, Bill
Subject: Strip Club on Foothill Blvd.

I am very upset to learn that there may be a strip club at 2180 E. Foothill Blvd. Please do whatever you can to prevent this from happening.

Bernadette Sherman

Bernadette Sherman
bksherman@earthlink.net
EarthLink Revolves Around You.

2180 Foothill

Bogaard, Bill

From: Sherri Solinger [solinger@mac.com]
Sent: Saturday, September 02, 2006 2:59 PM
To: Haderlein, Steve
Cc: Bogaard, Bill; Streator, Joyce; Valteau, Desireia
Subject: 2180 East Foothill Boulevard

Dear Mayor Bogaard and Council Members Haderlein & Streator-

As residents of Pasadena we are writing to let you know that we are absolutely opposed to the proposed opening of an adult entertainment club at 2180 East Foothill Boulevard. We take our dogs to Foothill Veterinary Hospital, buy pet supplies at I Dig My Dog, frequent In and Out Burger and service one of our cars at Honda of Pasadena. As we are both all about free enterprise, couldn't there be regulations as to where these clubs can be? Certainly residential neighborhoods and a streets lined with family businesses are not an appropriate.

We moved to Pasadena (to Joyce Streator's district) from Hollywood three and a half years ago so we could live in a nicer environment. Since we moved here we noticed our area getting significantly better, why on earth would you let take steps backward?

We give you our votes and our trust, in turn won't you give us a city that is safe, clean and a place we can be proud of? We trust that you will take care of your city, it's people and also in this case, it's pets.

Signed concerned citizens,

Rebecca Sommer and Sherri Solinger

Bogaard, Bill

DOCT.

2180 East

Foothill

Complaint

From: Trina [trina@foothillvet.com]
Sent: Tuesday, August 29, 2006 12:07 PM
To: Bogaard, Bill
Subject: Stop the Strip Club
Attachments: Stop the Strip Club short version.doc

Dear Mayor Bogaard,

I am sending the attached letter to voice our concern over the strip club purchase of 2180 East Foothill, Pasadena. This location is right next door to our veterinary hospital. Thank you for your time and attention, on behalf of the doctors and staff.

Sincerely,

Trina M. Sutton
Hospital Manager

Taktakian

Bogaard, Bill

From: Paul Little [plittle4pasadena@earthlink.net]
Sent: Monday, September 04, 2006 9:05 PM
To: Lilly Taktakian; Bogaard, Bill; Haderlein, Steve; Stone, Rhonda; Streator, Joyce; Valteau, Desireia; Little, Paul; Holden, Chris; Gordo, Victor; DeLaCuba, Vannia; Madison, Steve; Tyler, Sid; Miller, Denver; Jimenez, Jose; ck@cityofpasadena.net; Bruckner, Richard
Subject: Re: No Strip Club on Foothill Blvd.

Thank you for your e mail.

We are currently reviewing our adult business ordinances to ensure they meet legal requirements and provide every protection possible.

Paul Little

-----Original Message-----

>From: Lilly Taktakian <ltaktakian@sbcglobal.net>
>Sent: Sep 4, 2006 6:21 PM
>To: bbogaard@ci.pasadena.ca.us, shaderlein@cityofpasadena.net,
>rstone@cityofpasadena.net, jstreator@ci.pasadena.ca.us,
>dvalteau@cityofpasadena.net, plittle@ci.pasadena.ca.us,
>cholden@ci.pasadena.ca.us, vgordo@ci.pasadena.ca.us,
>vdelaCuba@ci.pasadena.ca.us, smadison@ci.pasadena.ca.us,
>styler@ci.pasadena.ca.us, dmiller@cityofpasadena.net,
>josejimenez@cityofpasadena.net, ck@cityofpasadena.net,
>rbruckner@cityofpasadena.net
>Subject: No Strip Club on Foothill Blvd.

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>I am adamantly against opening up a strip club to be built on the lot of the former Shakey's Pizza at 2180 East Foothill Boulevard in Pasadena, California.

