

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Edward Rooks Dave Vautin](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:03:42 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Edward Rooks
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Edward Sullivan](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:17:05 PM

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Sincerely,
Edward Sullivan

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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Ela Pete](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:05:28 AM

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Sincerely,
Ela Pete
San Jose, CA XXXXX
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Elinor Liberman](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 5:19:21 PM

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Sincerely,
Elinor Liberman
San Francisco, CA [REDACTED]
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Elizabeth Bacon](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:28:11 AM

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Sincerely,
Elizabeth Bacon
Boulder Creek, CA XXX
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Elizabeth Gioumouis](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 4:33:10 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. Please limit housing to infill areas, near transit. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Elizabeth Gioumouis

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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Ellen Farmer Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:38:13 AM

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Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

The only thing that belongs in these open areas is a huge fire break. We don't need more housing in the Wildland Urban Interface, or the WUI. Fires that start near those areas are very difficult to put out, as you've seen in the Santa Cruz Mountains, Napa Valley, and Butte County. Build housing in the in-fill areas -- and make lots of it affordable. We are living in a new era where we need to make different decisions. Please be leaders, not sheep. Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Ellen Farmer
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Ellen Hall](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:50:37 PM

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Sincerely,
Ellen Hall
Pacifica, CA [REDACTED]
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Ellen Hall](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:51:30 PM

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Sincerely,
Ellen Hall
Pacifica, CA [REDACTED]
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Ellie Cesario](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:17:18 AM

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Sincerely,
Ellie Cesario
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Elwyn Collins Dave Vautin](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:29:46 AM

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Sincerely,
Elwyn Collins
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Emily Renzel Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:45:42 AM

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Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Housing belongs in our infill areas, not in open space, watersheds, and greenbelts. Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. Thank you for your consideration.

Please encourage infill before degrading the last significant open spaces in Santa Clara County or removing Class A farmland.

Sincerely,
Emily Renzel
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Eric Carruthers](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:46:59 AM

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Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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We need to protect our agricultural land so that food can be grown near the region's population thus reducing transportation cost and generation of climate changing emissions. The UN projects that by the end of the century the world be facing serious food shortages. Agricultural land is precious and irreplaceable.

New housing should be constructed within existing urban areas so as to support public transportation, thus reducing private auto use. Climate change is serious. Automobiles are the prime source of climate changing emissions in the Bay Area.

We cannot go on promoting sprawl as the solution for urban growth

Sincerely, Eric Carruthers

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Eric Carruthers
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Erica Stanojevic](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:19:43 PM

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Sincerely,
Erica Stanojevic

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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Erin Barca](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:22:03 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

This process is supposed to follow good land use and planning principles, including focusing new growth in infill areas close to transit, while avoiding sprawl into open space and rural areas. But the recommended methodology being voted on tonight, called "Option 8A," does the opposite. It puts 4,137 new housing units in the unincorporated area of Santa Clara County — in other words, on our open space, farmland and rural communities. To put this in context, the previous RHNA allocation for unincorporated Santa Clara County was only 277 units. That's a 1,300% increase from the previous RHNA allocations! By contrast, the increase for the Bay Area as a whole is only 134%.

Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley. This is not acceptable to me. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Erin Barca
San Ramon, CA
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From: eedfern@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Erin Redfern](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 11:23:42 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Erin Redfern

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Erin Redfern
1415 Millich Ct San Jose, CA 95117-3629
eedfern@gmail.com

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Evan Jane Kriss](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 3:31:24 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley.

We MUST consider the habitats and migration paths of native animals before allowing ANY DEVELOPMENT in these areas. Wildlife Biologists must be consulted.

Building in the wild land interface is also HIGHLY irresponsible when it has been shown that these areas are most susceptible to wildfires.

Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Evan Jane Kriss

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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Eve Meier Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
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Sincerely,
Eve Meier
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Faith King](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:27:27 AM

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Sincerely,
Faith King
San Jose, CA XXXXX
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Florence Silverman Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:59:56 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Florence Silverman
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Frank Barron](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:58:45 AM

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Sincerely,
Frank Barron
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Fred Rinne](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 11:56:02 AM

External Email

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In San Francisco where I live all the new housing is expensive condos or investment real estate which stays empty. Pushing new housing without regard for (currently collapsing workers' income levels) is a recipe for failure.

