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NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL ELECTION CHALLENGE RESOLUTION

April 14, 2014

Dear Ms. Sim:

On April 8, 2014 you submitted a challenge for the Wilshire Center-Koreatown Neighborhood Council election, addressing concerns regarding Ballots and Electioneering by Candidates.

After thorough review, it has been determined that your challenge does not qualify as a valid challenge.

The decision to require documentation from the voters was made by the Neighborhood Council and is specified in the bylaws. (ARTICLE X ELECTIONS, Section 4: Method of Verifying Stakeholder Status – Voters will verify their Stakeholder status by providing acceptable documentation)

The deadline for providing documentation for Provisional Ballots is three calendar days but those who were told three business days were given three business days.

Candidates within the polls were monitored and electioneering was addressed, voters without documentation were given Provisional Ballots which were counted when documentation was provided.

Thank you for your commitment to the integrity of the Neighborhood Council electoral process.

Sincerely,

Neighborhood Council Elections Administration  
Department of Neighborhood Empowerment

Cc: Terrence Gomes, Independent Election Administrator  
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