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11/22/2020 21:59	Joseph Biden	<p>I can understand the sense of healing that might be created for the family of the people painted in the murals on 300 West. I do question how this is a good representation for the City? Criminals that were justifiably killed by police now have a mural to help us remember how good the actions of these people were for the community? Let us teach our children that they too can be remembered by committing acts of crime and putting police in a position to kill them. How is this not the politically motivated message that is being stated with these murals? I am not trying to be insensitive, but rather genuinely confused as to why these murals were put up and are now being protected by the city? Is the city stating that remembering criminals is more important than remembering true heroes of the community? Those that give donations, provide service, donate money, or volunteer countless hours helping those in need. Okay, so the city hates police and what they stand for? No? Then why not have a mural for all the fallen police officers around the state that have been murdered by people like these in the murals? The one guy that held his "friend" hostage with a knife back in July, let's ask his "friend" if we should have let his friend kill him so the cop wouldn't have had to shoot and kill. <b>*Continued 1/2*</b></p>

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	Joseph Biden	<p><b>*Continued 2/2*</b> How about the police officers that were put in the position to have to kill these people? What message is the city sending to their police force about how the city supports its officers? I'm sure they feel the love when they drive past a mural of the criminal they killed only to think "wow the city must value their life more than mine! Good thing I've sworn to protect this city!" The city should not get into the game of catering to the minority to appease a few while ignoring how the real message will be received. ?YES! Salt Lake City supports criminals hurt by police, stand with us to support our criminals! The mayor and city council need to take a long hard look at what they are supporting. Better yet mayor, let us pretend one of these criminals broke into your home and accidentally harmed one of your family members. Would you still support the political statement of these murals because it is the right thing to do?</p> <p>Hmmm?</p>