Thank you for your time,
Fred Rinne

Sincerely,
Fred Rinne

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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Freda Hofland](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 12:11:03 PM

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Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

We do need to build more housing but we need it in our cities and infill areas, not on our open space. Sprawl development is a huge contributor to greenhouse gas emissions because living out on the edge of cities forces people to drive everywhere they go. Moreover, after this year's wildfires, it should be clear that building more homes in the wildland-urban interface (WUI) is a bad idea. Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space.

Sincerely,

Freda B. Hofland

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Freda Hofland
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [G Kaur Dave Vautin](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:15:57 AM

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Sincerely,
G Kaur
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Gabriele Cressman](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 3:36:45 PM

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Sincerely,
Gabriele Cressman
Montara, CA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Gabriella Carne](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 5:21:59 PM

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Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

I do not agree with Option 8A's methodology. I believe we need more affordable housing, but we need it in our cities. If this is passed it will threaten our open spaces (carbon sinks) and further increase greenhouse gas emissions from long commutes which will also worsen traffic on our already heavily trafficked roadways. Please take action to eliminate these harmful impacts to our environment. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Gabriella Carne

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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Garnetta Annable](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 12:09:23 PM

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Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Seriously--decisions need to be made by local planners and leaders. Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Garnetta Annable

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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Gary Bailey](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 4:50:42 PM

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Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Please do not degrade our climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire protection, and our open space with Option 8A's methodology. San Jose has recently committed to protect major open space in Coyote Valley, including critical wildlife corridors. Do not degrade San Jose's efforts in Coyote Valley.

Sincerely,
Gary Bailey

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [GayleGayle Spencer](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
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Sincerely,
GayleGayle Spencer
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [George Thomas Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space Thursday,
Date: October 15, 2020 6:24:13 AM

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Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

We oppose Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. Thank you for your consideration. For over 40 years we have fought to keep Coyote Open for open space, farming, animal migration, our hard work has been paying off and accomplishing this goal.

In Morgan Hill county lands to do not have infrastructure for development. Lack of sewer, roads, water and other city services are not available and would destroy the environment. All buildings need to be in infill in the established cities.

We own 77 acres outside the urban service area in Morgan Hill where we are trying to stay in agriculture and preserve open space. We cannot be successful with more dense housing and smaller lot sizes.

Again we oppose this change in land planning.

Sincerely,
George Thomas
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Gloria Liban](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:52:10 PM

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Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

I understand housing situation in Santa Clara county needs solutions. There are options that doesn't encroach into the green open spaces. We need these spaces to maintain the well being of our flora and fauna and more importantly the health and happiness of our future generation. To understand the importance of our open spaces, please go, see, and experience the joy it brings you when you hike , walk or bike in these wonderful protected green areas we have now.

Keep Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Gloria Liban
San Jose, CA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Gloria Linder
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 3:31:40 PM

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My husband and I treasure the farmland in Coyote Valley. This area has been identified as a route for wildlife to go from Santa Cruz Mountain Open Space to Diablo Mountain Open Space. areas. This is NOT the place to put in housing for people. San Jose has already established it as a wildlife corridor. It has also been identified as important area for farmland.

We are bird watchers and wildlife conservationists and do not see why you would ever consider taking away this valuable resource for the South Bay Area.

Please find housing in the cities where the jobs are.

There is already traffic gridlock on 101 between Gilroy and San Jose during the commute hours. You need to find places in San Jose and the cities where the jobs are to create more housing. Before you ever consider more housing, PLEASE EXPAND AFFORDABLE COMMUTER SERVICE BY TRAIN. WE DO NOT HAVE ADEQUATE TRAIN SERVICE FROM THE SOUTH BAY..

There is also a huge backup on HWY 25 TO HOLLIISTER that EXACERBATES the HWY 101 traffic. Find out how people will get to their jobs before you put in any more housing in South San Jose, Morgan Hill , Gilroy, and Hollister!!!

DO NOT spoil the open farmland and wildlife corridors for more ticky tacky housing developments!

Thank you very much.

