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Subject: The Hollywood Center

Dear Ms. Nguyen,

I am writing to request that you extend the time for public comment on the proposed Hollywood Center. A period of 90 days after the lifting of the shelter in place order has been proposed, and this seems fair to me. At the present time, many of the residents and businesses that would be impacted by this project are struggling to cope with unprecedented circumstances. Some are even struggling for survival. Concluding the comment period during this time, when people are distracted by their basic needs, and when there is no way of posing questions in person about this complex project, seems a gift to the developers at the expense of residents. Every day brings more charges of corruption to City Hall and its officials; it is a sensitive time when the appearance of fairness has even more weight than usual.

I have been a resident of District 4 for 45 years, and live about a 15-minute walk from this project. I do not object to the building boom in Hollywood – it is the massive size of this project, grossly out of scale with the neighborhood, that I object to, along with the strains it will put on our crumbling infrastructure.

I implore you to extend the comment time, out of respect to residents, businesses, and the historic dignity of Hollywood's classic buildings, which the whole world comes to see, and which will be dwarfed by this behemoth.

Sincerely,

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