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**FW: Joint City Council & Planning Commission Study Session, Item 4**

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 17, 2025 9:16 PM  
**To:** PlanningSupportStaff <PlanningSupportStaff@sanjoseca.gov>  
**Cc:** City Clerk <city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov>; Mahan, Matt <Matt.Mahan@sanjoseca.gov>; Tordillos, Anthony <Anthony.Tordillos@sanjoseca.gov>; Ortiz, Peter <Peter.Ortiz@sanjoseca.gov>  
**Subject:** Joint City Council & Planning Commission Study Session, Item 4

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Dear Mayor Mahan, City Council Members and Planning Commissioners,

Attached is a zipped file of 416 emails submitted by San José residents since September 8 opposing the draft Five Wounds Urban Village Plan's proposed 300-foot tall building policy at the 28<sup>th</sup> St/Little Portugal BART Station behind the city's landmark Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The online petition may be found at <https://bartva.org>. It was precipitated after a VTA public meeting on August 28 presenting VTA's Design Development Framework for the 28<sup>th</sup> St/Little Portugal Station that includes buildings between 175 and 234 feet tall. The draft Five Wounds UV Plan's current architect attended that VTA meeting, and when asked about the maximum height of buildings planned at the Little Portugal Station, she replied "300 feet".

The current plan of record Five Wounds UV Plan states that buildings at the station may not exceed 120 feet. This height was negotiated when community representatives sat with city planners over a two-year period from 2011 to 2013 to take the concepts and specifications set forth in the community-driven BART Station Area Community Concept Plan and from it created the city's first four urban village plans that became part of the General Plan in 2013. The point of 120 feet is that new construction near Five Wounds Portuguese National Church should not dwarf the church's presence in San José's viewscape.

The draft Five Wounds UV Plan's last public meeting was held in April 2024 and the plan has yet to be placed online despite its anticipated presentation to the Planning Commission and City Council for their votes by the end of this year. The petition that generated the attached 416 emails (and growing) continues through today (September 18) since that's the close of VTA's comment period for its Design Development Framework. The petition's resultant emails have been copied to VTA, Martina Davis of Planning, and the City Clerk.

Here is just one heartfelt opinion shared from one of the petitioner's emails:

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The building that is Five Wounds Church is a living symbol. It is a symbol of immigrants who came to a new land who wanted to maintain a little piece of their homeland and their language in their lives through the celebration of their faith with their families, friends, and fellow immigrants. Celebrating the milestones of their lives in community. Seeing those magnificent, red-topped towers from a distance give us pause to think of those who came before and those who will come after us. Five Wounds Church is history writ large. A community's history. San Jose's history that still lives today. Valuable in and of itself. Its prominent place in San Jose's skyline should not be diminished by buildings 3X its height.

Please do not allow 300-foot tall buildings to be planned in historic areas like Five Wounds Church in Little Portugal. The only 300-foot-tall building in the city today is 200 Park Avenue. That's Downtown. Another downtown should not be constructed in Little Portugal.

Regards,  
Davide Vieira

*All you leave behind are memories -- make them good ones*

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**I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station**

19 messages

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [redacted]

Wed, Sep 10, 2025 at 3:16 AM

Reply-To: [redacted]

To: [redacted], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

This is not the plan

Sincerely,

Irene Correia

[redacted]

95116

You may not use my contact information for any purpose other than to respond to my concern regarding the subject above, nor may you share my address with any other organization(s) or individual(s).

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [redacted]

Wed, Sep 10, 2025 at 6:21 AM

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To: [redacted], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Breanna Brasil

[redacted]

95127

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** [redacted]

Wed, Sep 10, 2025 at 7:22 AM

Reply-To: [redacted]

To: [redacted], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Not good

Sincerely,

Eduardo Mendes

[redacted]

95121

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Wed, Sep 10, 2025 at 7:56 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

To: [REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

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My opinion is leaving the original plants.

And no building higher than are church.

Are church is been there over 100 years and the IES Hall by the City of San Jose.

Don't make

High buildings next to the Catrida Downtown San Jose.

The City of San Jose.

They have to respect all the nationalities they have in San Jose.

Thank you

Sincerely,

Arthur Azevedo

[REDACTED]

95116

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Wed, Sep 10, 2025 at 8:25 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

To: [REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Connie O'Hara

[REDACTED]

94555

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Wed, Sep 10, 2025 at 12:47 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

To: [REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

We are valley very low already, the tall buildings would have an effect on the climate. It would be less circulation in our little area of air, we lose many trees due to the buildings as well as views. People pay for that around this area, the views. The mobility downtown is bad as it is

and these places will not thrive as planned. The struggle is this area is low income and that environment is very theft like so another location should be proposed.

Sincerely,  
Debenney Hernandez

[Redacted]  
95133

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [Redacted]

Wed, Sep 10, 2025 at 12:56 PM

Reply-To: [Redacted]

To: [Redacted], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

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300 feet is way too tall and out of proportion. Buildings should not be taller than the church.

Sincerely,  
Antonio vargas

[Redacted]  
95116

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[Redacted]>

Wed, Sep 10, 2025 at 1:47 PM

Reply-To: [Redacted]

To: [Redacted], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Does not match the character of the neighborhood, will bring excessive traffic in a compact space, extremely limited parking as is and will bring more congestion and frustration to existing neighbors. Proposing an amendment to adjust the height of the potential new building to almost triple the amount the original proposal stated is deceitful to the community and brings more concern towards what else is possibly not being communicated.

Sincerely,  
Rosie Soares

[Redacted]  
[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [Redacted]

Wed, Sep 10, 2025 at 2:13 PM

Reply-To: [Redacted]

To: [Redacted], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Maria Ricardo

[REDACTED]  
95050

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Wed, Sep 10, 2025 at 2:17 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

To: [REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

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Such tall buildings should not be built behind such an important church that's been in the city and community for so long.