Sincerely,
Gloria Linder
Gilroy, CA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Gordon Foster Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:26:07 AM

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Sincerely,
Gordon Foster
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Grace Lenhart](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:34:20 AM

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It is important to maintain our open spaces. We must leave a healed planet to our descendants.

Sincerely,
Grace Lenhart
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Grace Pan](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:48:58 AM

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Sincerely,
Grace Pan
San Jose, CA XXX
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Gregory Piligian](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:23:27 AM

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Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

I'm writing to urge the Board to reject further consideration of "Option 8A". A coalition of government and private organizations have recently completed the protection of sections of Coyote Valley from industrial development. This effort was decades in the making.

Pursuing Option 8A for housing would effectively cancel out the gains that will come from the above-mentioned protections. It is simply bad policy rooted in the "suburban sprawl" past. The Board should be directing its attention to placing housing in infill areas where transit can also be built out or utilized if already in place.

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Sincerely,
Gregory Piligian
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Guy Zahller Dave Vautin](#)
To: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space Thursday,
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Sincerely,
Guy Zahller
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Harry Turner](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 12:11:04 PM

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Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

You are fully aware that the people of Santa Clara Valley committed to themselves and their descendants regional open space planning that sustained its benefits to our entire environment. Recall creation of MROSD in 1972, private POST, Santa Clara Valley Open Space, many City plans all to direct needed development and residences to infill areas. A current illustration is the Stanford Terrace, AKA Stanford Wedge, commitment to affordable housing.

Coyote Valley should continue to be protected from its great risk of sprawl development.

Now, you are considering a damaging, enduring pervasive described here, "Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space.

Harry A. Turner

Sincerely,
Harry Turner

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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Heather Faulhaber](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
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Sincerely,
Heather Faulhaber
Morgan Hill, CA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Heather Lattanzi Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space Thursday,
Date: October 15, 2020 8:26:52 AM

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Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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It is folly to build housing in the urban/wildlands interface. Is nobody paying attention to climate change? Have you not noticed the record 4 million acres that have burned this year alone in CA? California needs to do several things: 1) re-examine the RHNA numbers. I do not believe we need to add this much housing. Who cares if some people and businesses move to Austin, TX? It's worth it to forego some growth and preserve the beauty of our area. Otherwise why would anyone want to live here? 2) Build housing in infill areas - preferably in city centers. Has anyone noticed that nobody is using malls anymore? That office buildings no longer need to be as large because we're heading toward mixed at-home and in-office work? 3) When building housing, we must upgrade our infrastructure at the same time. Rather than building brand new neighborhoods in pristine landscapes, we must re-think our city centers, adding density where it has the least effect on our environment. And BTW, when adding density in cities, we MUST plan for open, plant filled spaces to avoid a future hellscape of urban concrete jungles that create heat islands in our inevitably warming climate.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Heather Lattanzi
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Heather Perlitch](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:57:49 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

I grew up in Mountain View and saw all of the orchards disappear. It's so easy to decide a little at a time to encroach on open space. Please do not make the same mistake this time around. YOU NEVER GET BACK THE OPEN SPACE. OUR WILDLIFE NEVER RECOVERS AND WE HUMANS LOSE OUR FOOD, OUR WATER AND OUR ABSOLUTE REQUIREMENT FOR EXERCISE AND FRESH AIR.

Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Heather Perlitch
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Heidi Gillispie Dave Vautin](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:55:20 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Heidi Gillispie
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Hoai-An Truong](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 5:05:39 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley.

I am a climate activist for over 5 years. I am with Mothers Out Front Silicon Valley. We need to protect Coyote Valley for carbon sequestration: for removing carbon out of the atmosphere. We absolutely cannot reach our climate goals WITHOUT removing carbon from the atmosphere. Reducing emissions alone will not be enough according to the IPCC report.

This project contributes to urban sprawl, when all the climate research says we need to live, work and run errands in high density city neighborhoods in order to lower our VMT and carbon footprint. This project is absolutely the wrong direction to go.

Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Hoai-An Truong
San Jose, CA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Holly Lane](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:36:26 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley. While new housing is needed in the Bay Area, I know as I had to leave my beloved Bay Area to find affordable housing, infill is the best option, not sprawl into what serves as wild fire buffer zones and green space. I come back regularly to hike in Coyote Valley as this area so beautiful. Having to live in the Central Valley I realized how special the Bay Area is for protecting green spaces. It is a model for the world, please don't allow this development. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Holly Lane
Merced, CA XXXXX
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Hugh MacMillan](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:12:47 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space.

Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Hugh MacMillan
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Isabelle Krystynak](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 12:29:58 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Isabelle Krystynak

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [J Burchinal](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:12:49 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

One of the great things about living in San Jose is our proximity to wild open space around us.

Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
J Burchinal

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [J Stuart](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 5:23:23 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Sprawl development does not belong in our open space. These areas must be protected. Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County. It harms the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
J Stuart

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jack Boren](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 4:01:08 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Jack Boren

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jacquelin Jones](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 5:47:41 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Jacquelin Jones

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [JAMES BENJAMIN](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:02:46 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space.

At a time when the public embraces the principles of more walkable cities, recognizes the environmental services of natural landscapes, and watches development at the urban-wildland interface burned by fires aggravated by climate change, it is long past time to put a limit on the areas we are willing to sacrifice to sprawl.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
JAMES BENJAMIN
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [James Feichtl](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:54:24 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
James Feichtl
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [James Marshall](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:58:37 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. Thank you for your consideration. NO development in the Coyote Valley!!

Sincerely,
James Marshall
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jamie Le](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:41:41 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Jamie Le
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jane Dalpino](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 1:37:55 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. Thank you for your consideration

Our society will become ill , mentally and physically , if there are no more open spaces. You should be building up and not out. Open spaces are easy pickings for contractors, but the demise of these areas would be disastrous for humans. We need wildlife and open spaces. ,not just little city parks.

Please rethink your actions, for the future of the area.

Sincerely,
Jane Dalpino

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jane Fawke Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:12:21 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Jane Fawke
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [JANE GO Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:19:55 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
JANE GO
Burlingame, CA XXXXX
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jane Mulcaster](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:05:47 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

As a lifelong resident of San Jose, I strongly oppose the approach option 8A is taking to solve Santa Clara County's housing problems. Urban sprawl endangers wildlife, increases carbon emissions, blights open spaces, and increases wildfire risk. I urge you to seek solutions that make use of spaces that are already developed to help solve our pressing housing issues.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Jane Mulcaster
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Janet Creech](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:32:24 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Janet Creech
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From: XXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Janet Davis](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:50:45 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. Thank you for your consideration.

I live in Menlo Park but when I travel south I am utterly appalled at the ill planned urban spread of cookie cutter homes that cover what used to be beautiful hills and valleys. With global warming humanity needs trees and open spaces. The time has come to limit the number of commercial development that creates this constant proliferation of sprawl into every corner of the land. Traveling down Central Express or 101 there are huge expanses of one story commercial buildings with acres of ground level parking lots. This is stupid planning. Changes need to be made and covering the coyote Valley or other rural areas with housing does nothing to solve any of society's problems.
Janet Davis

Sincerely,
Janet Davis
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Janet Galen](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:03:59 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Janet Galen
Menlo Park, CA XXX
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Janice BARTOLOTTA](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:30:08 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley.

There is need for housing but there is real NEED for detailed planning , city in fill and maintaining a balance of open spaces, agriculture and housing. With societal shifts due to the pandemic, knee jerk housing decisions need to be re examined.

Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Janice BARTOLOTTA
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [jarnail dhaddey](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:53:04 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
jarnail dhaddey
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jean Blomquist Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:45:01 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Affordable housing is crucial, but it should be placed in infill areas, not rural or open space areas, which are needed for wildlife preservation, flood mitigation, and climate change resilience--not to mention psychological "space" for those who live in a highly urban environment.

Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Jean Blomquist
Morgan Hill

Sincerely,
Jean Blomquist
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jean Hyland](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:56:16 PM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Jean Hyland

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jeanine Peek](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 11:14:04 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. The wildland fires are happening more as we grow housing into nature and that needs to stop. Placing firefighters and homeowners in danger and homes and wildlife at risk, is irresponsible. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Jeanine Peek

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jeannette Ralston Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:38:15 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Jeannette Ralston
Half Moon Bay, CA XXXXX
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [jeannie duisenberg](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:04:56 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

It seems unfathomable that ABAG would take action to put new housing in new Wild Urban Interface areas when we have just lost 600 homes in a currently still burning fire in other WUI areas. How are we ever to get a handle on California's annual devastating fires if we ignore one of the remediation issues----avoid building in WUI areas. ABAG should be a leader in opposing new wild urban interface building and look for solutions by infilling.

Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space.

Thank you for your consideration..

Sincerely,
jeannie duisenberg
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jeff Brandon](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 1:19:25 PM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Jeff Brandon

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jeff Ligouri](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 1:11:48 PM

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Sincerely,
Jeff Ligouri

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jeffrey Levin](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 5:24:10 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Jeffrey Levin

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jeffrey Micko](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 4:57:52 PM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Jeffrey Micko

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jennie Richards Dave Vautin](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space Thursday,
Date: October 15, 2020 8:10:47 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Jennie Richards
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jennifer Hetterly](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:05:22 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Jennifer Hetterly
Palo Alto, CA XXXXX
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jennifer Krenzin](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:58:38 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Jennifer Krenzin
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jennifer Penkethman Dave Vautin](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:06:26 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space.

I am for more housing in the Bay Area. But please find somewhere else that new housing may be located! Our open spaces are far too valuable to allow development on them.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Jennifer Penkethman
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jennifer Rios](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 11:05:10 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley. Please do not approve Option 8A. Please keep our open space open and our wildlife safe. This is what those of us in South County love about the area. We love the wildlife, outdoor opportunities and smaller community feel. Please limit the sprawl and keep housing close to the city center and out of the open space. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Jennifer Rios
San Jose, CA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jennifer Will](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:55:10 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Jennifer Will

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jerry](#)
To: [Torrance Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:20:11 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Jerry Torrance
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jill Grant](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 12:58:58 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Jill Grant

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jill Kilty Newburn](#) [Dave Vautin](#)
To:
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:47:56 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Jill Kilty Newburn
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jill McAnally](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:45:46 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Jill McAnally
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jim Kuhl](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:50:48 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Jim Kuhl
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jim Lipman](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 11:35:30 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Please do NOT target open space! We desperately need retain open space near our huge cities!.

Sincerely,
Jim Lipman
Portola Valley, CA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Joan Scott](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:49:52 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Thank you,

Joan Scott

Sincerely,
Joan Scott
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [JOAN](#)
To: [SHERLOCK Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:18:00 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
JOAN SHERLOCK
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [JoAnn Smith Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:49:39 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
JoAnn Smith
San Jose, CA XXXXX
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Joanna Holmes Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:47:23 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Joanna Holmes
Palo Alto, CA XXXXX
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Joanne Seavey-Hultquist](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 12:24:34 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Joanne Seavey-Hultquist

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Joel Gartland](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 1:06:56 PM

External Email

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IWe need more housing, but we need to keep it in the existing developed area as much as possible, and this is not how to dot that.

Sincerely,
Joel Gartland
Palo Alto, CA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Joey Richardson](#) [Dave Vautin](#)
To: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Subject: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:30:34 AM
Date:

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Joey Richardson
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [John Bertaina](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:11:35 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
John Bertaina
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [John Binay](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 12:23:20 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Please protect nature, for the sake of our future generations!! Earth is to be shared with all beings, not only humans!

Sincerely,
John Binay
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [John Crowell](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 3:53:01 PM

External Email

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Sincerely,
John Crowell

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [John Gonsalves](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:12:48 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
John Gonsalves
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [John MacInnis Dave Vautin](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:27:58 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
John MacInnis
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [John Metcalfe](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:31:30 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

We've all worked so hard to save Coyote Valley. Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. John

Sincerely,
John Metcalfe
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [John Miller](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:06:59 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
John Miller
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [John](#)
To: [Morewood](#) [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:19:16 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. Thank you for your consideration.

The populace needs open green spaces if "we" are to stay sane. We have learned that mile after mile of suburbs is not a good use of dwindling resources and cause more harm. You need to focus on fixing the cities 1st rather than fill politicians and developers coffers ...

