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June 22, 2012

Mr. Alam Choudhury
City of Los Angeles
Office of Zoning Administration
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RE: Case # ZA 2011-1734

Dear Mr. Choudhury:

At the Porter Ranch Neighborhood Council (PRNC) meeting on Tuesday, November 1, 2011, the PRNC Board passed a motion in opposition to the Wal-Mart Case # ZA 2011-1734; Conditional Use Permit / Alcohol (CUP) permit application for the sale at its Porter Ranch store of beer, wine, and spirits for off-site consumption.

Following the meeting the PRNC Board decided to reconsider the vote at a future meeting. Because of the hurried way that the motion was passed, it was concluded that more community input and discussions were needed.

At the PRNC monthly meeting on May 1, 2012 the Board and Porter Ranch stakeholders discussed the Wal-Mart permit application again. The Board voted unanimously to overturn its original opposition and to support Wal-Mart's application (see PRNC minutes at http://www.prnc.org/board_minutes/2012-0501.pdf):

"MOTION (by Mr. Pope, seconded by Mr. Rippey): The Porter Ranch Neighborhood Council supports Wal-Mart's application to the City Office of Zoning Administration (ZA) for a Conditional Use Permit to sell a full line of alcohol with refrigeration at Wal-Mart #2526 at 19821 Rinaldi Ave, Porter Ranch.

MOTION PASSED unanimously by a hand vote."

Again, the PRNC Board supports Wal-Mart's Conditional Use Permit / Alcohol (CUP) permit application for the Porter Ranch store. Please let me know if you need more information.

Sincerely,

Mel Mitchell President

Porter Ranch Neighborhood Council