

From: Joe joe@arclightprods.com
Subject: Re: Trash problem at 732 N. Highland
Date: October 20, 2014 at 11:35 AM
To: Steven Whiddon steven@mediadistrict.org

Thanks Steve,
Glad that he's getting care. And thanks for having the HBT look after our area!
Joe

On Oct 20, 2014, at 11:31 AM, Steven Whiddon wrote:

Herman & Courtney:

THANK YOU for following through with our request to offer services to Brian aka "Wolf". We are hopeful that with continued and consistent care and visits from both our security detail and PATH, we can make progress with Brian. It's nice to know he has people that care about him. I will pass along to our constituent, Arclight Productions the steps we have taken to help out. Regarding the trash problem, I will make sure the area is on the radar of Hollywood Beautificaion Team. If anyone on this email list sees the trash becoming an issue, please bring it to the attention of Los Angeles Beautification Team (LABT) Sharyn Ramano <hbteam@earthlink.net>.

Thanks in advance to everyone who is helping out!

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Date: October 15, 2014 at 5:36 AM
To: Steven Whiddon steven@mediadistrict.org

Good Morning sir,

I know that person personally, We have talk to him and try helping him. His real name is Brain. He is harmless and does move around, if PATH can talk to him that would be great, but we have also trying giving him information to assist him to have a place to sleep and eat. But he has refuse.... Just a FYI

On 10/14/2014 04:08 PM, Steven Whiddon wrote:

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To: Steven Whiddon steven@mediadistrict.org

Of course, you pick the one day that is packed! ☺ Can you do Tuesday 10/21 or 10/28?

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Great. Hope they can help him.
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On Oct 14, 2014, at 4:18 PM, Steven Whiddon wrote:

cool...she responded quickly to me. see below.

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I will keep you posted as the situation develops. Please know that I will use whatever tools we have available to us.

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Subject: Trash problem at 732 N. Highland
Date: October 8, 2014 at 8:17 PM
To: steven@mediadistrict.org

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