These buildings behind the church are just the start, next will come to the sides and in front of it next. This is how original buildings, landmarks and occupants get forced out.

Furthermore, Little Portugal is clinging onto what little it has left ever since such buildings have begun to take over and move in on the neighborhoods. Let San Jose have what makes its culture so rich and unique instead of marketing off the land with more and more high rises.

Sincerely,  
Candice Vierra

[REDACTED]  
95116

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Wed, Sep 10, 2025 at 7:18 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

To: [REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Sofia Avila

[REDACTED]  
95126

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Wed, Sep 10, 2025 at 9:16 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

To: [REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

The buildings would ruin our city.

Sincerely,  
Stephanie Hernandez Mendoza

[REDACTED]  
95116

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Wed, Sep 10, 2025 at 10:05 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

To: [REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

We don't need anymore high rise buildings especially near sacred churches.

Sincerely,  
Stephanie Rutland

[REDACTED]  
95122

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Wed, Sep 10, 2025 at 10:08 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

To: [REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

This building should not be built.

Sincerely,  
Ellie Cardoso

[REDACTED]  
95336

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Wed, Sep 10, 2025 at 10:58 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

To: [REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

I oppose this plan. Why would we want or need such tall buildings in that area?

Sincerely,  
CHRISTOPHER JAMES WATERS

[REDACTED]

95116

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Thu, Sep 11, 2025 at 5:52 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

To: [REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

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Sincerely,

John Flores

[REDACTED]

95037

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Thu, Sep 11, 2025 at 10:22 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

To: [REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

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Sincerely,

Paula Da Silva

[REDACTED]

95127

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Thu, Sep 11, 2025 at 7:25 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

To: [REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

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This plan goes against the original plan approved by the community through that input. This amendment plan changes the culture of the Little Portugal and the Portuguese Community.

I live within a mile of this proposed plan and strongly oppose this plan and will do everything I can to prevent it from moving forward. Thank you for your consideration.

Please let me know if you have any questions. Thank you.

Respectfully,

Victor Freitas

[REDACTED]

Sincerely,

Victor Freitas

[REDACTED]

95116

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Thu, Sep 11, 2025 at 9:39 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

To: [REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

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Sincerely,

Nicole Grimm

[REDACTED]

95123

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Fri, Sep 12, 2025 at 9:52 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

To: [REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

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The 120 foot tall limit is more than sufficient for the primarily residential area around the church. I oppose expanding this limit. Raising the current height limitation would result in buildings that would radically change the skyline in this neighborhood.

Sincerely,  
Carl Mitchell

[REDACTED]  
95116

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Fri, Sep 12, 2025 at 5:31 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

To: [REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

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Sincerely,  
Ondina Diniz

[REDACTED]  
[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Fri, Sep 12, 2025 at 6:14 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

To: [REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

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Sincerely,  
Jose Avila

[REDACTED]  
95126

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Fri, Sep 12, 2025 at 6:14 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

To: [REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

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Sincerely,

Ilda Avila

[REDACTED]  
[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Fri, Sep 12, 2025 at 6:16 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

To: [REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

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[https://www.portuguesetribune.com/articles/little-portugal-faces-proposal-for-30-story-highrises/?fbclid=IwY2xjawMxpQJleHRuA2FibQIxMQABHtwx8kt6\\_tWbmKxve6VxCppdlyTC\\_F1WLhEf25hHWillhIDx6HdjYa3whc9\\_d\\_aem\\_7ucNZGxfk\\_X1Z2a0\\_XKJzQ](https://www.portuguesetribune.com/articles/little-portugal-faces-proposal-for-30-story-highrises/?fbclid=IwY2xjawMxpQJleHRuA2FibQIxMQABHtwx8kt6_tWbmKxve6VxCppdlyTC_F1WLhEf25hHWillhIDx6HdjYa3whc9_d_aem_7ucNZGxfk_X1Z2a0_XKJzQ)

[https://www.portuguesetribune.com/articles/revolta-contra-a-proposta-da-vta/?fbclid=IwY2xjawMxpRpleHRuA2FibQIxMQABHq7T8LZ00PpxjVUqU6VKmQqeqqEnydonvC8QzM1k9gEPG1F1VqgQw2jMTAOm\\_aem\\_CTpx76vHrUHJgCr3xzPgYQ](https://www.portuguesetribune.com/articles/revolta-contra-a-proposta-da-vta/?fbclid=IwY2xjawMxpRpleHRuA2FibQIxMQABHq7T8LZ00PpxjVUqU6VKmQqeqqEnydonvC8QzM1k9gEPG1F1VqgQw2jMTAOm_aem_CTpx76vHrUHJgCr3xzPgYQ)

<https://www.portuguesetribune.com/articles/mais-um-aniversario-e-uma-campanha-basta-stoplittleportugalhighrises-another-anniversary-and-a-campaign-stoplittleportugalhighrises/>

Sincerely,

Miguel Avila

[REDACTED]  
[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Fri, Sep 12, 2025 at 6:28 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

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Sincerely,

Jason Nunes

[REDACTED]

95148

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Fri, Sep 12, 2025 at 6:49 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

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Sincerely,

Dolores Vieira

[REDACTED]  
95116

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Fri, Sep 12, 2025 at 6:49 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

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Sincerely,

Batista Vieira

[REDACTED]  
[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Fri, Sep 12, 2025 at 7:36 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

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I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Kel Kanady

[REDACTED]  
94536

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Fri, Sep 12, 2025 at 7:43 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

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Sincerely,  
Jennifer Dinis

[REDACTED]  
95148

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Fri, Sep 12, 2025 at 8:32 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

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The Portuguese culture is a foundation of the south bay. It has been diluted over the past several years. The Five Wounds Urban Village Plan will help to keep (and rebuild) a culture that was foundational to our community. That history should be treated with the respect it deserves.