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>We will continue to fight against this ludicrous decision on the part of Pasadena City.

>
>Lilly Taktakian

You are receiving a reply from this e mail address because my plittle@cityofpasadena.net e mail automatically forwards to this address for better monitoring of e mail and additional virus and spam blocker ability. I'm sorry of this causes any confusion.

If you prefer, you can e mail directly to this address with Pasadena city business.

Thomas

Jacobs, Belinda

From: Bogaard, Bill
Sent: Sunday, September 03, 2006 11:31 AM
To: Jacobs, Belinda
Subject: FW: NO STRIP CLUB!--Dict. Folder

From: C.T. [mailto:catsko@sbcglobal.net]
Sent: Sun 9/3/2006 9:02 AM
To: Bogaard, Bill
Subject: NO STRIP CLUB!

Please Mr. Mayor, this will increase crime in our city. Pasadena has more class than this and we have visitors from all over the globe, what a sty on our beautiful city if this happens,as a taxpayer and active voter do not want this!
Respectfully,
Cathy Thomas
catsko@sbcglobal.net

Rodriguez, Jane

From: Michael & Gerri Tyminski [mtyminski@socal.rr.com]
Sent: Thursday, September 07, 2006 9:45 PM
To: Burciaga-Ramos, Claudia; Rodriguez, Jane
Cc: Haderlein, Steve
Subject: Ordinance Governing Adult Businesses

Dear Planning Commission:

We were shocked and dismayed to learn that an "adult-oriented" club may be built at 2180 East Foothill Boulevard in Pasadena. We regularly visit several businesses in that area including the Foothill Veterinary Hospital; In-n-Out, and The Wine Grotto. This is a very safe area, and one that Pasadena should be proud of.

We are therefore opposed to the new club. This type of club is demeaning to people in generally and totally inappropriate for the area. There are children that regularly visit Foothill Veterinary Hospital and In-n-Out.

It should be emphasized that the Foothill Veterinary Hospital actively educates school children on the operations of a veterinary hospital. I have visited Foothill Veterinary Hospital many times with elementary aged students from the Arcadia Unified Schools and found their program invaluable. How can they continue this program with an "adult-oriented" club near-by?

Please review the zoning ordinance with careful consideration given to the adverse impact the proposed use has on the community, public safety and traffic.

***Regards,
Michael & Gerri Tyminski
2305 Ridgeway Road
San Marino, CA 91108
626-793-7001***

Ullman

2130 E. Foothill

Bogaard, Bill

From: david ullman [1deu@earthlink.net]
Sent: Saturday, September 02, 2006 6:29 PM
To: Bogaard, Bill; Stone, Rhonda; Streator, Joyce; Valteau, Desireia; Little, Paul; Holden, Chris; Gordo, Victor; DeLaCuba, Vannia; Madison, Steve; Tyler, Sid; Miller, Denver; Jimenez, Jose; ck@cityofpasadena.net; Bruckner, Richard
Subject: The Foothill Strip Club

Wait a minute, maybe I'm missing something. Let's see, our traffic is lousy and getting lousier, smog is increasing, the city is overbuilding, the costs/taxes have increased astonishingly, our police department is barely holding it's own...lets see. Got it...we need a sleaze zone.

A strip club next to the veterinary hospital ... down the street from Marie Calendar's ... and all the other local businesses and residences? You have got to be kidding! Allow this and you will allow a moronic mess to operate all day and all night long. And don't give me the stuff about regulations and all that. They operate one way or another 24/7.

I wonder if we'll ever see you stopping by for a cocktail or a beer after work. I think that's pretty doubtful. If it's not right for you, then why allow it in this area? And if there isn't an appropriate area in Pasadena then let'em go somewhere else.

But, y'know...this issue can't really be discussed in an email. How 'bout if we all meet down by LAX at the place with the big sign that says " NUDE GIRLS." If you'd like, I'll try to find a place that's closer. I know how you hate the traffic.

