

ACCELERATED REVIEW PROCESS - E

Office of the City Engineer

Los Angeles California

To the Honorable Council

Of the City of Los Angeles

Honorable Members:

SEP 24 2013

C. D. No. 13

SUBJECT:

Hollywood Boulevard and Vine Street - Walk of Fame Additional Name in Terrazzo Sidewalk –
JANE'S ADDICTION

RECOMMENDATIONS:

- A. That the City Council, designate Location No. 90c as shown on Sheet13 of Plan D-13788 for the Hollywood Walk of Fame for the installation of the name of Jane's Addiction at 6436 Hollywood Boulevard.
- B. Inform the Hollywood Chamber of Commerce of the Council's action on this matter.
- C. That this report be adopted prior to the date of the ceremony on October 30, 2013.

FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT:

No General Fund Impact. All cost paid by permittee.

TRANSMITTALS:

- 1. Unnumbered communication dated September 18, 2013, from the Hollywood Historic Trust of the Hollywood Chamber of Commerce, biographical information and excerpts from the minutes of the Chamber's meeting with recommendations.

DISCUSSION:

The Walk of Fame Committee of the Hollywood Chamber of Commerce has submitted a request for insertion into the Hollywood Walk of Fame the name of Jane's Addiction. The ceremony is scheduled for Wednesday, October 30, 2013 at 11:30 a.m.

The communicant's request is in accordance with City Council action of October 18, 1978, under Council File No. 78-3949. Following the Council's action of approval, and upon proper application and payment of the required fee, an installation permit can be secured at 201 N. Figueroa Street 3rd Floor, Counter 23.

Respectfully submitted,



for

Lemuel M. Paco, P.E.
Central District Engineer
Bureau of Engineering

pkt:wof.01
(213) 482-7030

cc: Construction Services Center, Counter 23
Bureau of Street Services
Administration

HOLLYWOOD
WALK OF FAME

September 18, 2013

Mr. Gary Lee Moore
Public Works Engineering
Att: Lemuel Paco
201 N. Figueroa St. 3rd Floor, M.S. 503
Los Angeles, CA 90012
Fax 213 482-7007

Dear Mr. Moore:

The Walk of Fame Committee of the Hollywood Chamber of Commerce has approved the below listed name for insertion into the Hollywood Walk of Fame:

JANE'S ADDICTION (Category--RECORDING)- Requested star location to be 6436 Hollywood Blvd. south side of the street. The star **JANE'S ADDICTION** will be situated between the stars of **LUCILLE BALL (90C)**, to the west and **BEN ALEXANDER (89c)** to the east. **JANE'S ADDICTION'S STAR FACES WEST.** The star will be in front of the Playmates Store. According to sheet #13 plan 13788, **JANE'S ADDICTION's** star is numbered 90c. The dedication ceremony is scheduled for Wednesday, October 30, 2013 at 11:30 a.m.

Thank you for your cooperation in this request. I look forward to a response from your office soon. If you have questions call me at (323) 468-1376.

The following materials are enclosed: **JANE'S ADDICTION's** bio and Board of Director's Minutes.

Sincerely,


Ana Martinez
Vice President, Media Relations/ Producer
Hollywood Walk of Fame

cc:

Mayor Eric Garcetti
Councilman Mitch O'Farrell
William Ayala
Sgt. Lamont Jerrett
Inspector Andrews

Darin Cohen
Ralph Pipes
Leron Gubler
Top End Constructors

Carmine Goglia
Melissa Mondello
Peter Katsis

Martinez, Ana

Subject: FW: LOCATION

From: Mondello, Melissa [mailto:MMondello@prospectpk.com]
Sent: Wednesday, September 18, 2013 10:20 AM
To: Martinez, Ana
Subject: RE: LOCATION

It's just a spot on Hollywood Blvd they like. Being from LA they were particular :)

Also, here is the information on the band plus some of their charity involvement.