Don't change the new Five Wounds Village Plan.

Kel Kanady

Sincerely,  
Kel Kanady

[REDACTED]  
94536

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Fri, Sep 12, 2025 at 10:21 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

shame on you city council, leave some history and open space for future generations, build your highrise complex in another part of town.

Sincerely,  
Alan DalMaso

[REDACTED]  
94061

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Fri, Sep 12, 2025 at 11:31 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

I strongly oppose the plans to overshadow little portugal and five wounds church area with such massive plans.

Sincerely,  
Paula Borges

[REDACTED]  
95117

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Fri, Sep 12, 2025 at 11:48 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Melissa Marques

[REDACTED]  
94541

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Sat, Sep 13, 2025 at 12:41 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Gentrification is not needed on Little Portugal. Respect the values, culture, and beautify that Little Portugal has to offer.

There is no need for those ugly buildings. If need be, go to Los Gatos or Campbell.  
The money could be used for other projects in those areas.

Sincerely,  
Cesar Correia Cesar Correia  
[REDACTED]  
95116  
[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Sat, Sep 13, 2025 at 6:05 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Jennifer Sousa  
[REDACTED]  
95132  
[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Sat, Sep 13, 2025 at 2:25 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Amelia Avila  
[REDACTED]  
95126  
[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Sat, Sep 13, 2025 at 5:09 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Maria toste

[REDACTED]  
95133

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Sat, Sep 13, 2025 at 7:11 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], [martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov](mailto:martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov), [city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov](mailto:city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov)

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

I oppose 300 ft tall building behind the church

Sincerely,

Helen Masamori

[REDACTED]  
95116

[Quoted text hidden]

**I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station**

4 messages

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Sun, Sep 14, 2025 at 10:58 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Maria faria

[REDACTED]

95116

You may not use my contact information for any purpose other than to respond to my concern regarding the subject above, nor may you share my address with any other organization(s) or individual(s).

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Sun, Sep 14, 2025 at 9:21 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Jose Soares

[REDACTED]

95124

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Sun, Sep 14, 2025 at 9:21 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Maria Soares

[REDACTED]

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Sun, Sep 14, 2025 at 9:22 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Ilda Avila

[REDACTED]  
95126

[Quoted text hidden]

**I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station**

98 messages

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Mon, Sep 15, 2025 at 10:17 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Paulo Quintal

[REDACTED]

95116

You may not use my contact information for any purpose other than to respond to my concern regarding the subject above, nor may you share my address with any other organization(s) or individual(s).

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Mon, Sep 15, 2025 at 10:37 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Norberta Alves

[REDACTED]

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Mon, Sep 15, 2025 at 1:47 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

This is going to take away from the beautiful skyline of Five wounds, which has been a staple in this community for decades. Everybody knows the church off of 101.

The added traffic around the church and that area is going to be horrible.

Can you imagine for weddings, funerals, any special event that you're having at the church? The traffic is gonna be intense. We have a school directly impacted also.

There are better places to put these types of structures, and in areas that the already impacted streets cannot handle.

All the Housing being placed around Alum rock to White Rd to Mckee and back should be moved to the southside where there is more land available. We keep cramming more and more houses into already dense neighborhoods.

My family opposes this building structure.

Sincerely,  
Melissa Lopez

[Redacted]  
95127

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [Redacted]

Mon, Sep 15, 2025 at 1:48 PM

Reply-To: [Redacted]

[Redacted], [martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov](mailto:martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov), [city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov](mailto:city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov)

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Sandra Gaspar

[Redacted]  
95116

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [Redacted]

Mon, Sep 15, 2025 at 2:45 PM

Reply-To: [Redacted]

[Redacted], [martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov](mailto:martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov), [city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov](mailto:city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov)

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

I am against this type of high density building I understand the City is under pressure to build more housing but it is necessary to do it a manner that fits with existing neighborhood integrity.

Sincerely,  
Dacia Faria

[Redacted]  
[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [Redacted]

Mon, Sep 15, 2025 at 3:02 PM

Reply-To: [Redacted]

[Redacted], [martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov](mailto:martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov), [city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov](mailto:city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov)

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

I oppose 300 foot tall buildings at 28th St/Little Portugal because it is not what was originally proposed

Sincerely,  
Fatima Maciel

[Redacted]  
95127

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[Redacted]>

Mon, Sep 15, 2025 at 3:37 PM

Reply-To: [Redacted]

[Redacted], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

You should not change the original plans that you had disclosed

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[Redacted]>

Mon, Sep 15, 2025 at 3:41 PM

Reply-To: [Redacted]

[Redacted], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
john barreto

[Redacted]  
[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[Redacted]>

Mon, Sep 15, 2025 at 3:42 PM

Reply-To: [Redacted]

[Redacted], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

I oppose the construction of the buildings higher than those you had on your original proposal

Sincerely,  
Fatima Bettencourt

[Redacted]  
95133

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[Redacted]>

Mon, Sep 15, 2025 at 4:12 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

I oppose the construction of taller buildings than originally proposed on 28th st Little Portugal Bart Station

Sincerely,  
Maria Nunes

[REDACTED]  
95132

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Mon, Sep 15, 2025 at 4:26 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Vanessa Goulart

[REDACTED]  
95116

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Mon, Sep 15, 2025 at 4:32 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

I oppose the construction of these buildings taller than originally proposed

Sincerely,  
Filomena Sousa

[REDACTED]  
95132

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Mon, Sep 15, 2025 at 4:33 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Magda

[Redacted]

95111

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [Redacted]

Mon, Sep 15, 2025 at 4:36 PM

Reply-To: [Redacted]

[Redacted], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

I oppose this construction of taller buildings than originally proposed

Sincerely,

Emanuel De Sousa

[Redacted]

95127

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[Redacted]>

Mon, Sep 15, 2025 at 4:45 PM

[Redacted]

[Redacted] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Joana bettencourt

[Redacted]

95111

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[Redacted]>

Mon, Sep 15, 2025 at 6:01 PM

Reply-To: [Redacted]

[Redacted] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

I oppose the construction of 300 ft buildings because that is not what was proposed originally of 120 ft only

Sincerely,

Maria Fernanda Da Silva

[REDACTED]

95127

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Mon, Sep 15, 2025 at 8:12 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Raul moules

[REDACTED]

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Mon, Sep 15, 2025 at 8:32 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Please keep that area preserved as much as possible around the beautiful church my family grew up attending. San Jose is already flooded and industrial enough!