I'm by no means a puritan. But if there's one thing this town, this area does not need is a strip club! And I don't care about the "other guy's right to own one." Again: don't allow a strip club on Foothill Blvd. This town doesn't need the money. Or the seediness that will icertainly grow there.

David Ullman
807 South Orange Grove Blvd.

Unanue

2180 E. Foothill

Bogaard, Bill

From: Laura Unanue [unanue@mac.com]
Sent: Saturday, September 02, 2006 4:05 PM
To: Bogaard, Bill
Subject: Concerned re: 2180 E. Foothill plans to have Adult Oriented Club in our community

It has been brought to our attention that there are plans to put a sexually oriented club on 2180 E. Foothill Blvd. As a resident in this community, we strongly oppose such a plan. We completely understand that there needs to be a balance between commercial and residential communities. We ask for your leadership to work to have the City Council pass a zoning restriction to have a set back of 1000 ft from residential communities for such adult oriented establishments.

Thank you for your attention to our concerns, David & Laura Unanue
2301 E. Dudley
Pasadena, CA 91104

Laura Unanue
unanue@mac.com

Jacobs, Belinda

From: Bogaard, Bill
Sent: Tuesday, September 05, 2006 3:27 PM
To: Jacobs, Belinda
Subject: FW: strip club at the Shakey's Pizza site

From: Michelle Vruwink [mailto:michelle@arroyoresearchservices.com]
Sent: Tuesday, September 05, 2006 7:58 AM
To: Bogaard, Bill
Subject: strip club at the Shakey's Pizza site

Dear Mr Mayor:

I am writing to request that you oppose the proposed strip club at the old Shakey's Pizza place. My family frequents this neighborhood when we take our pets to the vet and our kids to In-n-Out burgers. My kids (daughter age 2 and son age 7) don't need to be exposed to an "adult" business during the course of normal family activities. I also request that you work to mandate a setback of 1000 feet from any residence for businesses of this sort.

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Michelle Vruwink
858 Adelaide Drive
Pasadena

Walker

2180

Bogaard, Bill

From: Vivian Walker [vivr@sbcglobal.net]
Sent: Sunday, September 03, 2006 2:07 PM
To: Bogaard, Bill
Subject: Proposed Strip Club

I am very distressed that the city council would allow an adult theme business (proposed strip club on Foothill Blvd.) within our city limits. This is not why I choose to reside in our great city.

Pasadena is recognized as a premiere city in which to reside and conduct business. Now you want to cheapen and degrade our fair city, with a strip club close to family neighborhoods and other legitimate businesses.

I find it unconscionable that you and the other city council members would permit this business to go forward. I have spoken to many of my neighbors and they to are also appalled at this potential turn of events.

As a resident and voter, this is not what I expect from our city council.

Vivian Walker
Pasadena, CA

Westphal

Bogaard, Bill

2150

From: Lynne Westphal [lynne@westphalfamily.com]
Sent: Sunday, September 03, 2006 2:35 PM
To: Bogaard, Bill
Subject: Strip club-NO!!

Dear Mayor Bogaard,

It is my understanding that at the old Shakey's Pizza on Foothill the new owner would like to open some type of strip club. Let's keep all strip/gentlemen's clubs out of Pasadena. Let us all stand for the hard right against the easy wrong...We need bring back morality for our children.

Thank you.

Lynne Westphal
3448 Holly Slope Road
Altadena, CA 91001

Bogaard, Bill

2, 80 E. Foothill

From: Woodyard, Stephanie [Stephanie.Woodyard@pamc.net]

Sent: Wednesday, September 06, 2006 4:20 PM

To: Bogaard, Bill

Subject: strip club on foothill blvd

Please do not vote in favor of the strip club. The Foothill Veterinary is a family business and a strip club has no business being next to it.

Thank you,

Sincerely,

**Stephanie Woodyard
736 Magnolia Blvd
Pasadena, CA 91106**