Dear Adam,

I am writing to beg plead and politely ask that you support our natural habitat that already struggles to survive in the ever diminishing native environment.

It is a well known fact that there is a natural food chain where predators like the, Mountain Lion, Bob Cat, Coyote, Hawks and Owls feed off smaller rodents like, Squirrels, Golfers and Rats.

When residents and the city resort to poison as a means to control the unwanted pests of Rats this directly impacts the other wildlife of which are becoming or are on the endangered species list as they eat poisoned food.

There are many alternative ways to control pest like rats, as I know first hand.

- 1. There are at least 3 effective traps readily available at hardware stores
- 2. Get a cat
- 3. Do not leave food sources out that attract these pests
- 4. Detouring scents can be placed around a perimeter

Poison is an irresponsible choice and should be banned from use.

Please support Los Angeles wildlife!

Thank you, Sheinina West