Sincerely,

Alexandria Moules

[REDACTED]

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Mon, Sep 15, 2025 at 9:25 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Carla Horne

[REDACTED]

95008

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Mon, Sep 15, 2025 at 9:27 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Christina M Medina

[REDACTED]

95132

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Mon, Sep 15, 2025 at 9:27 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Elmira Mello

[REDACTED]

95340

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Mon, Sep 15, 2025 at 9:32 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

The 120 foot height is good enough. I know the state is trying to pass bills that will end up bypassing the state level. But let the community atleast think they won by keeping it at 120 feet.

Sincerely,

Matos Nicolas

[REDACTED]

95116

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Mon, Sep 15, 2025 at 9:39 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Lidia Pereira

[REDACTED]  
95127

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Mon, Sep 15, 2025 at 9:39 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Jordan Pacheco

[REDACTED]  
95020

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Mon, Sep 15, 2025 at 9:41 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

I oppose 300 foot tall buildings at the 28th St., Little Portugal bart station. What should be built around the church? It should match architecture of the church. But not taller.

Sincerely,

Fernando valadao

[REDACTED]  
95148

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Mon, Sep 15, 2025 at 9:46 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Kelly Johnson

[REDACTED]  
95121

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Mon, Sep 15, 2025 at 9:47 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Kathy Freitas

[REDACTED]  
95127

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Mon, Sep 15, 2025 at 9:48 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

It would be a disgrace to the area, and overshadowing the architectural beauty of Five Wounds Portuguese National Church.

Sincerely,  
Deborah Rose

[REDACTED]  
95050

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Mon, Sep 15, 2025 at 9:56 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of

f record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Lucy Marques

[REDACTED]  
95122

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Mon, Sep 15, 2025 at 9:56 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan o  
f record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

WE have two many tall buildings in city center that are empty why add more buildings??

Sincerely,  
Cynthia Shaw

[REDACTED]  
95112

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Mon, Sep 15, 2025 at 10:08 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan o  
f record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Jorge Ferreira

[REDACTED]  
95116

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Mon, Sep 15, 2025 at 10:27 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan o  
f record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Ana Nunes

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Mon, Sep 15, 2025 at 11:48 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Please do not build anything that is not related to the beautiful Portuguese church Só that it continues to be the beam and the proud gem of the Portuguese community in the beautiful city of San Jose.

Thank you

Sincerely,  
Angela Pereira

[REDACTED]  
95363

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 3:47 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Alice

[REDACTED]  
95020

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 6:17 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Robert Anthony Camacho

[REDACTED]

95060

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 7:51 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

-Too small of a space for what they want to do

-Bringing more congestion and traffic to an area that gets a lot during its peak hours

-This area is already full of crime, homeless, prostitutes and poverty ... This will make more problems... I don't think it's a good idea to make an epicenter of public transportation in the heart of my neighborhood of Little Portugal that has a lot of issues mentioned above that NO ONE has fixed but yet you want to build this there? A building that OVERPOWERS and OVERSHADOWS our church that was built OVER 100 YEARS AGO! It's very disrespectful to our community AND city of San Jose of which our Portuguese people did a lot to help!

- This is proof that many only care about money versus humanity... PLEASE DO NOT BUILD THIS!!!! PLEASE HELP OUR COMMUNITY DON'T MAKE IT WORSE!!!!

Sincerely,

Marisa Silva Rocha

[REDACTED]

95116

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 7:59 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Ashley Godinho

[REDACTED]

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 8:02 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Ana Borba

95019

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 8:13 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Susa Cabral

95116

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED] >

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 8:38 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

alondra bernal

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 9:08 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Milton Silveira

95051

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 9:15 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Brielle Schroeder

[REDACTED]  
95124

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 9:40 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Linda Dutra

[REDACTED]  
95133

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 9:40 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Esmeralda Neves

[REDACTED]  
95127

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 9:45 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Mark Ribeiro

[REDACTED]  
95020

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 9:57 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Samantha Tavares

[REDACTED]  
95121

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 9:57 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

I have been a Parishiner at this church for many years. and I believe the current plan of the record of 120 foot tall policy should not change at all. this would be a very bad idea .

the five wounds Urban village plan and the neighborhood around it should continue staying the same way as it is now....I am against this proposal for the building of the Bart station and High rises. I Believe this would cause a lot of traffic in this area..... there are other empty lots in San Jose where you could build this .

Sincerely,  
Geraldine Sousa

[REDACTED]  
95133

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 10:12 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Arie Cota

[Redacted]  
95050

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [Redacted]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 10:33 AM

Reply-To: [Redacted]

[Redacted], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Sandra Crawford

[Redacted]  
95148

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [Redacted]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 10:36 AM

Reply-To: [Redacted]

[Redacted] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Cassandra Davis

[Redacted]  
[Redacted]

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [Redacted]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 11:00 AM

Reply-To: [Redacted]

[Redacted]g, martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Jennifer william

[REDACTED]  
95116

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 10:09 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
maria verissimo

[REDACTED]  
2560044

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 12:21 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Marcus Gonzalez

[REDACTED]  
95112

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 1:31 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

This will add a lot of traffic and take away the beauty of landmark that is our Five Wounds Portuguese national church. Thank you so much!

