

3 years later.

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Dear L.A. City Council Members

I first wrote to you nearly 3 years ago concerning Billy the Elephant. But what is 3 years to the 30 years he has spent locked in a cramped cage?

You may think everyone who is writing to you regarding this matter is some sort of bleeding heart, but who here would trade places with him?

Billy the elephant has lived at the Los Angeles Zoo for nearly 30 years, since he was taken as a youngster from his natural environment in Malaysia. For most of this time, he has endured living all by himself in an extremely tiny enclosure. As a result, he has displayed significant signs of stress, such as swaying and rocking side to side and head-bobbing due to frustration, boredom and possibly depression.

What has this elephant done to deserve being locked in a cramped lonely cage for 30 years?

Please do right thing and see that he is sent to a good elephant sanctuary.

Thank you for your time.

Rupert Veitch
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Please support Motion #17-0453 for Billy the elephant to be released to a sanctuary

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Dear Council Members,

Please support #17-0453 and release this poor elephant to a sanctuary.

Thank you!

Best Regards,
Andrea Buzyn (former California resident)

I SUPPORT MOTION #17-0453

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Please support MOTION#17-0453 to free BILLY the Elephant from the L.A. Zoo, this animal needs to be released to a sanctuary

I support this motion and pleas with you all to do the same.

Thank you

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