

From: Evelyn Stivers [<mailto:estivers@hlcsmc.org>]
Sent: Monday, April 1, 2019 12:17 PM
To: City Mgr <citymgr@cityofsanmateo.org>
Cc: Kohar Kojayan <kkojayan@cityofsanmateo.org>
Subject: Process for GP

Hello Drew and Kohar,

Thanks again for the changes you made to the general plan process. While we appreciate having more time to digest critical information, I was disappointed that the subcommittee was discouraged by a staff person from providing feedback (thank you Kohar for speaking up and overriding that sentiment). Respecting and including the subcommittee in the process requires that they make recommendations to council and that starts with an effective agenda. Having an agenda that rehashes old business is a problem. The agendas need to be tight and they need to include decisions.

Thanks for all of your hard work on the general plan. I hope to see maps from the city soon on what the city sees as underdeveloped land and the housing goal. I honestly feel that having that conversation will help bring people together.

Evelyn Stivers
Executive Director
Housing Leadership Council of San Mateo County
2905 S El Camino Real
San Mateo, CA 94403
510-334-3362 cell
www.hlcsmc.org