Sincerely,  
Judy Fujimoto

[Redacted]  
95116

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [Redacted]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 1:44 PM

Reply-To: [Redacted]

[Redacted], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Melissa Silva

[Redacted]

95337

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [Redacted]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 1:45 PM

Reply-To: [Redacted]

[Redacted], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Michelle DaSilva

[Redacted]

95020

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[Redacted]>

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 1:45 PM

Reply-To: [Redacted]

[Redacted], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Rosa Stilwell

[Redacted]

[Redacted]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <w[Redacted]>

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 1:48 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Cathy Silva

[REDACTED]  
95050  
[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 1:54 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Delia DeVere

[REDACTED]  
95138  
[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 1:56 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Changing the rules after an established plan to dwarf a beautiful icon of the city is just not right.

Sincerely,  
Lino Amaral

[REDACTED]  
94521  
[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 1:56 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Suzanne Moules

[REDACTED]  
95327

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 1:59 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Carla Ayala

[REDACTED]  
95050

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 1:59 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Such massive buildings would overshadow one of San José's most historic and culturally significant landmarks, changing the character of the neighborhood forever. This plan disregards the voices of Portuguese-American families who have built and sustained this neighborhood for generations. Oversized high-rises threaten to erase this identity and replace it with something unrecognizable, driven by profit rather than respect for history, culture, and people.

Sincerely,  
Silvia Costa

[REDACTED]  
95376

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 2:00 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Kevin Silva

[REDACTED]  
95127

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 2:01 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Roger Silveira

[REDACTED]  
95116

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 2:02 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 2:05 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Christina Faria

[REDACTED]  
[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 2:05 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Caroline Gomes  
[REDACTED]  
94523  
[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>  
Reply-To: [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 2:05 PM

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

We must work together to find a solution that makes this an environment for everyone to enjoy, while respecting the cultural significance of this particular area. Please scale down these outrageous building heights.

Sincerely,  
Taylor Amarante  
[REDACTED]  
95050  
[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>  
Reply-To: [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 2:12 PM

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Angela Gonzales  
[REDACTED]  
95051  
[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>  
Reply-To: [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 2:18 PM

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

This new 300 foot was never on the table in the Plan that was developed and approved, now VTA wants to change the city and community's long-standing plans and we have to just take it. Lets stick to the plan and not allow VTA call the shots for East San Jose's future. Look what they did with BRT and what that did to East San Jose, lets not let them to that to East San Jose again. Alum Rock has not recovered from the mess that they made of that failed project lets not do it again.

Sincerely,  
Joseph Vieira

[REDACTED]  
95127

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED] >

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 2:19 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Ariel Teixeira

[REDACTED]  
94580

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 2:21 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

The FW CHURCH IS A HISTORICAL landmark. I am here to stand for this sacred place and oppose these 300 fr tall buildings from being built in this area. This was not what was agreed upon originally! Let's work together to make this right!

Sincerely,  
Jose Vazquez

[REDACTED]  
95112

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 2:33 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

This is my neighborhood this design would change the little Portugal culture. The previous design of the development has already been approved why are we trying to change it ! Let's focus on what makes sense...

Sincerely,  
Maria Freitas

[REDACTED]  
95116

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 2:33 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Suzanne Morrone

[REDACTED]  
95112

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 2:33 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

This was never part of the original plans. I feel that it does not fit the exist surroundings. Why is it that all of a sudden these buildings are added to the design at the end. I feel that this is being done in a way to force it through in a dishonest manner.

Sincerely,  
Tomás Manuel Da Cunha

[REDACTED]  
95125

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 2:35 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Diane Costa

[REDACTED]  
95116

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 2:35 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

This will harm the community that have been living here for generations

Sincerely,  
Iuri Rocha

[REDACTED]  
[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 2:42 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

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Sincerely,  
Stephanie Nunes

[REDACTED]  
95136

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 3:07 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

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Sincerely,  
Eddie Ribeiro

[REDACTED]  
95127

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 3:10 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

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Sincerely,  
Stephanie cunha

[REDACTED]  
95148

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 3:12 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

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Sincerely,  
Pamela Avila Smith

[REDACTED]  
02675

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 3:15 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

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Sincerely,  
Mary Tambellini

[REDACTED]  
95060

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 3:29 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

I grew up in this neighborhood. The Five Wounds Portuguese National Church and Little Portugal are not just landmarks on a map, they are part of my life, my culture, and my heritage. I still live in and am connected to this community, and I cannot support a plan that would so profoundly change its character. The Five Wounds Church has been the heart of Little Portugal for generations. It is where families gather for worship, for festivals, for weddings and funerals, and for celebrations of Portuguese heritage. Towering 300-foot buildings directly behind it would overshadow this sacred site, visually diminishing a cultural and spiritual anchor that defines our community. Little Portugal has always been a walkable, human-scaled district, defined by small businesses, bakeries, cafes, and modest homes. Introducing towers 25–30 stories tall would overwhelm the neighborhood, erasing its intimate character and making it feel disconnected from its roots. Growth should complement the neighborhood, not overpower it. Ultra-tall luxury towers often bring high costs that ripple out, raising rents and property values. That threatens longtime residents and the small family-run shops that make Little Portugal unique. Instead of strengthening the community, such development risks displacing the very people who built it. Buildings of this size would cast shadows over community spaces and create a canyon effect on nearby streets. The influx of thousands of residents into towers without matching infrastructure improvements will worsen traffic and parking, especially during church services and festivals when elders, children, and families gather in large numbers. Safety for pedestrians should come before speculative height. I am not opposed to new housing or development around the BART station. I want this community to thrive and welcome new neighbors. But housing must be built at a scale that fits the place.

