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Bell Councilmember's Recall Petition Goals Almost Reached BASTA Leadership Invites Public and Media to Witness History and Take Part in the Signing of 4,000th Signature Live in Front of Bell City Hall

BASTA leadership is inviting Bell residents and members of the media to join them as they sign signature number 4,000. The 4,000th signature will mark the moment that BASTA organizers and Bell residents have achieved their goal of recalling disgraced councilmembers Hernandez, Artiga, Jacobo and Mirabal.

"We felt it was only fair to ask all Bell residents to join BASTA in the signing of the 4,000th recall signature. Based on our sampling 4,000 signatures assures that we will have enough signatures to qualify the recall. This is a great moment," said BASTA representative Violeta Alvarez.

BASTA will be joined by representatives from their coalition partners the Bell Police Officers' Association and AFSCME Council 36. BASTA leaders will also announce their **"Take Back Bell"** campaign, which will include the next steps in the recall campaign, their carefully considered process for endorsing candidates to replace current council members and other reform measures.

"We are proud of our efforts and all the hard work of the hundreds of volunteers that gathered signatures. We are also proud that organized labor and our police officers will be joining us as we take back our city and restore good governance," concluded BASTA representative Marcos Olivas.

4,000th Signature Event

Where: In front of Bell City Hall
When: TUESDAY, September 29
Time: 5:30 p.m.

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