

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Aaron Brinkerhoff Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 11:43:58 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Please do not continue sprawl into precious 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,
Aaron Brinkerhoff
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Aeona Anelli](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:37:31 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!

You CAN'T keep 'building to infinity'! The more natural habitats you destroy, the more concrete you pour, the MORE you contribute to Global Warming -which WILL lead to more out-of-control wildfires! Increasing urban sprawl at the cost of natural habitats purposely preserved as a counterweight against said sprawl is nothing short of GREED on the developers side -& sheer INSANITY on the Board of Director's side!

Sincerely,
Aeona Anelli

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

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Alan Chan
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Alayne Yellum](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 12:32:51 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.

We've worked so hard to protect these areas and will never get this opportunity back. And putting more housing in the urban/rural interface is assigning houses to be in likely burn zones in the future.

Sincerely,
Alayne Yellum

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Alisa MacAvoy](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:49:26 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Thank you for your service to our greater community. I implore you to vote no on Option 8A with regards to dramatically Increasing the amount of housing required in our open space areas. This does not make sense. We need housing but we need smart housing. We need to build housing in our cities and especially near transit hubs. We can not afford anymore sprawl that requires people to drive everywhere.

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Sincerely,
Alisa MacAvoy
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Allan Campbell](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 11:10:26 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Please protect Coyote Valley.

Sincerely,
Allan Campbell
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Allen Leinwand](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:16:50 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Allen Leinwand
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [allie Strauss](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:45:44 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.

I was born and raised in Santa Clara county and after almost 60 years here, I know that the Bay Area does not need MORE housing, especially in our open space areas, and definitely not in Coyote Valley!

Thank you for listening to those of us who are concerned about wildlife and our precious California ecosystem.

Sincerely,
allie Strauss

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Allison Levin](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:50:43 AM

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Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Added housing is important!

But 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,
Allison Levin
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Amelia Meffert](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 2:20:55 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Housing is needed but it is equally important to preserve open space and build ion areas that are not vulnerable to fire or have limited escape roads for people in Portola Valley for example.

We know fires happen, you know that also.

Be prudent

Sincerely,
Amelia Meffert

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Amir Ahmari
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 11:09:29 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.

The Greebelt buffer is very important to our valley. Lets keep it that way please!

Sincerely,
Amir Ahmari

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Amy Guzules](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 11:27:59 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.

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

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Amy Guzules
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Amy Liebman Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:05:56 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Amy Wilson
San Mateo, CA XXXXX
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Andrew Ruff](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:18:19 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Andrew Ruff
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Ann Niland Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:23:24 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Ann Niland
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Ann Thryft](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:49:34 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,
Ann Thryft
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Ann Willard](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 5:40:52 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,
Ann Willard

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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Ann Willard](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 5:43:18 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,
Ann Willard

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Anne Marie Call](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 5:39:53 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,
Anne Marie Call

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Anne Marie Call](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 5:28:32 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,
Anne Marie Call

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Anne Scanlan-Rohrer](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 1:35:35 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. Please infill urban areas instead. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Anne Scanlan-Rohrer
Burlingame, CA [REDACTED]
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Anne Storm Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:41:39 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Anne Storm
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Anne Holmes](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:37:52 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 an important source of drinking water for Santa Clara County residents, climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Anne Holmes
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Annie Tate](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:17:32 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. Many people have fought long and hard to preserve the open space so critical to wildlife and to our own options for the healing retreat that nature provides.

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

Sincerely,
Annie Tate
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Antonia Mills](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 11:43:25 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Note: 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,
Antonia Mills
Charlottesville, VA XXXXX
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Arnie Wernick](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 3:25:35 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

I am a commissioner on the Santa Cruz County Fire Department Advisory Commission. I am also a retired volunteer fire captain of over 30 years with the Santa Cruz County Fire Department.

There is no question, based on my experience with wildfires in wildland-urban-interface (WUI) environments that it is shortsighted and ill-advised to develop new housing in our open space areas. The recent series of Lightning Complex Fires in Santa Cruz and San Mateo counties were a tragic reminder of the massive risks and costs involved.

In addition to putting at risk significant numbers of people unfamiliar with WUI 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,
Arnie Wernick

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Art Lasky](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:26:55 AM

External Email

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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. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Art Lasky
San Jose, CA
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Arthur Hofmayer](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 2:46:13 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.

Open space equals mental health. By preserving our natural habitat, families from all over the bay area can visit and enjoy what has not been touched, scarred, ruined, in order to make a profit.

Think about the future. Think about your children and their children, and the children after that.

Let's leave them something precious.

Yes, housing is important, but use the infill areas. We have one chance to get this right. I know you will do the right thing.