Sincerely,

[REDACTED]  
95122

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 3:30 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

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Sincerely,

Maria Almada

[REDACTED]  
95324

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 3:40 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

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Sincerely,  
Lindsey Couto

[REDACTED]  
95054

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 3:40 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

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Sincerely,  
Yarah Fonseca

[REDACTED]  
95132

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 3:45 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

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Sincerely,  
Carlos DaSilva

[REDACTED]  
95116

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 3:48 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

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Sincerely,  
Mary Lou DaSilva

[REDACTED]

95111

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 3:53 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

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Sincerely,

Devika Krishnan

[REDACTED]

94539

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 3:55 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

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Sincerely,

PATRICIA CARROLA

[REDACTED]

95126

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 4:04 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

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Sincerely,

John Bettencourt

[REDACTED]

95076

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 4:08 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

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I lived at area 95116 for years.

I would like to see the area preserved as a culture heritage of "Little Portugal"

Sincerely,

Orlanda Enriquez

[REDACTED]  
98236

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 4:11 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

We don't need new buildings. Spend the money elsewhere!

Sincerely,

Eric Moules

[REDACTED]  
95133

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 4:30 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

The Five Wounds Urban Village Plan was previously approved by the City Council on November 19, 2013 and amended on December 11, 2018, December 15, 2020, and December 13, 2022. The plan received input and buy-in from the local community with a building height limit of 120 feet (the church towers are 106 feet in height).

As a national church, Five Wounds Church is not your typical parish church. Since 1914, it has served Catholics of all backgrounds and ethnicities not just from East San José, the entire city of San José, Santa Clara County, and neighboring counties. It is one of the most photographed buildings in the city of San José, appearing in many campaigns. During official visits to California, Portuguese government officials, including Presidents and Prime Ministers have visited and consider it the epicenter of the Portuguese community in the San Francisco Bay Area.

3 key concerns:

HEIGHT: 300-foot building towers will obscure the beauty of the historic Five Wounds Portuguese National Church; there is no 300-foot tower outside of downtown San José

PARKING: No guarantee of parking for future residents, building occupants/employees, businesses or BART; VTA only guarantees 1,200 spaces

urface parking spots when the BART station opens (before the buildings go up), but each building developer will evaluate their parking as they see fit (each building could have limited to no parking); this will cause negative effects on Five Wounds Church, Cristo Rey High School, and IES Hall as parking will be at a premium in the neighborhood SAFETY of pedestrians, students, and parishioners due to restricted traffic, limited pick-up/drop off areas along Five Wounds Lane and 28th Street; there are also concerns related to BART/public transit passengers walking through church and school property

Sincerely,  
Miguel Avila

[REDACTED]  
95126  
[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 4:52 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

This detracts from the beauty and history in the area and is culturally offensive.

Sincerely,  
Jereme Martin

[REDACTED]  
95020  
[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 5:04 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

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Sincerely,  
Jaquan cobb

[REDACTED]  
95110  
[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 5:06 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

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Sincerely,  
Mary Sousa



95116

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**I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station**

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 5:11 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

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Sincerely,

Evangelina Butera

[REDACTED]

95116

You may not use my contact information for any purpose other than to respond to my concern regarding the subject above, nor may you share my address with any other organization(s) or individual(s).

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 5:19 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

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I oppose

Sincerely,

Analia Nunes

[REDACTED]

95148

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 5:28 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

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Please leave things the way they are our church has been there for over 100 years . We need to preserve history. Yes times are changing cities are growing .. but please let's preserve this sacred place.. just look at Europe so beautiful history preserved..

Sincerely,

Nicole Brown

[REDACTED]

95354

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 5:51 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

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Sincerely,

Antonio Sousa

[REDACTED]  
95127

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 5:54 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

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Sincerely,

Denise Salcido

[REDACTED]  
95112

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 5:56 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

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Sincerely,

Jeanette Camara

[REDACTED]  
95360

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 6:09 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

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I oppose plain and simple to the point!

Sincerely,  
Monique Silveira

[REDACTED]

95112

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 6:24 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

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Sincerely,  
Frances Corpuz

[REDACTED]

95148

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 6:25 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

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Sincerely,  
Dean Corpuz

[REDACTED]

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 6:35 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

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Sincerely,  
Olivia Lopez

[Redacted]  
95116

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[Redacted]>

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 6:36 PM

Reply-To: [Redacted]

[Redacted], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

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Sincerely,  
Josefina Manzo

[Redacted]  
[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[Redacted]>

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 6:37 PM

Reply-To: [Redacted]

[Redacted], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

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Sincerely,  
Jose M Lopez

[Redacted]  
[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[Redacted]>

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 6:38 PM

Reply-To: [Redacted]

[Redacted], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

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Sincerely,  
Lenore Gonsalves

[Redacted]

95121

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 6:51 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

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Sincerely,

Diane Nunes

[REDACTED]

95127

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 6:52 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

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Sincerely,

Christopher Mateus

[REDACTED]

76063

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 6:58 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

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Sincerely,

Michael Pires

[REDACTED]

94546

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**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED] >

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 6:59 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

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Sincerely,  
CHRISTINA MELO

[REDACTED]  
95133  
[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]  
Reply-To: [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 7:35 PM

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

The Five Wounds Church is a historical site in San Jose. We should not take away from its beauty and historical presence in Little Portugal, but work hard to keep it for future generations. There should not be buildings with a height that disturbs the view.

Sincerely,  
Lisa Johnson

[REDACTED]  
95132  
[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED] >  
Reply-To: [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 7:44 PM

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Garrett Bonner

[REDACTED]  
95127  
[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED] >  
Reply-To: [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 7:55 PM

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Jessica Vizcarra

[REDACTED]  
95116

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 8:09 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Celeste Vargas

[REDACTED]  
95337

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 8:12 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Erick Silva

[REDACTED]  
95127

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 8:18 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Daniel Teixeira

[REDACTED]  
95113

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 9:07 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Elizabeth Teixeira

[REDACTED]  
95116

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 9:16 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

This was not part of the original plan communicated to the local community.

