

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Nabeel Al-Shamma](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:33:05 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,
Nabeel Al-Shamma
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Nan Morgan](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 11:30:50 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Nan Morgan
Morgan Hill, CA XXXXX
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [nancy barnby Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:18:53 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Please, please do not allow sprawling development near important open space areas. One of the reasons that the Bay Area is such a great place to live is that we have so much open space. Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to that space and to the wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley which passes under Highway 101.

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

Sincerely,
nancy barnby
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Nancy Floyd](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:01:03 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Nancy Floyd
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Nancy Hay](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:32:38 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Nancy Hay
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Nancy Hornor](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:07:44 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Dont encourage more sprawl! 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,
Nancy Hornor
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Nancy Martin](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:27:03 PM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Nancy Martin

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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Nancy Martin](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:27:16 PM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Nancy Martin

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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Nancy Nilssen](#) [Dave Vautin](#)
To: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Subject: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:42:59 AM
Date:

External Email

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Sincerely,
Nancy Nilssen
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Nancy Reyerling](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:24:58 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Nancy Reyerling
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Nanlouise Wolfe](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:03:00 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Nanlouise Wolfe
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Neil Etling](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:47:19 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. Coyote Valley is a treasure for all the reasons listed and more. Once the valley is developed, there is no way to bring this back, and future generations will have forever lost this critical environment, wildlife thoroughway and resource balance 'anchor'. Most of all, our most recent experience with the pandemic has taught us is that we must retain the peace and the beauty of this special valley for all in our community. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Neil Etling
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Nicole Corleone](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Friday, October 16, 2020 2:25:42 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Nicole Corleone
Los Angeles, CA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Nikki Nafziger](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Friday, October 16, 2020 1:02:32 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Nikki Nafziger

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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Nina Bell](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:05:37 AM

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Sincerely,
Nina Bell
Palo Alto, CA
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Nina Hostetler Dave Vautin](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:29:10 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Nina Hostetler
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Noah Haydon](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 11:33:59 AM

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Sincerely,
Noah Haydon
Daly City, CA [REDACTED]
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Noreen Suczek](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:51:28 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Noreen Suczek
Burlingame, CA XXXXX
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Norma Wallace](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 1:59:50 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

It seems to me all manner of damage is being done under cover of Covid. Please know that I am not simply a fourth generation San Franciscan. Not simply an environmentalist. Not simply a person who believes in living lightly so others can simply live.

I am Ohlone, one of the original people of this land. My ancestors cared for this land for thousands of years. With respect. Now this.

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 start thinking about what happened 500 years from now, not just tomorrow.

Thank you for your consideration.

I am Ohlone. We are here.

Sincerely,
Norma Wallace

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Norman Arslan](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:17:25 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Norman Arslan
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [P D Gerris](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:51:01 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
P D Gerris
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [P Goodrich](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 11:45:46 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

It's simple: save the land for nature, even if shared with people enjoying it. 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. We're a dying planet due mainly to the follies of humans not preserving it.

P Goodrich

Sincerely,
P Goodrich
Stanford, CA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Pam North
To: Dave Vautin
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 1:08:15 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Pam North
Los Gatos, CA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

From: XXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Pat Lang](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:39:18 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Pat Lang
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Pat Marriott](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:43:31 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Pat Marriott
Los Altos, CA XXXXX
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Patricia Blevins Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:34:12 AM

External Email

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I, along with many other residents of San Jose and Santa Clara County spent many hours over several years trying to convince the SJ City Council to protect Coyote Valley. We were successful and the State stepped in to add protections against business development of Coyote Valley and to change the SJ 2040 plan. Now you step in and threaten this wonderful wildlife reserve with housing ?????? The sprawl that exists currently in Santa Clara county and especially in SJ does not need expansion!

We need to expand the inner Cities within our County and build more units where resources already exist and NOT in this one last wild place where animals live and thrive and CO2 gases are sequestered and flood control exists and the quiet beauty of nature is available to all who want to hike and visit this area to be restored. DON'T destroy this beautiful place!

