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Sent: Monday, March 8, 2021 10:44 AM
To: Agendadesk <Agendadesk@sanjoseca.gov>
Subject: Fw: Community members should govern the Google community fund

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From: Jacky Espinoza [REDACTED]
Sent: Friday, March 5, 2021 11:04 PM
To: The Office of Mayor Sam Liccardo <TheOfficeofMayorSamLiccardo@sanjoseca.gov>
Cc: City Clerk <city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov>; Walesh, Kim <Kim.Walesh@sanjoseca.gov>; Klein, Nanci <Nanci.Klein@sanjoseca.gov>
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From: Claudia Sandoval Ortiz <[REDACTED]>**Sent:** Monday, March 8, 2021 12:03 PM**To:** The Office of Mayor Sam Liccardo <TheOfficeofMayorSamLiccardo@sanjoseca.gov>**Cc:** City Clerk <city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov>; Welsh, Kim <Kim.Walsh@sanjoseca.gov>; Klein, Nanci <Nanci.Klein@sanjoseca.gov>**Subject:** Community members should govern the Google community fund

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From: Frances Gonzalez [REDACTED]

Sent: Monday, March 8, 2021 7:49 PM

To: District2 <District2@sanjoseca.gov>

Cc: City Clerk <city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov>; Walesh, Kim <Kim.Walesh@sanjoseca.gov>; Klein, Nanci <Nanci.Klein@sanjoseca.gov>

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From: Pamela Campos [REDACTED]**Sent:** Tuesday, March 9, 2021 1:42 PM**To:** District 10 <District10@sanjoseca.gov>**Cc:** City Clerk <city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov>; Walesh, Kim <Kim.Walesh@sanjoseca.gov>; Klein, Nanci <Nanci.Klein@sanjoseca.gov>**Subject:** Community members should govern the Google community fund

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Sent: Monday, March 8, 2021 10:41 AM

To: District7 <District7@sanjoseca.gov>

Cc: City Clerk <city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov>; Walesh, Kim <Kim.Walesh@sanjoseca.gov>; Klein, Nanci <Nanci.Klein@sanjoseca.gov>

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From: Oscar Jae Balgos [REDACTED]**Sent:** Monday, March 8, 2021 10:02 AM**To:** The Office of Mayor Sam Liccardo <TheOfficeofMayorSamLiccardo@sanjoseca.gov>**Cc:** City Clerk <city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov>; Welsh, Kim <Kim.Walsh@sanjoseca.gov>; Klein, Nanci <Nanci.Klein@sanjoseca.gov>**Subject:** Community members should govern the Google community fund

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From: Carolina Lopez [REDACTED]**Sent:** Monday, March 8, 2021 9:35 AM**To:** The Office of Mayor Sam Liccardo <TheOfficeofMayorSamLiccardo@sanjoseca.gov>**Cc:** City Clerk <city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov>; Welsh, Kim <Kim.Walsh@sanjoseca.gov>; Klein, Nanci <Nanci.Klein@sanjoseca.gov>**Subject:** Community members should govern the Google community fund

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Gregory, Barbara <Barbara.Gregory@sanjoseca.gov>

Fri 3/12/2021 5:01 PM

To: Agendadesk <Agendadesk@sanjoseca.gov>

Thank You,

Barb Gregory**Analyst II****Office of the City Clerk****200 E Santa Clara St FL T-14****San Jose, C-A 95112****408-535-1272 Fax: 408-292-6207****e-mail: barbara.gregory@sanjoseca.gov****[How is our service? Please take our short survey.](#)**

From: Alex García <[REDACTED]>**Sent:** Friday, March 12, 2021 12:07 PM**To:** The Office of Mayor Sam Liccardo <TheOfficeofMayorSamLiccardo@sanjoseca.gov>**Cc:** City Clerk <city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov>; Welsh, Kim <Kim.Walsh@sanjoseca.gov>; Klein, Nanci <Nanci.Klein@sanjoseca.gov>**Subject:** Community members should govern the Google community fund

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Mon 3/15/2021 10:26 AM

To: Agendadesk <Agendadesk@sanjoseca.gov>

From: Danitza Rodelo [REDACTED]**Sent:** Sunday, March 14, 2021 12:33 PM**To:** The Office of Mayor Sam Liccardo <TheOfficeofMayorSamLiccardo@sanjoseca.gov>**Cc:** City Clerk <city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov>; Welsh, Kim <Kim.Walsh@sanjoseca.gov>; Klein, Nanci <Nanci.Klein@sanjoseca.gov>**Subject:** Community members should govern the Google community fund

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From: Oscar Quiroz-Medrano [REDACTED] >

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To: District 10 <District10@sanjoseca.gov>

Cc: City Clerk <city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov>; Walesh, Kim <Kim.Walesh@sanjoseca.gov>; Klein, Nanci <Nanci.Klein@sanjoseca.gov>

