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Ms. Lo Gadeyne Avenue du Condor 12 Bxl 1080 laga2828@hotmail.com

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Ms. susana lee jeffree cb leather collection, c006 first floor financial park compl labuan f.t 87000 notokay89@yahoo.com

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Animal rights.

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Ms. Jennifer Russell Esselmont Avenue Durban 4001 jennyrussell@absamail.co.za

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From: Dee White <info@care2.com> To: Michael Espinosa <michael.espinosa@lacity.org> At: Sat, Oct 13, 2018 at 8:48 AM

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From: Kara Sprague <info@care2.com> To: Michael Espinosa <michael.espinosa@lacity.org> At: Sat, Oct 13, 2018 at 9:18 AM

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Ms. Kara Sprague 327 Roosa Gap Rd Bloomingburg, NY 12721-4807 (845) 294-7116 karaellen85@gmail.com

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From: Tiffanie Long <info@care2.com> To: Michael Espinosa <michael.espinosa@lacity.org> At: Sat, Oct 13, 2018 at 1:49 PM

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Ms. Tiffanie Long 5809 Baldwin Ave # 3/4

Temple City, CA 91780-2219 (626) 241-3856 tiffanieholder@hotmail.com

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Ms. Pamela Hopkins 1 Valle Vis Carmel Valley, CA 93924-9615 (831) 659-2086 hopa_mom@yahoo.com

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the planet and eco system they should be protected, loved from a far and treated with upmost respect. Please help.

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Sincerely,

Ms. Yvonne Ybarra 6931 E Avenida De Santiago Anaheim, CA 92807-5103 (714) 281-7793 yvonneybarra@mac.com

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Would you like to be locked in a cage for most of your life? Individuals who do that to other individuals get sent away to jail for along time so why is this "right"? Please free Billy and send him to an elephant sanctuary.

Sincerely,

Ms. Clarissa Ayala 1630 Orchard Dr Placentia, CA 92870-7430 ceemarie011@gmail.com

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From: John Barragan <info@care2.com> To: Michael Espinosa <michael.espinosa@lacity.org> At: Sun, Oct 14, 2018 at 11:34 PM

Oct 15, 2018

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Modesto, CA 95351 49ers182@sbcglobal.net

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From: Laura Ruezga <info@care2.com> To: Michael Espinosa <michael.espinosa@lacity.org> At: Mon, Oct 15, 2018 at 12:34 AM

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This new "state-of-the-art" elephant exhibit is not at all what the L.A. Zoo promised it would be. It seems to me that the new exhibit was built more to impress paying visitors than to meet Billy's needs. I feel betrayed and lied to by the Los Angeles Zoo, and I'm still very much concerned about the fate of Billy.

Please free Billy and send him to an elephant sanctuary.

Sincerely,

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