

MAKING THE BANNER

materials:

canvas: 3 x 12 feet (Lincoln Fabric in Venice)
bleach (optional)
rit dye, magenta (one pkg)
masking or scotch tape
exacto knife
1-1/2 rolls removable clear shelf liner paper
ruffle... your imagination
grommet kit** (optional)
14" cable ties (need two for each grommet)
small pair scissors for removing ties (small scissors
are less threatening to the police.)

directions:

- 1) Cut the canvas to 3 x 12 feet (4 yards of 6 ft fabric makes two banners). Tearing works better than cutting.
- 2) Bleach, wash and then dye the canvas. Don't leave the fabric in the bath in too long. Dark pink is harder to read.
- 3) Print the sign out.* My printer only prints on up to 11 x 17" paper so I do it in sections and tape it together. Kinkos should be able to do the whole banner. Next, tape it down on removable clear shelf lining paper (sticky side down), cut around the letters (save the center of the P's, B's and O's) with an exacto blade and paste it down on the canvas. Paint the sign.
- 4) Once dry, remove the stencil and apply ruffle.
- 5) Attach the grommets**.

This banner takes a while so use a timeless message like 'Send Hitler Jr. one of his own torture chambers opening soon at a location near you'.

GIVE BUSH THE PINK SLIP!
pinkslipbush.org

* I can send you an eps image (can be blown up to any size without losing its crisp edge) if you would like to have an exact replica. Send a message to: lawomensvigil@comcast.net

** Depending upon the location you choose, you may not need the grommets. When the police come by, they will most likely instruct you on the law (no attaching banners). Explain that you just wanted to make sure the banner didn't fall onto the freeway. Engage them in a conversation as to why we're there. Police officers love to talk to protesters.

If the police arrive:

What you are doing is supported by both Federal and State law (see attached section from the Brown v. California Dept. of Transportation case, filed March 13th, 2003).

Be respectful, but unafraid. We pay the police to protect us. We are patriotic Americans giving up our free time to defend the Constitution, which is under attack by this band of corporate thugs who have been stealing our money to pay for their wars for profit, causing us to be hated around the world, and putting us in danger of further terrorist attack at home.

If the police order you to remove the attachments you must do so. The law says you are allowed to hold the banner with your hands. If they decide your banner is a traffic hazard, you will have to remove it. Try to negotiate, citing the huge billboard ads and use of cell phones by drivers.

Ask if it would be ok to stay a few minutes longer... just ten or fifteen minutes, and then do as they say. This way you maintain good rapport and they might even look the other way the next time they see you.

cannot enable one side of a debate to fight freestyle, while requiring the other to follow Marquis of Queensberry rules. *R.A.V. v. City of St. Paul*, 505 U.S. 377, 392 (1992). Moreover, the delay involved in obtaining advertising space deals the same blow as does the permit requirement. The loss of First Amendment freedoms, for even minimal periods of time, unquestionably constitutes irreparable injury. *Elrod v. Burns*, 427 U.S. 347, 373 (1976).

[13] Courtney and Brown have stated a colorable First Amendment claim and, thus, the risk of irreparable injury. *Sammartano*, 303 F.3d at 973. We are not persuaded that the injury is alleviated by the spurious claim of alternate avenues for communication of their dissenting views.

V. Conclusion

In the wake of terror, the message expressed by the flags flying on Californias highways has never held more meaning. America, shielded by her very freedom, can stand strong against regimes that dictate their citizenrys expression only by embracing her own sustaining liberty.

AFFIRMED and **REMANDED** for further proceedings.

BEEZER, Circuit Judge, concurring:

I concur in Parts I-IV of the opinion of the court, except for the first paragraph of Part I, the first sentence of the second paragraph of Part I, the sixth, seventh and eighth sentences of the third paragraph of Part IIIA and the last four sentences of the second paragraph of Part IIIB. I concur in the judgment of the court affirming and remanding for further proceedings.

