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Hello,

Where is democracy? We have voted against raising the height of buildings TWICE!!!! Isn't one vote enough and now you're trying for a third time. ENOUGH!!! You are just like a screaming child throwing a tantrum until you get your way. It's like all of you have sold your souls.

Your way is destroying San Mateo. The designs of the buildings are horrible and empty...future ghettos. Enough Listen to what we have already said.

And please plant some trees. Fifth street garage and the new housing are ugly and at least some trees could help the fronts...

It's so sad what all of you have done to our lives and our town.

And your NIMBY strive San Mateo flyer was heartbreaking...if we don't pass the height restrictions...this will be in your neighborhood....horrible...like so much these days...just horrible.

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