RESOLUTION FOR TEMPORARY CLOSURE OF A ALLEY (California State Vehicle Code Section 21102.1)

The Council of the City of Los Angeles hereby finds and determines that the Pedestrian Mall (Alley) northerly of Selma avenue and easterly of Cahuenga Boulevard should be temporarily closed between the hours of 2:30 AM and 8:00 AM due to serious and continuing criminal activities as determined and recommended by the Police Department; and

That there is substantial evidence of serious and continual criminal activities in the alleys recommended for temporary closure; and

That the temporary closure of the alleys will help reduce the criminal activities and for the protection or preservation of the public peace, health, or welfare; and

That the temporary closure of the alleys will not substantially adversely affect traffic flow, safety on the adjacent streets or in the surrounding neighborhoods, the operation of emergency vehicles and performance of municipal and public utility services in the area proposed to be temporarily closed; and

That the vehicular or pedestrian traffic in the alleys contributes to the criminal activities; and

That the alleys have not been designated as a through highway or arterial street; and

The Council of the City of Los Angeles hereby finds and determines that the Pedestrian Mall (Alley) northerly of Selma Avenue and easterly of Cahuenga Boulevard as shown on attached "Exhibit A" is unnecessary to remain open for pedestrians and vehicular traffic.

The City Council hereby elects to proceed under the above captioned provision of the said Code Section; and hereby resolves that the said alleys be and the same are temporarily closed; subject to the following conditions:

- 1. That any gates to be installed to effectuate a physical closure of the alley area together with the gate locations be approved by the Fire Department, the Department of Water and Power, the Department of Transportation and the Bureau of Sanitation's Wastewater Collection Systems Division and be done under appropriate Revocable and construction Permits issued by the City Engineer and be installed at no cost to the City.
- 2. That the keys to any gates to be installed be provided to all affected City Departments and Public Utility Companies.

- 3. That the routine clean-up of the closed area be provided by the adjoining property owners/residents.
- 4. That the closed area be physically closed within 6 months of Council approval of the temporary closure or the approval be rescinded.
- 5. That the petitioners agree to remove the gates/fences upon termination of the allowed closure period at no cost to the City.
- 6. That appropriate signs giving notice of the access restriction are posted at every entrance to the alley.
- 7. That between the hours of 2:30 AM and 8:00 AM, no member of the public shall have access to the alley.
- 8. That within three months of the City Council action in granting approval of the temporary closure of the alley, suitable evidence be submitted to the City Engineer showing that an application to initiate the vacation proceedings of this alley in question has been submitted.

The particular portion of the public alleys which are to be temporarily closed is described herein as follows:

The Pedestrian Mall (Alley) northerly of Selma Avenue and easterly of Cahuenga Boulevard

The City Clerk shall certify this resolution and affix the City seal, and shall transmit a sealed copy of this resolution to the City Engineer.

IT IS THEREFORE RESOLVED, that the alley area described hereinabove and shown on attached "Exhibit A" is closed between the hours of 2:30 AM and 8:00.

I certify that the foregoing resolution	n was adopted by the Council of the City of
Los Angeles at its meeting of	by a majority vote of all its
members.	

HOLLY L. WOLCOTT, City Clerk
BY Deputy

Approved as to Form and Legality Michael N. Feuer, City Attorney	
BY J-7WAL	6/26/19 Date
Deputy	Date
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