Patricia Blevins
San Jose

Sincerely,
Patricia Blevins
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Patricia Eaton](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:55:02 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Patricia Eaton
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Patricia Kidd Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:18:53 AM

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Sincerely,
Patricia Kidd
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Patricia Kinney](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:25:47 AM

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Sincerely,
Patricia Kinney
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Patty Linder](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:42:09 AM

External Email

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One thing the wildfires have taught us is that housing should be in urban areas utilizing infill. It should not be expanded into wildlands.

Sincerely,
Patty Linder
San Jose, CA XXXXX
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Paul Hammes](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 12:53:07 PM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Paul Hammes

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Paul Nyhof](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 3:09:04 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Please rethink Option 8A's conclusion that more housing should be built in Coyote Valley. This region fo the world is so special specifically because we value open spaces and this is a direct threat and erosion of our natural areas. Bit by bit, Coyote Valley could be whittled away to nothing. Please consider building up, not out. Please retain the myriad of value this area has for climate change, protection of vulnerable species, and the citizen's mental and physical wellbeing. Keep development out of Coyote Valley.

Thank you

-Paul Nyhof
Voter and Educator

Sincerely,
Paul Nyhof

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Peggy Hennessee](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 12:22:22 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Please regard the Santa Clara County open space and farmland areas as no-build zones. They are not on the menu, get them off the table.

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Sincerely,
Peggy Hennessee
Los Altos, CA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Penny Noel](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:54:43 AM

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Sincerely,
Penny Noel
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Peter Hartzman](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 3:32:24 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. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. Thank you for your consideration. Housing should be located where people live and work and not somewhere out of the way that has no transportation or job centers. Existing open space like the Coyote Valley need to be protected.

Sincerely,
Peter Hartzman

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Peter Ingram](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 12:55:27 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

I am a housing proponent and fully support a much more aggressive focus on solving the region's shortage at all income levels. That said, our existing infill areas are woefully underutilized, and must be the priority for expanding our housing stock. 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.

Respectfully,
Peter C Ingram

Sincerely,
Peter Ingram

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Phil and Rockey](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:05:35 AM

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Sincerely,
Phil and Rockey
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Philip Purpuri
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 1:10:28 PM

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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. New housing should fill in existing city limits, population density should be increased in city neighborhoods rather than create sprawl and destroy biodiversity. There are many opportunities in cities to create high density housing rather than office complexes. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Philip Purpuri

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [pinkyjain pan](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:48:51 AM

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Sincerely,
pinkyjain pan

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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [R.Zierikzee](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:24:12 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Please, please keep Coyote Valley as it is for all our sakes.

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Sincerely,
R. Zierikzee
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Radel Liban](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 2:50:37 PM

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

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

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Sincerely,
Randy Schwartz
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Rea Freedom](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
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Sincerely,
Rea Freedom
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Rebecca Anderson](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
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Sincerely,
Rebecca Anderson

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Rebecca Habermann](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:18:51 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,
Rebecca Habermann
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Rebecca Schoenenberger](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 12:13:20 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Open space is critical. Plus we have already paved over the most fertile soil in the world - our agricultural spaces are equally precious in preserving open space & keeping soil healthy. Do not squander our precious resources with big profit infill.

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,
Rebecca Schoenenberger

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Reetta Raag](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 12:16:13 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Reetta Raag
Orinda, CA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Rene Spring](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:58:23 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Rene Spring
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Renee Tolero](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:17:52 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Renee Tolero
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Richard Lanman](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:42:29 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Richard Lanman

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Richard Payne](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:34:36 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Retain what little open space we still have close to our urban environments. 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,
Richard Payne
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Richard Solorio](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:29:53 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Richard Solorio
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Rick Drain](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 11:43:05 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Your organization's guidelines specify infill development, near existing mass transit. Coyote Valley is neither of those. It will be a traffic aggravator, and far too exposed to wildfires.

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,
Rick Drain

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Rick Horne](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:48:40 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Rick Horne
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Rita Foster Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:01:24 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Rita Foster
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Rob Rondanini](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:39:55 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Rob Rondanini

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Robert Chavez](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:38:35 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,
Robert Chavez
San Martin, CA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Robert Levy Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:37:19 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

As a current member of the County Planning Commission and a former member of the San Jose Planning Commission I am well acquainted with the Coyote Valley and am opposed to Option 8A.

