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To: General Plan <generalplan@cityofsanmateo.org>
Subject: Re: FW: Comments for Tonight's General Plan Study Session

Hi Julia,

Thanks so much for your helpful response to my message. I saw the notification about the study session at the bottom of the Jan 18th/Jan 19th Planning Division Weekly Update. I couldn't find an online description of what aspect of the General Plan was going to be presented (other than the outreach schedule that was attached to the agenda), so I just sent all of my thoughts! It would be great if future presentations could be available early enough to attach to the agendas. The email blurbs could specify the types of comments that are needed, too.

I'm so glad there will be more outreach because I wasn't able to attend any of the meetings at the end of last year. Several of them were scheduled just a few weeks in advance and I already had conflicting commitments. If the upcoming meetings can be publicized farther in advance, it would be really helpful!

Are the following comments more along the lines of what you can use at the visioning stage?

1. I'd like San Mateo to be a city where a thriving middle class has adequate supply and quality of housing.
2. I'd like San Mateo to continue to be safe, diverse, and full of green space.
3. I'd like San Mateo to become more transit-oriented and to be a community where residents don't need to drive on a daily basis.

Thank you again!
Panah