

Please submit my e-mail to Motion 11-2057 as a public comment

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I strongly oppose to this community being renamed "Rosehills".

I have been a member of this community for over thirty years. I even purchased a home on the same street so I grew up on because I love my community of El Sereno. I attended Huntington Drive Elementary, El Sereno Junior High and Woodrow Wilson High School all of which are in El Sereno.

The Name Rosehill is part of the park which is across the street from my parish. I do not agree with our Pastor and school Principle of Our Lady of Guadalupe-Rosehill. There are two reasons Rosehill is attached to our parish name. One is that it once stood where Rosehill Park now resides and secondly to distinguishs it among the many other parishes by the same name, for example Our Lady of Guadalupe-Hammel is named Hammel for one of its cross streets. It is not named for the community for which it resides in.

Yes we have a great history and we should all be proud of it, but in order for that to happen it needs be shared with everyone and not a select few.

I request that if Mr. Manzano wishes to pursue this issue, community meetings should be called to address this and sufficient justification should be given. Secondly new updated signatures need to be collected. The signatures collected do not adequately reflect representation of my street or our community. One of the address listed is Olympic Blvd that is no where near this community. One signature from one resident on Amber is not a fair representative of all of the homeowners who own and have lived on this street for over thirty years, I am one of those owners.

This matter needs further consideration before any decision should be made.

Respectively submitted,

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