The mid Coyote Valley is extremely valuable to the County. It serves as a critical barrier to urban sprawl. Preventing San Jose from connecting with Morgan Hill and becoming one giant sprawling urban area. The area serves as a wildlife corridor between the Santa Cruz Mountains and the Diablo range. As temperatures rise this corridor will be critical to the survival of migrating animals. Finally the land needs to stay rural to maintain Santa Clara County's agricultural heritage. Santa Clara's agricultural lands are under constant threat of development. The mid-Coyote Valley contains prime agricultural lands and should be protected.

Please take these impacts into consideration when making your decision. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Robert Levy
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Robert Reese](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:38:21 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

In Santa Clara County Palo Alto, Cupertino and Santa Clara have not done their fair share of housing development commensurate with the job growth they allow in their jurisdictions.

It is in these cities you need to require more housing than your current staff report recommends.

The southern Santa Clara County areas and cities of San Jose, Morgan Hill and Gilroy provide more than their fair share of housing relative to much more limited job creation than the northern Santa Clara County job growth centers.

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,
Robert Reese
San Jose, CA XXXXX
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Robert Shostak](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 11:27:52 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Please do not embark on this one-way journey that will do irreparable harm to the remaining open space (and wildlife) of Santa Clara county, and especially to Coyote Valley - which will also negatively impact the resilience to climate change and wildfire risk. Many thanks for your consideration!

Sincerely,
Robert Shostak
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Robert Weissburg](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:30:53 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Robert Weissburg
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Robin Shepherd Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:39:41 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

I have lived in Santa Clara County for almost 40 years and hiked every county, open space and state park trail that I could. We are blessed with wonderful places for people of all ages to enjoy. 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. We need to preserve, because we cannot go back once we have paved and developed and driven and dumped on pristine lands. Thank you for your consideration. I appreciate all that you do for our community.

Sincerely,
Robin Shepherd
Morgan Hill, CA XXXXX
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Ron Ruth Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:59:37 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Ron Ruth
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Rose Navarra](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 3:47:39 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. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Rose Navarra

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Rose Urias](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 12:34:27 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Rose Urias

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Rosemary Lojo](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:34:40 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,
Rosemary Lojo

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Rosemary Marcantonio Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:51:48 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,
Rosemary Marcantonio
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Ross Heitkamp](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:18:19 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

I am disappointed at the ABAGs myopic view of the world being only about housing. I support increasing the density of our existing cities, but I oppose expansion of housing into rural areas and especially into open space. COVID-19 has show just how valuable and necessary these open spaces are to support our communities getting safely out for exercise and sanity breaks. As we gain understanding of our environment, we also learn how vital these natural corridors are to wildlife to keep connections between otherwise fractured areas that would not be big enough to support the full gamut of animals, particularly the apex predators necessary for the health of the system.

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Sincerely,
Ross Heitkamp
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Ruth Sherer](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 5:19:20 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.

Please save these lands while we still can!!! There's no going back!

Thank you all, Ruth (Sherer)
Palo Alto

Sincerely,
Ruth Sherer

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [S.Chapek](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:54:12 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Please keep Coyote Valley as 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,
S. Chapek
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Sabryna Studzinski](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:47:26 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Please take action to eliminate impacts to 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.

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

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Sabryna Studzinski
San Jose, CA XXXXX
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From: XXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Sandra Lim](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:50:30 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,
Sandra Lim
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Sandy Shapero](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:50:30 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,
Sandy Shapero

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Sara Haugen Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:27:44 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. In 2018, the voters of San Jose allocated funding to protect open space like Coyote Valley. We need housing, but not sprawl that will further endanger and encroach upon the wildlife of our region.

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

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Sara Haugen
Mountain View, CA XXXXX
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Sara Hayden](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 1:46:59 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Sara Hayden

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Sarah Kim](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 1:58:58 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,
Sarah Kim
Santa Clara, CA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Sarah Townsend Dave Vautin](#)
To: [Sarah Townsend Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space Thursday,
Date: October 15, 2020 9:42:56 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,
Sarah Townsend
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Saskia Etling](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Friday, October 16, 2020 6:37:03 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

There is very little open space left in Santa Clara County and the Bay Area. We have already developed across the entire Santa Clara Valley. There is plenty of space in the land we've already occupied to build housing and other development. What we don't have enough of is undeveloped land, open space and wildlife habitat.