Sincerely,  
Debbie Silveira

[REDACTED]  
[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 9:17 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Too tall.

Sincerely,  
Diane Silveira

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [redacted]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 9:22 PM

Reply-To: [redacted]

[redacted], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Parking issues for the near by residents.

Sincerely,  
Leo Diane Silveira

[redacted]

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[redacted]>

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 9:22 PM

Reply-To: [redacted]

[redacted], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Isabel Silveira

[redacted]

94019

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [redacted]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 9:23 PM

Reply-To: [redacted]

[redacted], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Parking issues.

Sincerely,  
Nicole Montana

[redacted]

95116

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [redacted]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 9:31 PM

Reply-To: [redacted]

[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Chris Johnson

[REDACTED]  
95132

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 9:44 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Andrea Ormonde

[REDACTED]  
95127

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 9:50 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Bernadete Rocha

[REDACTED]  
95376

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED] >

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 9:51 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Jorge Ibanez

[REDACTED]  
95127

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 9:51 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Rosalind Ormonde

[REDACTED]  
[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 9:52 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Anita Dagnino

[REDACTED]  
95126

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 9:57 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Kamryn Towns

[REDACTED]  
95112

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 10:10 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

I oppose the high rise construction

Sincerely,  
Sandra Medeiros

[REDACTED]  
95116

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 3:04 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

No!

Sincerely,  
Carla Rebelo

[REDACTED]  
95037

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 11:03 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Bruna Correia

[REDACTED]  
93274

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 11:05 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Repurpose and fix the buildings that are already sitting empty. Many new complexes are not being utilized at full capacity.

Sincerely,

Noreen Perez

[REDACTED]

95133

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Tue, Sep 16, 2025 at 11:50 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Monique Correia

[REDACTED]

95148

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 12:42 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Marlene Fonte

[REDACTED]

94560

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 4:08 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Im sign this petition do that i dont want this building to be built

Sincerely,  
Paula Lopez

[REDACTED]  
95116

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 6:30 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Doubling the size of the allowable height is ridiculous. Taking away the sightline of the church would be bad, look at the beauty of the cathedral downtown negated by all the tall building around it. Stick to your original plan.

Sincerely,  
Michael Machado

[REDACTED]  
95134

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 8:42 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Connie M Brito

[REDACTED]  
94546

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 8:43 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Shanna Silveira-Diaz

[Redacted]  
95324

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [Redacted]

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 8:45 AM

Reply-To: [Redacted]

[Redacted] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Noelia Hilario

[Redacted]  
95116

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [Redacted]

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 8:46 AM

Reply-To: [Redacted]

[Redacted] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Keep the 120ft tall plan. We are not San Francisco and do not want to be so congested.

Sincerely,

Marian campoy

[Redacted]  
95127

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [Redacted]

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 8:55 AM

Reply-To: [Redacted]

[Redacted] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Guiomar Nunes

[Redacted]  
95341

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[Redacted]>

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 8:56 AM

Reply-To: [Redacted]

[Redacted], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Rosa Beltran

[Redacted]  
95363

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[Redacted]>

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 9:01 AM

Reply-To: [Redacted]

[Redacted], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Ally marie freitas

[Redacted]  
95116

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[Redacted]>

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 9:04 AM

Reply-To: [Redacted]

[Redacted], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Bertha Melo

[Redacted]

02740

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[Redacted]>

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 9:07 AM

Reply-To: [Redacted]

[Redacted], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Saozinha Silva

[Redacted]

95301

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[Redacted]>

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 9:07 AM

Reply-To: [Redacted]

[Redacted] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

TERESA DE SOUSA

[Redacted]

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[Redacted]>

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 9:10 AM

Reply-To: [Redacted]

[Redacted] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Jennifer Jones

[Redacted]

95377

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 9:10 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Will take a beautiful way from our church for 100 years my self my kids and grandkids and greatkids for them this is and will be a historical

Sincerely,

Lima souto

[REDACTED]

95116o love

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

[REDACTED] Sep 17, 2025 at 9:14 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Mary Templeton

[REDACTED]

80528

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 9:20 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Anthony J. Pires

[REDACTED]

95380

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 9:21 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

You can't destroy little Portugal with a bartender station its iconic to the people that live in the area and will only bring in the transient, and more homeless. Bringing property values down around the area

Sincerely,  
Kimberly Borba

[REDACTED]  
95076

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 9:31 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

I grew up going to Five Wounds church. I made my first Communion and Confirmation there also. That's our families traditional landmark.

Sincerely,  
Aurelia Bernardo

[REDACTED]  
95125

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 9:35 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Diana Verissimo

[REDACTED]  
95360

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 9:48 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

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Sincerely,  
Eduardo Ferreira

[REDACTED]  
95116  
[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 10:31 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

This is a historic church and this will take away from its beautiful clear skyline and traffic. This is a cultural Portuguese church and it should be preserved.

Sincerely,  
Maria Azevedo

[REDACTED]  
95127  
[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED] >

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 10:32 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Please do not build high towers behind our Portuguese church! This will be very disrespectful and also make the view of the church look horrible! Stop the building of the towers!!!

