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Good afternoon. My name is Melanie Malloy & I am a loyal citizen of Uptown Whittier. It was brought to my attention that the Promenade is only approved for use through October 25th. I know during these crazy times we had all hoped to be back to business as usual, but due to COVID-19 that just isn't the case. This is why I am writing you to encourage the city and council to extend the approved street closure. The sales tax revenue is something I'd think this city needs to continue getting in order to keep our local economy thriving. Without the outdoor dining areas, most restaurants will be forced to close once again, and this I fear could mean we lose some of these family businesses forever. I would very much approve of keeping the Promenade permanent. The city and businesses could benefit from keeping it not just for COVID-19, but to encourage more sales and employment opportunities once we get out of the pandemic. I support our families at these uptown businesses, & I hope you will consider supporting them as well.

Sincerely,
Melanie Malloy - Loyal Uptown Resident

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