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,
Saskia Etling
Santa Clara, CA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [saundra holloway](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:14:57 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

I write you today because 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,
saundra holloway

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Shannon McEntee Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:07:44 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,
Shannon McEntee
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Sheila Kulkarni](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 12:36:43 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our 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,
Sheila Kulkarni
Santa Clara, CA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Shell Cleave](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:27:56 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.

There is very little wild spaces left in the county, we don't need more urban sprawl, we need condensed housing near transportation, restaurants, and business.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Shell Cleave
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [singgih tan](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 1:46:59 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. New developments in rural areas have high exposure to wildfires. Whether or not we live in high exposure areas, all Californians bear the cost of wildfires, through our taxes & homeowners' insurance premiums. My insurance premium skyrocketed over 20% in from 2019 to 2020, though my house is in a thoroughly developed part of San Jose and not even within 10 miles of the foothills. Just by converting oversized, underutilized parking lots in strip malls that are ubiquitous in cities, plenty of infill space can be made available for housing. Encroachment on open space is not only seriously harmful, but totally wasteful, costly, inefficient and unnecessary.

Sincerely,
singgih tan
San Jose, CA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [SMITA PATEL](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:27:37 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

This year's fires have shown us we cannot continue down this path of sprawl and putting housing in wilderness areas.

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,
SMITA PATEL
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Stacy Levy](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:34:29 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,
Stacy Levy
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Star Teachout](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 3:15:59 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Wise and forward-thinking development is more important than ever as we face dramatic climate changes and ever-increasing populations. Changing the values behind our development process and planning is critical, and requires a very climate-centric lens. Option 8A doesn't appear to be following this path as it doesn't appear to be prioritizing in-fill first, locating housing close to services and encouraging walkable/bikeable communities. Let's see ABAG put together a thoughtful, comprehensive proposal that will not cause serious harm to our Santa Clara County open space and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley, and not reduce farmland which should be expanded to provide for more—not less—secure local sources of food.

Thank you for your consideration.

Star Teachout
[REDACTED]

Sincerely,
Star Teachout
[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Stephanie Cerra Dave Vautin](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space Thursday,
Date: October 15, 2020 8:28:48 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Stephanie Cerra
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Stephanie Enos](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 12:49:52 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Please don't let needed housing encroach on our diminishing open spaces. Once those spaces are built on, they're GONE!

There are so many ways that the housing shortage could be addressed :

Having a moratorium on endless office building, many of which are languishing empty now with the Covid 19 restrictions. Working from home might well become the new normal so there won't be the same pressure to build more

Think outside the box for a solution such as re purposing these superfluous offices for low income housing
The unprecedented success of Silicon Valley over the last seven or eight years has undoubtedly contributed not only to the wealth of the area but also to the increasing disparity in living conditions of those who live here.
It makes me personally uncomfortable knowing that El Camino has now become a place to park and live in your vehicle temporarily until you are moved on. At the same time cities give the green light to the construction of outsize houses with a ridiculous number of bath rooms. There is definitely something not right in this.

However choosing to build in untouched wildlife corridors is a lazy and environmentally hostile decision that I am assuming you as President on this executive board and your fellow members will have the good sense to out rightly reject for what it is: another land grab!

Please think of good and imaginative solutions to our housing shortage.

Sincerely,

Stephanie Enos

Sincerely,
Stephanie Enos

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [stephanie schaefer](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:37:28 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
stephanie schaefer
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Stephen Fugita](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 12:00:33 PM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Stephen Fugita
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Stephen Lubin](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 2:42:58 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Coyote Valley is an important wildlife corridor connecting the Diablo Range and the Santa Cruz Mountains. The Peninsula Open Space Trust which I have supported for many years has dedicated considerable resources to strengthening this corridor. Housing belongs in already developed areas, close to urban facilities, not in the important open space belt which surrounds the Bay Area. As our urban density grows, this belt will become ever more important for human recreation as well.

Sincerely,
Stephen Lubin

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Stephen McHenry Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:56:38 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

We reside in south Santa Clara County for the past 20 years. We have watched housing grow in Morgan Hill.

1300% is an overstatement. 1300% costs money - for services, as well as more taxes.

