

Please do not destroy what has evolved over the last 50+ years – a community that is united, integrated, friendly, successful, and most of all sharing the concept of living in a community that excels for all. The concept of dividing UC right down the North/South middle (Genesee Ave) would undo all of the above civic activities that the people of this district have tried so hard to formulate and share with all who live, work, visit and worship here.

Think of what a N/S split would do to the organic makeup of UC

1. Split the school system in two
2. Take away the Standley Park planning, usage input, revenue, and camaraderie from a unified and shared entity into a competitive usage for 2 group which are used to sharing everything in the public domain.
3. Dividing and establishing a system of competition in the political realm for two groups which have more in common politically and socially than less. As a district, we are already losing our political power and input without this action which will denigrate it even more.
4. Dividing the district N/S would limit or eliminate the ability of East UC residents and businesses to have relevant input on many of the planned public actions on the dockets or anticipated in near future – e.g., Pure water, Governor Drive traffic controls, UCSD, Rose Canyon, Sprouts Center, Regents Road, UCSD - the list goes on. West UC would have similar limitation on east projects.

PLEASE RECONSIDER THE BIGGER PICTURE IN THIS ASSESSMENT. IT A PEOPLE ISSUE IN EVERY RESPECT!

Thank you for the opportunity to reply.

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