

December 5, 2018

Monica Rodriguez
Councilperson, 7th District
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Sylmar, CA 91342

Dear Ms. Rodriguez:

I came home yesterday to find this business card at my front gate located on Maclay Street near Sharp Street.

I am aware that there will be work completed on the walk way behind my property. The walkway is city and county jurisdiction; thus, I feel that I do not need to be involved in any decisions made by government. I am not in objection to the work that will be completed and received the letters and maps sent by the city and that there was a vote to approve the work. I am also aware that work completed by city employees or contracted vendors do not start timely and completion is pending upon and is often deferred to county guidelines and inspection.

Many people who live in the neighborhood use the walkway to traverse between McNeil and San Fernando Mission. Last year, there were some homeless people who lived in the walkway and when it started raining, they moved away.

I don't like sending letters of this type, but once I saw the business card, I felt that I should address the matter with your office. Perhaps there was an error in judgement. Please know that I found that action to be unprofessional.

If there is any future communication to me regarding the proposed work on the walkway, please mail it to my post office box address below on official letter head. I will not be calling your office as I work full time and am in meetings through the day.

Thank you for allowing me the vent my frustration by sending you this letter. May you have a Happy Holiday.

With Warm Regards

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