1300% makes our open spaces into cities. I believe that Sacred Heart Community Services in San Jose, a social services agency, for one, has input to this idea (as well as others), and wishes to have more affordable housing for low income families, but these families - and other families - require open space for recreation, health, and enjoyment!

Please reduce this 1300% footprint. Land owners in unincorporated Santa Clara County can do with less money for selling their lands.

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Sincerely,
Stephen McHenry
San Jose, CA XXXXX
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [stephen rosenthal](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:33:56 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
stephen rosenthal
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Stepheny McGraw](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:39:05 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Stepheny McGraw
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Steve Berman](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:29:34 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Steve Berman
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Steve Quon](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 4:19:01 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Notice of Opposition to Option 8A

Please do not implement plans to build housing in areas of Santa Clara County that are currently open space or are being utilized for agriculture and ranching, such as in the the Almaden Valley; Coyote Valley; and the Morgan Hill area.

New housing should be built within the cities where there already is preexisting infrastructure, not in the unincorporated areas. Urban sprawl should be stopped.

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.

Sincerely,

Steven Quon

Sincerely,
Steve Quon

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Steve Weinstock Dave Vautin](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:58:26 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

I have lived in Almaden Valley since 1974 (age of 5) when my parents arrived here and continue to call Almaden as my home today. Part of the beauty of this area is the open space including that within coyote valley.

The beauty of driving over Bailey road is why we live here. Unfortunately that was recently disturbed by the bee facility in the south side of the road which I curse every time I drive by.

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Sincerely,
Steve Weinstock
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Steven Smith Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:43:19 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Steven Smith
Freedom, CA XXXXX
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Stuart Weiss](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:28:10 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

I want to express my opposition to Option 8A, which puts excessive housing requirements outside of city limits in Santa Clara County. It is not a solution to the housing crisis, and will only exacerbate traffic, wildlife impacts and watershed values. The development in rural areas does not pay for the expenses of extending services. Infill development provides the best path to meeting housing needs, and can revitalize our urban areas and encourage transit use.

Sincerely,
Stuart Weiss
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Susan Braun Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:38:46 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Susan Braun
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Susan Curran Dave Vautin](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space Thursday,
Date: October 15, 2020 7:27:07 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Susan Curran
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Susan Gamm](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:54:44 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Susan Gamm
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Susan Korp](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:50:52 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Susan Korp
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Susan LeClair](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:47:57 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Susan LeClair
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Susan Lessin](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:28:16 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Susan Lessin
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Susan Pines](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 11:13:24 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Please consider the importance of open space in your deliberations about housing. In addition, putting housing into rural areas is just a recipe for addition fire danger to the people in these areas. 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,
Susan Pines
Palo Alto, CA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Susan Steinbrecher Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:29:00 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Build in the cities! Build up not out!
Build community not sprawl.
Open space is for everyone.

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Sincerely,
Susan Steinbrecher
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Susan Walsh Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:42:58 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Susan Walsh
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Suzan Jensen](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 11:51:28 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Please remember how important it is -- for our collective well being, for eco-systems to thrive, for science and education -- to have open space. As part of your legacy, please fight to preserve it for our future generations.

Sincerely,

Suzan Jensen

Sincerely,
Suzan Jensen

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Suzanne Elliott Dave Vautin](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space Thursday,
Date: October 15, 2020 8:27:37 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Suzanne Elliott

Sincerely,
Suzanne Elliott
El Granada, CA XXXXX
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Tanya Baldwin](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 11:43:05 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Tanya Baldwin
Los Gatos, CA [REDACTED]
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Terry Jacobs Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:07:49 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.

With the recent 2020 California fire season as evidence, it is unwise to build housing in rural areas that encroach on open space. Those properties are a liability. Do not build in Coyote Valley.

Sincerely,
Terry Jacobs
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Terry Trumbull](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 4:02:55 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Terry Trumbull

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [thalia lubin](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 2:31:58 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. The Board should be considering in-fill instead of more sprawl, especially into areas like Coyote Valley and Almaden Valley. We all need these special places to remain open, and they are essential to keeping wildlife passages open.

