



# Beachwood Canyon Neighborhood Association

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Cultural Heritage Commission  
200 N. Spring Street  
Los Angeles, CA 90012

Re: Griffith Park, 4730 Crystal Springs Drive; 3201/3210/3401 Riverside Drive; 2715 Vermont Avenue; 5333 Zoo Drive, CD 4, CHC-2008-2724-HCM  
Determination of Monument Status

Dear Commission,

The Beachwood Canyon Neighborhood Association has taken a support position regarding the application to declare Griffith Park an Historic Monument. Our community is surrounded on most sides by Griffith Park and we share the opinion of the majority of our canyon neighbors that this jewel deserves to be declared Historic. We are not against growth and development overall, however, we feel that changes to this valuable Los Angeles asset need to be closely scrutinized. We feel that Historic designation will add a greater level of transparency to all potential development and growth that may arise in the future. We welcome the opportunity to participate in decisions regarding changes to Griffith Park. At the same time, understand that we see Griffith Park in its entirety as something to be protected and preserved for generations to come.

Very sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Fran Reichenbach". The signature is fluid and cursive.

Fran Reichenbach, Secretary and founder