From: "Alix Traver" [ATRAVER@UCES.CSULB.EDU] Sent: 09/23/2008 01:34 PM MST To: <district3@longbeach.gov> Cc: <the\_gaslamp@hotmail.com>; <cityclerk@longbeach.gov> Subject: The Gaslamp

Dear Councilman DeLong: My name is Alix Traver and I live on Mariquita Stress in Long Beach. I want to encourage you to support the Gaslamp in their bid to continue their dancing license. The owners, Alicia and Jennifer, are wonderful and amazing women who not only run a successful business but also enthusiastically support our community. One of their "pet projects" has been to feature a teacher or school on a specific night and then donate a portion of the night's receipts to them. My daughter is the math coach at Franklin Classical Middle School. The school was featured last Wednesday and there was a great turnout of friends and family that attended "their" night and helped to raise some much needed funds.

The Gaslamp is a great restaurant for families to gather, especially at the "big" table. It is a fun place for dancing and wine tasting and meeting friends. It is a fantastic venue to hold a special event. And along with all that, they are good citizens and earnestly involved in supporting our community.

Again, I enthusiastically support Alicia and Jennifer and the Gaslamp. I sincerely hope you will as well.

Alix Traver