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RE: Blair Beekman. \_\_TE committee agenda. March 1, 2021. Public Comment.

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Dear community of San Jose, and city govt.,

To try once again, to summarize, some of my ideas & feelings, from the special city council meeting on covid -19, last week.

As most understand, the very possible, man-made origins, of Covid-19,

To label & shape, some of our best new community ideas, under the Covid-19 juggernaut, of govt. reform, can simply make people uncomfortable & nervous. And take some getting used to.

As I stated, at last week's public meeting, maybe there is a way, for the importance of these items, to not be placed, under a Covid-19 reform label, in the future.

And learn to simply offer, a very good list, of our better practices, towards equity, reimagine, equality, and our sustainable community future.

As many, equity, reimagine, and positive sustainability ideas, were developing, in San Jose, and across this country, long before the arrival of Covid-19.

Yet it seems, there is a balance, all parts of the community may need to re-learn, from the study session,

As the ideas of equity & positive sustainability, is simply the language, already often used, in current local govt. efforts, as Covid-19 continues.

From all of this, for all of our honest, decent efforts, towards good community practices, equity, and reimagine, at this time,

I hope, in the least, we can all begin, to more actively consider the term, positive sustainability.

And begin, to more openly address, large scale social planning, that does not have to include, the harming of mass numbers of people, to reach important ideals & goals, of our future human society.

With this all said, a list of a few things, I also wanted to mention, at last week's special meeting, on Covid-19. And the future, of positive, community sustainability practices.

The first Covid-19 vaccines, from early last fall, were aerosol vaccines.

Can it begin to be, more openly talked about, if the new, more portable, HVAC systems, to be placed in public schools, at this time, will have this aerosol vaccine capability?

I feel there should be, a non-pressured system, for kids to attend school, 2.5 hours a day, twice a week. With continued, in-home learning,

Or perhaps, for 2 hours, three times a week. And gradually, expand hours, from there.

I feel this can be, a sensitive, beginning approach, that can possibly offer something, to all sides.

Sincerely, Blair Beekman

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