



IMPORTANT COMMUNICATION

DATE: June 9, 2020 TOPIC: Temporary Artwork Boards On Your Business Window Spaces.

Valued Businesses of La Mesa,

We are so blessed to have so many volunteers from all walks of life, races, and locations to continue to help beautify our La Mesa Business District with positive artwork on the temporary boards covering your window spaces. We all know there is much work to be done, and we appreciate you encouraging and allowing these art masterpieces that express EQUALITY, LOVE, PEACE, MEMORIALS, HOPE and more! These messages are just ONE WAY we can take the past event and continue turning it into something positive for years to come! The artworks are also bringing much needed business from other communities. We appreciate your patience during these times and want to assure you that we are all invested in making a closer community that commits to working together!

As a first request of you, a respected and appreciated business owner of La Mesa, we are asking that *after your art-boards and blank boards are removed*, that you provide them to us, assuming you do *not have uses for them* yourselves. We will pick them up and move the art-boards to a location at the Public Works Commercial Street Location, where they will be sealed and trimmed for future uses. *Blank boards* will go to La Mesa Lumber for repurposing. We and the community have *many* ideas on how to best use the art-boards. However, as we develop those ideas, we ask that *you help us in this way now, so we do not lose track of any of the purposeful and special art!* **Pick-up times** will be **MONDAY-FRIDAY 8am-1pm ONLY!** We do not remove them, we JUST pick them up.

Contact Us when you're ready for us to pick the boards up, ***whether painted or not!***

EMAIL: LaMesaStrong@gmail.com

CALL/TEXT: (619) 609-7669

FB MESSAGE: Through our [Facebook Page](#) Directly (*you must be a member, please join us!*)

La Mesa Strong Admin and Associates will then enter you into a spreadsheet for pick-up where we will keep a log of photos of the artwork, your business name/contact information, as well as date/time for pick-up. We will then also be able to tell you who will pick them up (many volunteers are ready!), and make sure you have their contact information so it will be clear what your scheduled time and date is.

Please Remember:

- 1. We do not remove them, we JUST pick them up. Ask whomever is removing them to use great care in making sure they are not damaged. Most are adhered with screws, but if there are nails, please have them use the proper methods that will ensure they are kept in the best shape possible. Please bag any screws and we can take them too.*
- 2. Write your Business name, your name, your email address and the best contact number LARGE on a piece of paper. It is very important that this is taped to the back of, at least one of the boards, as we want to keep track of that information for historical purposes. We are making history!*

Thank you so much for being a business that makes La Mesa Strong!

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