Sincerely,
Arthur Hofmayer

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Arvind Kumar](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 1:46:38 PM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Arvind Kumar

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Ashlyn Mahoney](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 12:39:05 PM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Ashlyn Mahoney

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Atacy Jeremias](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 2:09:10 PM

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Sincerely,
Atacy Jeremias
Truckee, CA [REDACTED]
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [B Singh](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:14:55 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,
B Singh
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Barbara Kelsey](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:28:48 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. Coyote Valley in particular is a precious space to be preserved.

Thank you for your consideration.

Barbara Kelsey

Sincerely,
Barbara Kelsey
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Barbara Marshman](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 3:17:15 PM

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Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Housing is critically important to this region, but so is the ability to sustain wildlife and conserve water. Many people have worked very hard, donated millions of dollars and voted to Tax themselves to preserve the Coyote Valley, this last wildlife corridor between the Santa Cruz and Hamilton ranges. Option 8A's methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County. Please eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Barbara Marshman

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Barrie Moore](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:51:39 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

I strongly oppose plans to extend urban sprawl and place thousands of housing units in Santa Clara's remaining open space and farmland. Housing belongs in cities and suburbs, close to existing public transportation and out of areas needed by wildlife and threatened by wildfire. 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,
Barrie Moore
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Beate Porst](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 4:42:40 PM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Beate Porst

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Bert Greenberg](#) [Dave Vautin](#)
To:
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 12:00:35 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Bert Greenberg
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Bill Hilton](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:07:51 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Bill Hilton
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Bill Leikam](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:55:18 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

If you have your eyes on developing or rather destroying Coyote Valley, think again. We who have fought for decades to save this valley will continue to fight in court and elsewhere if you move to touch one square inch of this land. 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,
Bill Leikam
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Bill Rankin](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:03:20 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Bill Rankin
San Jose, CA
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Billie Jo Grosvenor Dave Vautin](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:49:37 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. I implore you to reject growth in areas that deserve to be protected for future generations. Quality of life is the beginning to a healthy life and community. Thank you for your consideration. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Billie Jo Grosvenor
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Billie Jo Grosvenor Dave Vautin](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:47:53 AM

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Sincerely,
Billie Jo Grosvenor
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [blanca alvarado](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:41:42 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,
blanca alvarado

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Bob Mack](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:42:50 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

I am very concerned about Option 8A, and the ramifications of it on Coyote Valley. That part of Santa Clara County is part wetlands -- so critical for wildlife. Further, wetlands help to ease pressure on Coyote Creek in times of flooding. Several years ago Coyote Creek flooded neighborhoods in downtown San Jose, which might have been mitigated if the wetlands are allowed to remain in their natural state. I am concerned that the proposed increase in housing in rural areas such as Coyote Valley, has the potential to increase flooding events downstream.

Further, housing really should be increased within the urban boundaries of the cities of Santa Clara County, not spread out in the rural areas where there are no jobs. The increase of traffic north to the areas where the jobs are will tax already crowded highways and roadways. Please rethink the methodology of Option 8A.

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,
Bob Mack
San Jose, CA [REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Brenda Caldwell](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Friday, October 16, 2020 7:53:42 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Brenda Caldwell

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Brian Carr](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:34:03 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Please do not include Coyote Valley in your recommended areas for new housing. After the entire Santa Clara Valley has been paved and built over, the people of Santa Clara County have worked for decades to save the last substantial remnant of the valley floor. 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,
Brian Carr
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Brian Gurney](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 3:18:41 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

After we have worked so hard, some of us for decades, to protect Coyote Valley, yet another short-sighted threat appears. Please do not approve Option 8A as currently drafted. New housing belongs in infill areas, not in our precious open spaces!

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,
Brian Gurney

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Brian Haberly](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:45:42 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Urban sprawl is the LAST thing that our region needs. PLEASE favor infill and increased urban density over the permanent destruction of our precious, limited Open Space in our County and Region.

Sincerely,
Brian Haberly

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Brigitte van Essen](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 11:11:39 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Brigitte van Essen

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Carl Mills](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 3:57:04 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,
Carl Mills

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [carl treadwell](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 5:14:53 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.

Coyote Valley is one of the areas most at risk for sprawl development if Option 8A is approved. Most of the RHNA allocation for unincorporated Santa Clara County is expected to go to the undeveloped areas on the edges of San Jose which includes Coyote Valley and Almaden Valley, as well as in the Morgan Hill area. All of these areas contain important natural resources, from wildlife habitat to prime farmland. Green Foothills has worked for decades to protect these open spaces that are now once again under threat from this misguided RHNA proposal.

