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Since the Promenade opened, my wife and I have eaten on the Promenade 3x more than before it existed. If it were a draw for crime or drunks, I'd agree with taking it down, but I don't think it's brought in those problems. Greenleaf is such a pretty street and the weather is great for dining outside. With the new (beautiful!) parking structure on the next block, I don't think parking is that big an issue.

Please ask the business owners what they'd prefer. I'm impressed that so many have stayed open and seem to be thriving. If they want to change back to indoor dining, follow their lead - but I hope the Promenade stays!

-Jeff Pulice

(Whittier resident for, wow, 20 years including the last 14 as a homeowner!)

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