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From: Nelly Blas Miranda [REDACTED]**Sent:** Thursday, March 18, 2021 11:46 AM**To:** The Office of Mayor Sam Liccardo <TheOfficeofMayorSamLiccardo@sanjoseca.gov>**Cc:** City Clerk <city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov>; Welsh, Kim <Kim.Walsh@sanjoseca.gov>; Klein, Nanci <Nanci.Klein@sanjoseca.gov>**Subject:** Community members should govern the Google community fund

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One concern I have is that this new development should use principles of Universal Design, not merely check the boxes for ADA requirements. For example, Deaf people need wider walkways and hallways so they can walk side by side talking in ASL. Seating area design needs modification for people whose social conversation is in ASL. People with sensory processing differences (autistic, TBI survivors, etc.) need to have acoustically friendly environments and can be overwhelmed by some decorative patterns. There are architectural firms that specialize in Universal Design throughout the design process instead of having Disabled reviewers trying to catch problems with finalized designs and trying to get some kind of compromise.

For example, The Kelsey at Ayer Station is being designed with these principles because Disabled people are their target audience. But Disabled people should be able to live anywhere in the community--not just some special segregated complex that is too small to meet demand. People also have Disabled children, age into disability or acquire disabilities through accidents or illness. So someone living in the community should not have to move out of their home just because their new child has a disability, they get frail with age, or they have a stroke or accident. This is why all housing needs to be as widely accessible as possible.

I live in an affordable housing complex that technically meets ADA requirements, but as an Autistic person I find many areas of the building inaccessible and the level of noise in my apartment from the hallway is unacceptable. The common areas have hard finishes that are not designed to absorb sound, so there are harsh echoes in the lobby and community room. Sound travels and echoes in the hallway so loudly that I can't tell if people are fighting just out of sight from my peephole or halfway around the building down another corridor. If one person slams their door, mine rattles as though someone were trying to enter my apartment. Yet none of this violates ADA so the designers just used the materials they thought would be cheapest and most durable.

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Because the City of San Jose has not had an Office of Disability Affairs in many years, there is no oversight for projects or groups lacking Disabled input. This needs to stop now.

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Sent: Monday, March 22, 2021 9:04 AM

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From: Holly Borg <[REDACTED]>**Sent:** Sunday, March 21, 2021 11:11 AM**To:** District 6 <district6@sanjoseca.gov>**Cc:** City Clerk <city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov>; Walesh, Kim <Kim.Walesh@sanjoseca.gov>; Klein, Nanci <Nanci.Klein@sanjoseca.gov>**Subject:** Community members should govern the Google community fund

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From: Kathryn Hedges <[REDACTED]>**Sent:** Friday, March 19, 2021 4:53 PM**To:** The Office of Mayor Sam Liccardo <TheOfficeofMayorSamLiccardo@sanjoseca.gov>**Cc:** City Clerk <city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov>; Welsh, Kim <Kim.Walsh@sanjoseca.gov>; Klein, Nanci <Nanci.Klein@sanjoseca.gov>**Subject:** Community members should govern the Google community fund

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Dear Mayor Sam Liccardo, Councilmember Raul Peralez, Ms. Klein, and Ms. Welsh,

As a resident of District 3, I urge you to empower community members to decide how we spend community benefit funds from the San José Google project.

Our community has made clear that the Google project cannot destabilize our communities: it must include affordable homes, protection for tenants, and good jobs so that renters, low-wage workers, and people of color can stay here and thrive. People with disabilities must also be represented; the incidence of disabling conditions is far higher in BIPOC communities so intersectionality is quite relevant.

One concern I have is that this new development should use principles of Universal Design, not merely check the boxes for ADA requirements. For example, Deaf people need wider walkways and hallways so they can walk side by side talking in ASL. Seating area design needs modification for people whose social conversation is in ASL. People with sensory processing differences (autistic, TBI survivors, etc.) need to have acoustically friendly environments and can be overwhelmed by some decorative patterns. There are architectural firms that specialize in Universal Design throughout the design process instead of having Disabled reviewers trying to catch problems with finalized designs and trying to get some kind of compromise.

For example, The Kelsey at Ayer Station is being designed with these principles because Disabled people are their target audience. But Disabled people should be able to live anywhere in the community--not just some special segregated complex that is too small to meet demand. People also have Disabled children, age into disability or acquire disabilities through accidents or illness. So someone living in the community should not have to move out of their home just because their new child has a disability, they get frail with age, or they have a stroke or accident. This is why all housing needs to be as widely accessible as possible.

I live in an affordable housing complex that technically meets ADA requirements, but as an Autistic person I find many areas of the building inaccessible and the level of noise in my apartment from the hallway is unacceptable. The common areas have hard finishes that are not designed to absorb sound, so there are harsh echoes in the lobby and community room. Sound travels and echoes in the hallway so loudly that I can't tell if people are fighting just out of sight from my peephole or halfway around the building down another corridor. If one person slams their door, mine rattles as though someone were trying to enter my apartment. Yet none of this violates ADA so the designers just used the materials they thought would be cheapest and most durable.

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Because the City of San Jose has not had an Office of Disability Affairs in many years, there is no oversight for projects or groups lacking Disabled input. This needs to stop now.

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