The data suggests that we do not have to build anywhere near the number of houses that is based on data from a few years ago. New data considers Covid 19 and the exodus out of the bay area (and this after just 7 months). If you are determined to build housing anyway, based on the old data, please do it near public transit and housing densification in downtown SJ. Many of us have been fighting to preserve the last gem we have in this valley - the open spaces. This is not as much for us as it is for the wild animals- several of which are heading to extinction.

Thank you for your consideration.
Carl Treadwell

Sincerely,
carl treadwell
Menlo Park, CA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Carla Holmes Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:22:52 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,
Carla Holmes
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Carlin Black](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:06:36 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

All urban planners, and I am one of them, condemn urban sprawl and destruction of open spaces, as major contributors to climate change, traffic congestion, lack of affordable housing, and degradation of the quality of life for all of our citizens. Single family greenfield developments are historically the cause of all of these problems and rightfully condemned by all modern planners. The areas affected by 8A can only be occupied by families that can afford a car for every occupant, and the closest urban amenities from jobs to shopping and entertainment are rapidly moving to dense mixed use urban developments. Suburban shopping centers even the big ones are no longer viable except as development sites for high density mixed use “Urban Villages” increasing the isolation of single family developments and the need for single person automobile travel for all needs.

Additionally, 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,
Carlin Black
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Carmen DiCinque](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:05:01 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. Furthermore, these proposed dwellings will also be vulnerable to fires and put those in need further in jeopardy.

Sincerely,
Carmen DiCinque

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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Carol and Tom Shall Dave Vautin](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:13:07 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Carol and Tom Shall
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Carol Kuster](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 12:05:35 PM

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Sincerely,
Carol Kuster

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Carol Ruth](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:47:54 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Carol Ruth
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Carol Sontag](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 11:32:33 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Carol Sontag
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Carol Stafford](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:49:00 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.0'

Sincerely,
Carol Stafford

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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Carole Foster](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 4:16:47 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Carole Foster

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Carole Grace](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:31:38 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

In the 60+ years that I have lived on the mid peninsula I have seen housing sprawl across the former farmlands and into the hills on both sides of the SF bay and beyond. We have little open space left, and what little we have is critical for not only wildlife and ecological health, but the health and well being of us all. For the past hundred years we have grossly undervalued the role open space plays in providing a buffer to sea level rise, clean water for drinking from our watersheds, and a healthy balanced habitat for all creatures, including us. We have ceded so many square miles to automobiles with the construction of freeways, highways, parking lots and suburban roads as we sprawl ever farther outward to build our homes. I just drove up 101, 85 and 280 today and even in this pandemic year the southbound lanes of 280 and 85 were packed to capacity with cars from the 17 interchange to Gilroy. Everyone wants to live in a big suburban home, and we're all choking on that dream. Infill building of housing will help mitigate long commutes and protect our limited open spaces.

When you consider housing options, consider this: in my hometown of Menlo Park, older ranches are being torn down at a rate of about a dozen a year and replaced with homes three times the size and price. Atherton, Palo Alto and Los Altos are doing the same. Perhaps you should consider regulations that require the construction of ADU's when homeowners want to increase the size of their home. We're building a lot of office space, occasionally with a few apartments, but not nearly enough to house the workers who will work in those offices. Perhaps we should change the building laws to encourage developers to invest in housing instead of office space.

We don't need more jobs in California until we can house everyone already living and working 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. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Carole Grace
Menlo Park, CA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Carolyn Crow](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 4:03:10 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Carolyn Crow

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Carolyn Donlin Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:42:51 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Carolyn Donlin
San Jose, CA XXXXX
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Carolyn Straub](#) [Dave Vautin](#)
To: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Subject: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:53:58 AM
Date:

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,
Carolyn Straub
San Jose, CA XXXXX
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Cedric de La Beaujardiere](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:20:51 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. Added housing belongs in the urban core near transit, not sprawled into our precious open space. More people means more need for open area, not less. Our natural lands have already been severely impacted by unchecked sprawl over the past century, promoting more sprawl is a crime against current and future generations. What we need instead is protection and restoration of our natural areas. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Cedric de La Beaujardiere
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Celia Dixon-Garrigues](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 2:09:02 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 keep out of the rural areas and preserve Coyote Valley.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Celia Dixon-Garrigues

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Chantilly Gaudy Dave Vautin](#)
To: [Gaudy Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:32:56 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Please keep our open spaces OPEN. We need these open spaces for the wildlife, water and our own mental health. With the current mass exodus from the Bay Area, many housing opportunities are opening up without having to take away open land. 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,
Chantilly Gaudy
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Charlene Henley](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:09:08 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Charlene Henley
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Charles Carroll Dave Vautin](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space Thursday,
Date: October 15, 2020 8:23:34 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