FREEWAY MAPS, Los Angeles County



#1 - Los Angeles (Downtown)



**#2 - Thousand Oaks
Simi Valley
Malibu**



**#3 - San Fernando Valley
Hollywood/ Burbank
Beverly Hills/ W. Hollywood
Century City/Westwood**



**#4 - Glendale / Pasadena
Monterey Park / Rosemead
West Covina**



**#5 - Pomona
Ontario**



**#6 - San Bernardino
Redlands**



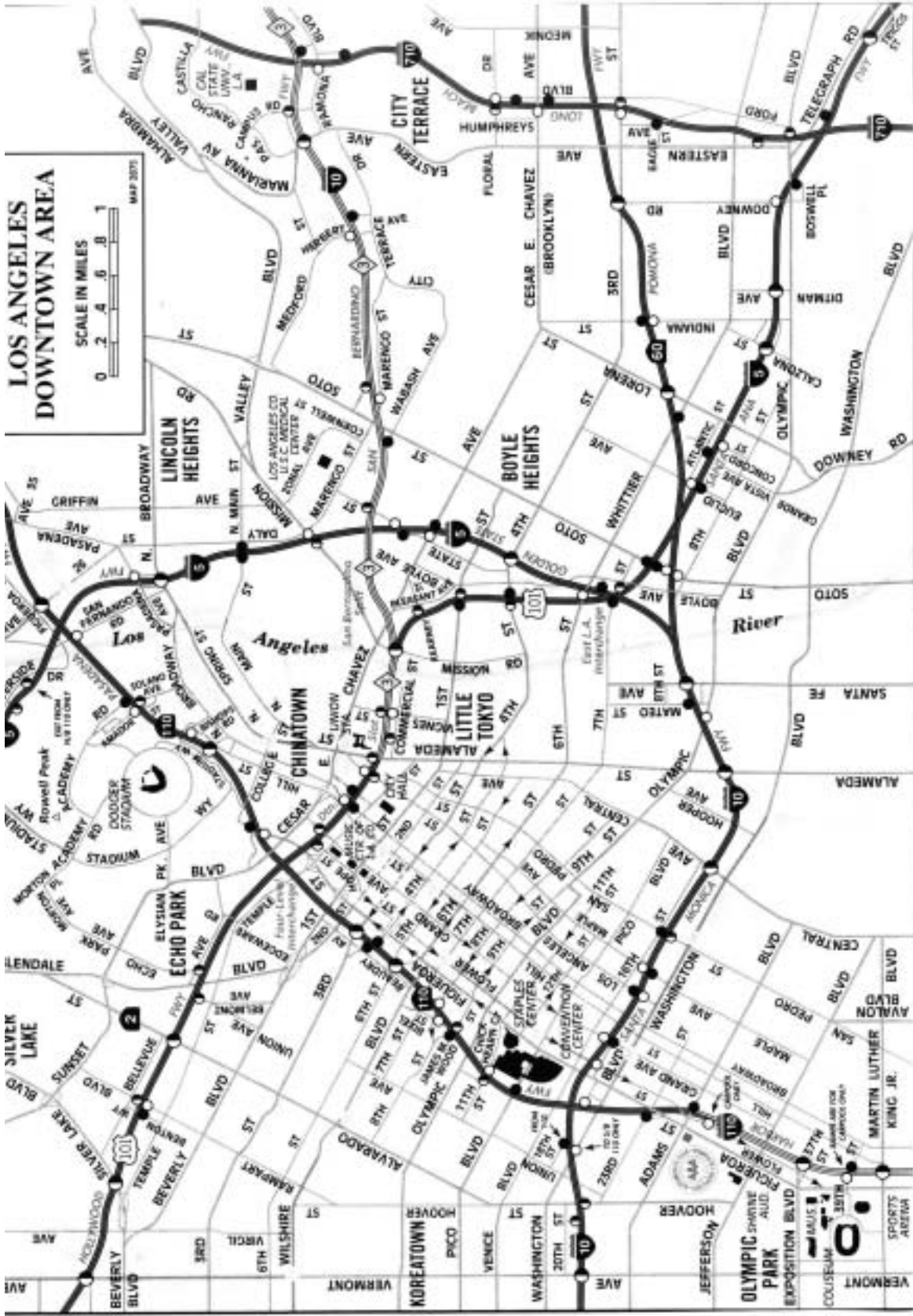
**#7 - Corona
Riverside**



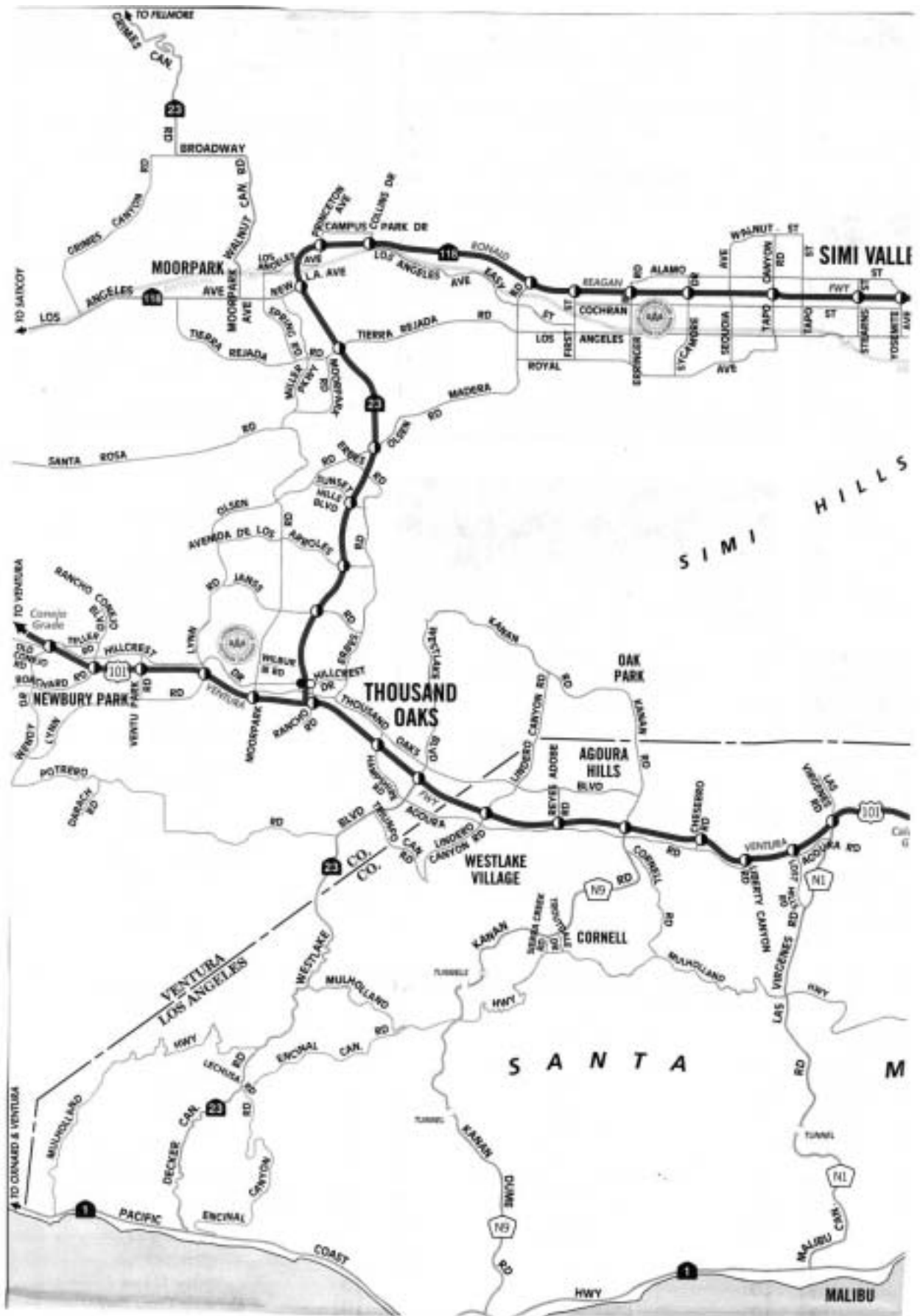
**#8 - Whittier
Fullerton
Anaheim
Orange**



**#9 - Compton
South Bay
Long Beach**



Area 1: Lots of good locations over the 101.





Area 3: 405 Freeway - Palms overpass at Sepulveda (monthly meetings)

Other possible locations:

1. 11th street and 20th st over 10 in Santa Monica
2. Pedestrian overpass over the 10 near Arlington exit.
3. Hollywood, where Fountain crosses the Hollywood Frwy
4. Where Wilton crosses the Hollywood Frwy

