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Mayor, City of Pasadena
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Re: Utility Advisory Commission Resignation

Dear Bill,

This letter is to notify you of my intentions to resign my position as Chair / Commissioner on the Utility Advisory Commission effective at the close of the June 8th, 2005 Meeting. On that day, I will have completed my role in the position of Chairman, and a new Chairman will have been elected.

I want to thank you for the opportunity to have served the city for the many years that I have been a Commissioner, Vice Chair, and finally Chairman of the UAC. It has been an educational experience on the subject of the complexities and challenges of operating the Pasadena Department of Water and Power. I have the utmost respect for the staff and the General Manager, and my compliments go out to them on their progress with the operation.

As we have discussed recently, my commitment to my job with the Walt Disney Company continues to grow, and as does my commitment to my family and the Tournament of Roses. I realize that I must cut back some of my obligations so that I may better provide utmost quality of service to my commitments. Sadly, the UAC is one of the areas that I must curtail.

I believe that my time with the UAC has been valuable and productive. I hope that in the future, as time permits, I may speak with you about other potential opportunities to serve the City of Pasadena. Thank you again for this great opportunity!

Sincerely,


Jody D. Gerstner
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Pasadena, CA 91106

Cc: City Clerk
Phyllis Currie, PWP

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