Charities: Music Cares, Music Education, Los Angeles Youth Network, Grammy Foundation, Until There's A Cure, PETA, Stand Up for SkateParks (Tony Hawk Foundation), Guitar Center On-Stage Program, Global Cool

Jane's Addiction is an American rock band formed in Los Angeles, California in 1985. Creator and singer Perry Farrell first found bassist Eric Avery, who then brought on drummer Stephen Perkins and finally guitars Dave Navarro, after auditioning many players. Jane's Addiction became a sensation on the Los Angeles club scene, a staple on the Sunset Strip.

The band's original line-up featured Perry Farrell (vocals), Dave Navarro (guitar), Eric Avery (bass) and Stephen Perkins (drums). Jane's Addiction was one of the first bands to emerge from the early 1990s alternative rock movement to gain mainstream media attention and commercial success in the United States. They received *Nothing's Shocking* in 1988 (celebrating 25 years in 2013!) and *Ritual De Lo Habitual* in 1990, both on Warner Brothers Records.

Jane's Addiction broke up in 1991 and their farewell tour launched the first Lollapalooza festival, an alternative rock showcase. As a result, Jane's Addiction became icons of what is dubbed the "Alternative Nation."

In 1997 Jane's Addiction reunited briefly with Red Hot Chili Pepper's bassist Flea filling in for Avery. Then in 2001 the band reconnected with Chris Chaney on bass and released the album *Strays*, produced by legend Bob Ezrin. "Superhero" from this album became the theme song for HBO's hit show *Entourage*.

Avery returned in 2008 for the NIN/JA Festival, co-headlining with fellow Rock Gods Nine Inch Nails. He then left again in 2010.

Chris Chaney, the band's current bass player, returned to the group in 2010. JA released the 4th studio album, *The Great Escape Artist*, and toured the world.

Jane's Addiction is regarded as one of the most influential acts in alternative music. Tom Morello of Rage Against the Machine compared the influence of the band to those of Nirvana. The artists influenced by Jane's Addiction include Tool, Korn, The Smashing Pumpkins, Candlebox, P.O.D., Incubus, Rage Against the Machine... to name a few.

Studio albums

- *Nothing's Shocking* (1988)
- *Ritual de lo habitual* (1990)
- *Strays* (2003)
- *The Great Escape Artist* (2011)

Hollywood Chamber of Commerce
BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

Wednesday, June 20, 2012

Board Members Attending: Chris Barton, Chair; Abou-Daoud; Assil; Cochran; Chong; Conti; Dadigan;; Folb; Gallogly; Gargano; Goldman; Gonzales; Goodwin; Kalantari; Keyser; Koretz; Lindgren; Marlis; McNulty; Moe; Rheinstein; Savage; Shelton; Stephan; Zarrinam;

Board Member Absent: Druyen; Gorelick; D. Green, H. Green; Hart; Mann; Massie; Ouri; Rembis; Saavedra; See; Smith; Sundher

Honorary Board Members Present: Arisianian; Diehl, Farrar, MacJennett; Morrison

Staff Present: Gubler; Martinez, Shahenian

D) Call to Order

The Meeting was called to order at 4:08 pm.

VI) 2013 Walk of Fame Selections

Martinez discussed the Walk of Fame Committee report. The slate of honorees as selected by the Walk of Fame committee for year 2013 are:

MOTION PICTURES: Rick Baker, Javier Bardem, Viola Davis, James Franco
Ron Howard and Helen Mirren

TELEVISION: Simon Baker, Bryan Cranston, Ellen DeGeneres, Jane Lynch, Katey Sagal and
Matthew Perry

RECORDING: The Back Street Boys, Jennifer Hudson, Jane's Addiction, Janis Joplin
(Posthumous), New Kids on the Block, Usher Raymond IV, Thalia and Luther Vandross
(Posthumous)

LIVE THEATRE/PERFORMANCE: Olympia Dukakis and Penn & Teller

RADIO: Steve Harvey and "Shot Gun" Tom Kelly

Motion by Goldman, seconded by Gallogly to approve the 2013 Walk of Fame honorees as provided by the Walk of Fame Committee.

Motion carried.

XV) Adjournment

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 5:35 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,



Nicole Shehenian

July 12, 2012