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RE: Case #VTT-72370-CN
CPC-2013-2551-CUB-DB-SPR
CEQA #ENV-2013-2552-EIR
SCH #2013091044

Dear Mr. Lamborn,

I was at the Public Hearing on Tuesday, May 24th in opposition to the size and scale of the Frank Gehry designed 8150 Sunset Blvd project. I was shocked, then I was just plain angry, at the appalling dirty tactics pulled by the developer. Busing in compensated people from out of the area to speak in favor of the project shows the desperation and to what lengths they will go to get what they want. These people probably never heard of Frank Gehry until a week ago. Some of them admitted they were not from the area when they mentioned the street they lived on, and the others just plain lied by saying they lived in the neighborhood. After each of them testified, they were welcomed by an assortment of refreshments down the stairs, on the floor below, outside your hearing room (see accompanying photo). If I had known that this hearing was only about a body count, I would have hired movie extras, and bused them in to speak against the project.

It is wrong to acknowledge testimony from this parade of compensated people that could care less about the project, when you had so many passionate neighbors speaking from their heart that will truly be affected. You too should be outraged that the developer made a mockery of your hearing! The testimony by these outsiders is tainted and should not be considered in your final decision.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Wayne Marmorstein", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

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