Sincerely,
John Morewood
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [John Petrak](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 11:46:03 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
John Petrak

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Honorable John Seybert](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 4:23:50 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space.

As a former Mayor of Redwood City, I know the need for more housing and have supported the construction of thousands of units of housing within infill, transit oriented areas.

Housing in the open space areas of any county is wrong! You have the opportunity to do the right thing and protect our open space areas.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Honorable John Seybert

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jon Silver](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 1:39:48 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. Thank you so much for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Jon Silver

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jonathan Fuelleman](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 4:02:22 PM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Jonathan Fuelleman

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jonathan Gottlieb](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:52:07 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Jonathan Gottlieb
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jonathan Johnson](#) [Dave Vautin](#)
To: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Subject: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:19:08 AM
Date:

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Jonathan Johnson
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From: XX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jonathan Longcore](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:53:17 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

I lived in Palo Alto from 1954 to 1974 and returned the last few years to spend the last years of my mom's life in that same house. I am concerned about losing more of the undeveloped areas in the beautiful Bay Area. Public housing can increase cooperatively with open space commitments. I fear that Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Jonathan Longcore
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jordan Hashemi-Briskin Dave Vautin](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:47:39 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Jordan Hashemi-Briskin
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Josephine Coffey](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:26:20 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Josephine Coffey
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Joshua Sonnenfeld Dave Vautin](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:34:05 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Joshua Sonnenfeld
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Joyce Summers](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:57:01 PM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Joyce Summers
San Jose, CA [REDACTED]
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Judith Butts](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 4:16:41 PM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Judith Butts

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Judith Marlin](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:24:53 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Judith Marlin
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Judith Smith](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:56:57 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

We need to preserve and protect vital open space. Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Judith Smith
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [judith worrall Dave Vautin](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:06:13 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Please use infill land, not the last spaces open to wildlife, for housing. Rezoning urban spaces can also work.

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Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
judith worrall
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Judy Rickard Dave Vautin](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space Thursday,
Date: October 15, 2020 11:44:10 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Judy Rickard
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jules Sofer](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:15:19 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. Thank you for your consideration. The emphasis should be on infill over sprawl always. Our environment is precious.

Sincerely,
Jules Sofer
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Julie Beer Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:46:25 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Julie Beer
Palo Alto, CA XXXXX
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Julie Iorns](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:03:51 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Please protect our beautiful Coyote Valley open space!

Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Julie Iorns
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Julie Makrai](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 1:42:54 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Julie Makrai

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Justine Saffir Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:32:35 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

One of the largest quality of life issues right now is urbanization and the loss of natural lands. Building on open space should be a last resort if ever allowed. Instead, we should be working to reuse the space already built on in ways that serve the community better. (And we should make sure we put in trees and other growing things around) that development as much as possible, punctuating parking lots, streets, and housing complexes. Please don't build housing or allow businesses to build industry on our precious open space.

Coyote Valley in particular is important habitat for wildlife that is a key part of the balance of ecology for our area. Those concerned with the quality of human life are ignorant not to be as concerned for wildlife, as we are hugely impacted by the health of our environment. Coyote Valley provides a "throughway" for wildlife moving between natural areas, as well, and must be preserved as much as possible to allow for that as well.

PLEASE, place new development within the boundaries already developed. Preserve the quality of the Bay Area for all of us.

Sincerely,
Justine Saffir
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Justyne Schnupp](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 4:33:29 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Justyne Schnupp

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jyn Myatt](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:38:48 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley.

We have no business building in Coyote Valley. We need to infill the land in our urbanized areas sustainably. We cannot sacrifice our ecosystems our animals our plants our trees our water and the future of our children simply because we can't think long term. We are running out of wild places we are running out of corridors this way of life cannot continue even one more generation.

Let's give the next generation a chance by not destroying what's left of the vital water recharge areas and ecosystem corridors necessary to avert climate change, To save the nature we all depend on and not create irreversible ecosystem collapse which will very much affect every one of us and our children's children. Please understand that the current system business as usual, the growth economy and unchecked development is failing us all.

Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Jyn Myatt
Morgan Hill, CA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]