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To Whom It May Concern:

I would like to express my support for the Greenleaf Promenade. I'm a relatively new resident to Whittier, and am proud to call this town home. I've particularly always enjoyed Uptown Whittier and am excited for the potential in this beautiful tree-lined historic area. As cities across America are quickly urbanizing and drawing more attention away from the suburban mall to walkable city centers, Whittier is truly blessed to have the perfect area to realize this goal. A benefit many cities in L.A. and Orange County don't get to enjoy.

I think the Greenleaf Promenade has so far been a great success. Driving around the area, we've really enjoyed such a lively scene on Greenleaf as well as adjacent streets. It's unfortunate that this is happening as a response to a pandemic, but the silver lining is that it has pushed businesses to think outside the box and work to create an exciting new environment. With the Metro E Line extension coming in the future, and the amount of development bringing new residents to Whittier, I think Uptown can enjoy a lot of new success.

I, for one, look forward to spending more time and money here in Whittier, and to also invite my friends from elsewhere in Los Angeles to show off our home and it's great business community. Please consider keeping the Greenleaf Promenade as a permanent fixture in Uptown.

Thank you.

Best Regards,

Abraham Calderon

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