From:	Palo Alto Forward
To:	Council, City; Planning Commission
Subject:	6/15 - Climate Housing Event
Date:	Monday, May 22, 2023 9:09:04 PM

Honorable City Council and Planning & Transportation Commission members,

As I mentioned at the Council meeting tonight, you are invited to attend our climate/housing event with 350SV Palo Alto Climate Action (and a host of local sponsors). Why this event? Why now?

To reduce greenhouse gas emissions during the critical next 10 years in the Bay Area, we need a regional vision that is resilient to climate change, protects open space and biodiversity, and advances infill housing development. Many climate activists are unaware, however, that focusing housing growth in walkable, bikeable communities is one of the biggest opportunities we have to reduce Bay Area pollution and emissions. Join the Nature Conservancy, Greenbelt Alliance, and Green Foothills will be discussing how smart planning for housing can reduce emissions *and* protect our open space and biodiversity.

The event will be held on June 15, from 6:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m. Join us in person at the Stanford Hub or join via Zoom.

Thank you and please let us know if you have any questions.

Amie Ashton Executive Director, Palo Alto Forward

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То:	Perron, Zachary; Binder, Andrew; Sean Allen; Jethroe Moore; Josh Becker; Human Relations Commission;	
	Wagner, April; Reifschneider, James; Javier Ortega; Council, City; Planning Commission; ParkRec Commission;	
	<u>Michael Gennaco; Jeff Rosen; Joe Simitian</u>	
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	Commission; Joe Simitian	
Subject:	"We"re tired of this life": San Jose sweeps another homeless camp - San José Spotlight	
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Provide feedback on Development Center Services

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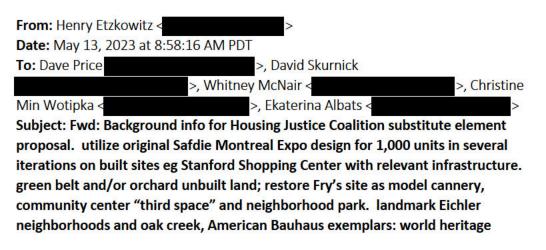
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This is a poor idea, will do nothing but increase the cost of housing.

Vote NO

Bob Taylor

From:	Ken Allen of Palo Alto
To:	Planning Commission
Subject:	Proposed RRP Ordinance
Date:	Wednesday, May 31, 2023 8:04:53 PM

I object to this registry.

It is a disincentive to build rental property.

It can only increase costs to tenants and property holders.

I note the ordinance has no provision to remove a property.

Likewise there is no incentive to participate nor to keep records current other than a virtual criminal penalty.

Most information required is available from existing government records.

Why another level of bureaucracy?

If the issue is excessive rents there is already a mediation mechanism.

The form is invasive. I suggest all those voting to support the RRP be tasked with filling out the registration form for their own properties. Annually.

Ken Allen