CH-1 CORRESPONDENCE - Joe Jasper

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Sent: Thursday, June 26, 2014 9:19 AM

To: cityclerk

Cc: Sophia@4thstreetvine.com; Jim Ritson **Subject:** 4th Street Vine - Entertainment license

Dear 2nd District Council,

My name is Joel Jasper, Long Beach native, 4th street resident and local artist. I am writing you on behalf of the pending entertainment license for 4th Street Vine.

As long as I've lived in Long Beach, I've seen no other place like 4th Street Vine. I have known Jim and Sophia for multiple years and have nothing but love and respect for them both. 4th Street Vine is a place that harbors such a love and support for Long Beach artists, musicians, and community alike. A place where generational gaps are nonexistent. A place that on a daily basis facilitates the same diverse community of people that make all of us love living in long beach.

By granting 4th Street Vine an entertainment license, you would be allowing them the full potential to accommodate the needs of the overflowing art and music scene here in long beach. You would be giving the multitude of artists and musicians in the community and surrounding communities a comfortable place to congregate.

I see no place more deserving than 4th Street Vine for this sort of request. I believe that Jim and Sophia are responsible and caring and nothing but great things could come from it.

I am in full support of granting them this license as a resident of the community here on 4th street.

Thank you,

-Joel Jasper