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Sent:

Sunday, March 01, 2015 8:30 AM

To:

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Cc:

Bogaard, Bill; Robinson, Jacque; McAustin, Margaret; John Kennedy; Sullivan, Noreen;

Gordo, Victor; Madison, Steve; Tornek, Terry

Subject:

Mar-02 Council Mtg > Support Open Streets Event (Item #1 - Consent Calendar)

Dear Mayor Bogaard and Pasadena City Councilmembers -

Please register my strong personal support for the "Open Streets Event" under consideration for May 31. This opportunity provides Pasadena with a great way to activate our public spaces, support healthy transportation alternatives and basically have a heck of a lot of fun on car-free streets!

Thank you – // Greg Gunther

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McAustin, Margaret; Kennedy, John; Gordo, Victor; De La Cuba, Vannia; Masuda, Gene

Subject:

3/2/15 Public Comment - Support for Smoke-Free Libraries, 5/31 Open Streets Event

Good morning Mayor Bogaard, Pasadena City Council Members and City staff,

As I will be unable to attend this evening's Council Meeting, I would just like to submit a quick email of support for the following 2 items:

- 1) Smoke Free Libraries The proposed amendment to the City's existing policy is straightforward and sensible.
- **2) Open Streets** The proposed event would be a wonderful, FREE opportunity for the community to experience downtown Pasadena in a healthy, active and novel manner.

I strongly encourage City staff to get the word out about this event as soon as possible so local residents can "Save the Date", as well as directly engage local community groups and non-profits to help ensure it is a success and showcases Pasadena's cultural and arts diversity.

Unfortunately many residents and groups were unaware of last year's "Walk, Ride and Stroll", a similar event that sadly suffered from low attendance. With the proposed event less than 3 months away time is of the essence!

Thank you for your time and have a wonderful week,

-Wes

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Subject:

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Dear Mayor Bogaard and City Council Members -

I would like to express my support for the "Open Streets Event" on May 31 as recommended for City Council approval at its meeting of March 2nd. This event is an important way that our public streets can serve more than one form of transportation and fulfill one of our General Plan's long-standing goals: "Pasadena will be a city where people can circulate without cars."

I hope that there will be a robust local outreach to local businesses and the community before the event happens.

Thank you for your consideration.

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