Sincerely,  
Lisa DaSilva

[REDACTED]  
[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED] <

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 10:36 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Catrina Ruiz

[Redacted]  
95112

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [Redacted]

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 10:41 AM

Reply-To: [Redacted]

[Redacted], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Andres Bergeret

[Redacted]  
95050

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [Redacted]

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 10:46 AM

Reply-To: [Redacted]

[Redacted], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Anna Silva

[Redacted]  
95116

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [Redacted]

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 10:59 AM

Reply-To: [Redacted]

[Redacted], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Felicia Silveira

[Redacted]

95403

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 11:07 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

My mom grew up in Santa Clara and this is our church

Sincerely,

Sandie Lovecchio

[REDACTED]

95045

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 11:30 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Manuel Botelho

[REDACTED]

94127

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 11:31 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Ann botelho

[REDACTED]

95127

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <wordpress@barttva.org>

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 1:10 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Nancy M Quaresma

[REDACTED]  
95757

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 1:37 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Nisa Da Rosa

[REDACTED]  
95116

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 1:38 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Xaiden Reed

[REDACTED]  
[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 1:39 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Jose Rosa

[Redacted]  
[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [Redacted]

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 1:57 PM

Reply-To: [Redacted]  
[Redacted], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Bernadette Silva

[Redacted]  
94560  
[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[Redacted]>

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 2:21 PM

Reply-To: [Redacted]  
[Redacted] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Monica Nascimento

[Redacted]  
95148  
[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [Redacted] >

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 2:41 PM

Reply-To: [Redacted]  
[Redacted] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Laura Medina

[REDACTED]  
95678

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 2:44 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Diana Ocegüera

[REDACTED]  
95050

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 2:58 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
RAYMOND ORMONDE

[REDACTED]  
95125

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 3:30 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Pedro Ricardo

[REDACTED]  
95050

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 3:43 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Rosemary Faria Saito

[REDACTED]

95116

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 3:45 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Ermelinda Bettencourt

[REDACTED]

95050

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 4:20 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Maria Sequeira

[REDACTED]

93635

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 4:31 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED].davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Andrew Nunes

[REDACTED]  
95127

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 5:16 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Mary Maher

[REDACTED]  
95035

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 5:30 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Maria Weber

[REDACTED]  
95127

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED] >

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 5:30 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Wendell Weber

[Redacted]

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [Redacted]

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 5:47 PM

Reply-To: [Redacted]

[Redacted] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Zelia Trovao

[Redacted]

95209

[Quoted text hidden]

**I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station**

19 messages

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 7:40 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Please dont!!!

Sincerely,  
Crystal Guido

[REDACTED]  
95116

You may not use my contact information for any purpose other than to respond to my concern regarding the subject above, nor may you share my address with any other organization(s) or individual(s).

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 7:41 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Marisol Arzate

[REDACTED]  
[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 7:51 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Roberto Amaral

[REDACTED]  
[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 7:55 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Not ok with this at all!

Sincerely,

Samantha Amaral

[REDACTED]  
[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 8:02 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I respectfully oppose the proposal for 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station, located directly behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The existing 120-foot height policy in the Five Wounds Urban Village Plan should remain in place and not be changed.

Although I no longer live in San Jose, my Portuguese family has called this community home since 1887. The Five Wounds Church and surrounding neighborhood are more than just landmarks—they are living symbols of our heritage, history, and cultural identity. Preserving the character and integrity of this area is vitally important, not only for the Portuguese community but for the city as a whole.

I understand that growth and development are necessary, but progress should not come at the expense of erasing the cultural and historic fabric that makes San Jose unique. I urge you to seek solutions that balance modernization with preservation, allowing for thoughtful development that respects the heritage of this historic neighborhood.

Respectfully,

Star Silva

Sincerely,

Star Silva

[REDACTED]  
83854

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 8:05 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

This is an international church. Bart will ruin the skyline behind it.

Sincerely,  
Alvaro Viramontes

[REDACTED]  
95112

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 8:13 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Lisa Pereira

[REDACTED]  
95148

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 8:48 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
Lisa Pioli

[REDACTED]  
95121

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 9:34 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

We are already overcrowded. Completely inappropriate for this area. You are ruining neighborhoods

Sincerely,

Maureen McMasters

95127

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 9:41 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

It is sad that we are living in a where things are not following through has planned. Sad to see where things can't be transparent from the start versus being bamboozled later on. I believe that this proposal that the city wants to offer is clearly for the benefit of the city and not for the community. Where as if housing was the focal point. Why hasn't vacant warehouses being converted vs creating a mess. I also believe this will create high traffic where it doesn't benefit and creates more chaos has more people coming. Possibly more crime. More trash. Is there going to be enough funds to hire people to keep the area safe and clean. These things sound good but in the end does it really. I just wish the vta listen and be transparent.

Sincerely,

Tania Silveira

95116

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 9:41 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Denise Avila Goncalves

95023

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** <[REDACTED]>

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 10:30 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,  
David Hughes

[REDACTED]  
95128

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 10:34 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

I apposse this because of the increase of traffic.

Sincerely,  
Mary Costa

[REDACTED]  
95115

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED] >

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 10:37 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

I was raised in Santa Clara and spent my weekends with my parents in Little Portugal. I love that area and consider it a travesty to have an ugly BART structure anywhere near the Church and community that my ancestors built. I vehemently oppose 300-foot buildings behind Five Wounds Portuguese Church!

Sincerely,  
Marjorie Rocha

[REDACTED]  
95356

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 10:40 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

I completely oppose BART in our neighborhood.

Sincerely,  
Maria Arzate

[REDACTED]  
95116

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 11:31 PM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Kevin Bettencourt

[REDACTED]  
95324

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Thu, Sep 18, 2025 at 12:34 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Nothing should be towing over this beautiful icon of history. The Five Wounds Church is a place of worship and love. And should not be interpreted as "neighbors" will be possibly complaining nor being able to see into the property as they host private events

Sincerely,

Anthony gaspar

[REDACTED]  
95050

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED]

Thu, Sep 18, 2025 at 7:35 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], martina.davis@sanjoseca.gov, city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov

Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Kevin Loureiro

[REDACTED]  
95116

[Quoted text hidden]

**BART Transit Village Advocates** [REDACTED] >

Thu, Sep 18, 2025 at 9:07 AM

Reply-To: [REDACTED]

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Dear VTA and City of San Jose Planning Department,

I oppose 300-foot-tall buildings at the 28th St/Little Portugal BART Station behind Five Wounds Portuguese National Church. The current plan of record 120-foot-tall policy should not change in the new Five Wounds Urban Village Plan.

Sincerely,

Cidalia cunha

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