Please do the right thing here and take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. There are alternatives if you have the courage to consider them. I sincerely hope you do.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
thalia lubin

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Thomas Carlino](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 2:20:44 PM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Thomas Carlino

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Thomas Conrad](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:22:51 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Thomas Conrad
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Thomas Ferrito](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:57:22 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Thomas Ferrito

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Thomas Habermann](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:19:54 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Thomas Habermann
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [THOMAS LAWER](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:58:55 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
THOMAS LAWER
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Thomas Schryver](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 11:06:00 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Thomas Schryver

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Toby Cooper](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:41:28 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 infill areas, not on our open space, and definitely not in Coyote Valley!

Thank you for your consideration.

Toby Cooper

Sincerely,
Toby Cooper
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [tom turner](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:40:11 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
tom turner
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Toni Valles](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:55:19 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Toni Valles

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [tracey geisler](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:11:43 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
tracey geisler
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From: [REDACTED] nath@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Utkarsh Nath](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 11:18:50 PM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Utkarsh Nath

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Valerie Wookey](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:13:48 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Please do not build housing in what is left of open space in this state.

In Defense of Wildlife,

Valerie Wookey

Sincerely,
Valerie Wookey
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Verena Fuchs](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:39:37 PM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Verena Fuchs
San Jose, CA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Veronica Stork](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 11:52:00 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Veronica Stork

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Vicki Alexander Dave Vautin](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space Thursday,
Date: October 15, 2020 9:36:31 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Vicki Alexander
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Victoria Kojola](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 11:37:24 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Victoria Kojola
Cupertino, CA XXX
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Viren patel](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:59:02 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Viren patel
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Virginia Van Kuran](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:12:43 AM

External Email

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I grew up here and worked at Tech companies until I retired. I appreciate our strong economy and a strong environment is part of our success. There are plenty of infill housing opportunities near transportation and companies. Let's use them.

Sincerely,
Virginia Van Kuran
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Wanda Guibert](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 1:26:41 PM

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Sincerely,
Wanda Guibert

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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Wendy Hafkenschiel](#) [Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:48:09 AM

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Sincerely,
Wendy Hafkenschiel
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [William Giusti](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 12:16:04 PM

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Sincerely,
William Giusti

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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [William Kostura](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 5:33:00 PM

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This area has been wild open space, and home to countless wild animals, since time immemorial. It would be a shame to lose it now. Please reject Option 8A.

William Kostura

Sincerely,
William Kostura
Palo Alto, CA [REDACTED]
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [William Whitmer Dave Vautin](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:39:36 AM

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Once habitat is lost, it is forever. Please preserve all regional open space and increase urban density to provide housing where the jobs are.

Sincerely,
William Whitmer
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Winter Dellenbach](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 12:19:04 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

I grew up in the Pomona Valley in southern California. I saw residential development overwhelm my town, my Valley, transforming it from a place of diversity that included hills, semi-desert, springs and wildlife, to one crowded with unrelenting traffic, sprawl and noise.

That this sad fate could be duplicated by ABAG here in Santa Clara County is unthinkable. Do not do this - it is a mistake, shortsighted in the wider vision of what must endure for the good of all that live here now and in the future. Our remaining rural and semi-rural areas here in what was once called the Valley of Hearts Delight is not to be treated as if it were vacant lots open for development. You must not burn down the cathedral to warm the people.

We must all be stewards of what is good and valuable and not ours, not just vote to destroy forever.

Do not approve of Option 8A.

Winter Dellenbach
Palo Alto, CA

Sincerely,
Winter Dellenbach

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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Y Smith Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:12:43 AM

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Sincerely,
Y Smith
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Yvonne Quevedo](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:38:57 AM

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As a life-long resident of San Jose, my family and I, Mexican-Americans of limited financial means during the late 1950s and the decade of the 1960s, picked prunes and walnuts in many areas now carpeted with housing tracts and strip malls. I urge members of ABAG to limit development of housing to infill areas and not in our open space. As our county (and the entire country) deal with the reality of how COVID-19 has changed our lives, the open space we now enjoy has become more precious as a peaceful escape to help maintain a healthy spirit and outlook on life.

Sincerely,
Yvonne Quevedo
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Zachary Galindo Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space Thursday,
Date: October 15, 2020 9:41:11 AM

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Sincerely,
Zachary Galindo
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