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**Subject:** a letter from Blair Beekman. Tuesday January 23, 2018. \_\_\_\_\_ Speech to city council. Item 2.14.

Dear city government of San Jose,

Since the IPA study session of last week, the city government, and the everyday people of San Jose, may be questioning ideas, of how to work toward, better accountability and communication.

We are at a time, of a return, to more friendly, legal precedents. And a return, to better reasoned, government studies and models.

And, ideas of peace, good reasoning, and good organizational structures, in how a city government, and its community, can work better together, towards openness, trust, and healing.

I hope in 2018, we can add the term, healing - along with accountability, public guidelines, civil rights, civil protections, social justice and responsibility, in what can be, more, holistic, sustainable, well rounded ideas, of what technological innovation, can be about.

For San Jose. And, eventually for the country.

And, possibly, eventually, for this earth.

Sincerely,

Blair Beekman