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Dear Angela Budde:

Would you see that this gets read in at the meeting as I will not attend, but would like for the Commissioners to hear this.

I want to SINCERELY THANK the Commissioners for all of their efforts in making this and all other city events, a cleaner, more environmentally friendly event. I have to say that last year for the first time; I did not see so much overflowing garbage. The cans were properly emptied during the event. There was also good preparation clean up for the event, i.e. pressure washing the walks and painting the curbs. However, what is still to be desired is **better after the event clean up**. The sidewalks and streets, after the event, need to be cleaned up again for residents. This was done, but not thoroughly. It needs to be done as thoroughly as it was done prior to the event. There was no pressure washing the grime/food after the event and there were lots of spilled food stains on the street and sidewalks and bones from food in the grass.

How do I know this you ask??? Not only did I see it, but I have a Beagle that I walk several times a day on this route and she finds it all. We, the residents would appreciate it greatly, if the after the event cleanup is done even more thoroughly than the before the event clean up. That means our sidewalks and streets need to be washed all along Petronia and even Thomas Streets (and other side streets, i.e. Chapman Lane, etc. at least 100yards on each side of Petronia St.

Thank you so much for your time and for making this event pleasant for the residents too.

Truly,

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