It's an easy call: We need to build a lot more housing in the Bay Area. Let's build it, as much as we possibly can, but in the cities. I'm not a NIMBY guy, but I don't want to forever tie up precious open land, which provides numerous and critical environmental benefits, with sprawling development. 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,
Charles Carroll
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Charles Ray Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:22:02 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Charles Ray
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Rev.Charlotte Bear Dave Vautin](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:55:05 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Leave Coyote Valley open and wild. No housing developments there! That is a crucial open space for a variety of important reasons. Housing should develop in the in-spaces of San Jose and require clean green energy. 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,
Rev. Charlotte Bear
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Cheryl Woodward Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:47:00 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Cheryl Woodward
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Chris Anamerican](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 11:58:59 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Chris Anamerican
San Jose, CA XXXXX
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Chris hyland](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:26:05 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. New housing belongs in already developed areas please prevent further urban sprawl and all it negative effects - more cars, more congestion, more pollution, less open space.

Thanks Chris Hyland

Sincerely,
Chris hyland
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Chris Loo](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 11:32:19 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Chris Loo

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Chris MacIntosh](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 11:09:25 AM

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Much progress is being made towards Coyote Valley as a successful corridor for wildlife, as well as a 'green lung' for Santa Clara residents (much needed these days) so I urge you to work on infill not further sprawl.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Chris MacIntosh
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Chris Shaw Dave Vautin](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:51:16 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Dear Sirs,

I am not in favor of developing what remains of open space in the Bay Area. It is a resource that once developed is gone forever. We all applaud new Marine Sanctuary designation as it protects our oceans and fish stocks. Open spaces need sanctuary status as well.

Please increase density in our cities - not our open space.

Sincerely,
Chris Shaw
Woodside, CA XXXXX
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Christine Nagel](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:33:50 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.

Please consider locating housing in previously developed areas to revitalize old neighborhoods.

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

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Sincerely,
Christine Pielenz
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Ciara Chambers](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:07:39 AM

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Sincerely,
Ciara Chambers
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Cindy Stein](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:34:31 PM

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Sincerely,
Cindy Stein

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Sincerely,
Cindy Stein

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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Clifford Thompson](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 4:58:25 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. There is more than enough undeveloped infill opportunity in South Bay cities as well as Gilroy and Morgan hill to fulfill housing needs if the right type of housing is approved. Santa Clara Valley needs to focus on infill of high-density properties, not large single-family home units. We are already reaching the limit of our water supply, and have long passed the limit for traffic and transit infrastructure, keep the spaces that are open today open!

Sincerely, Clifford Thompson

Sincerely,
Clifford Thompson

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Connie Devine](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 12:53:53 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Connie Devine

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Connie Rogers](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:49:59 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Locating housing along transportation corridors and especially in infill areas will cost less for cities to provide services and improve our air quality. Putting housing in the Coyote Valley would build on a huge mistake made in the 1950s and 60s when San Jose reached out like an octopus.

Sincerely,
Connie Rogers
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Craig Britton](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:38:32 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Craig Britton
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Craig Edgerton](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:01:29 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

BUILD UP, NOT OUT!!! Its what the people of San Jose want!!!!

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Craig and Jan Edgerton
San Jose

Sincerely,
Craig Edgerton
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Cris Lewis Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:56:52 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Cris Lewis
Half Moon Bay, CA XXXXX
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Cynthia Hanson](#) [Dave Vautin](#)
To: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Subject: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:08:32 AM
Date:

External Email

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Sincerely,
Cynthia Hanson
Mountain View, CA XXXXX
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Cynthia Leeder Dave Vautin](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:45:00 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. Nature is being destroyed by the actions of people all over the world. Please, save our open space as a reservoir for nature. Doing so is good for us too. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Cynthia Leeder
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Cynthia Ruby](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 2:19:47 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Cynthia Ruby
Saratoga, CA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Dana Oholorogg Dave Vautin](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space Thursday,
Date: October 15, 2020 9:58:36 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Dana Oholorogg
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Daniel Brower Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:04:22 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.

To gain a valuable perspective, watch David Attenborough's "Life on Our Planet". In this movie the famed nature film producer chronicles the destruction and decline of the world's ecosystems. The impending collapse will result in another mass extinction and humans will be not immune to the disastrous consequences. To stop this process, the famed producer urges humanity to not only halt the destruction of any remaining natural landscapes, but says we must restore 50% of the earth's surface back to wilderness. Failure will be at our own peril.

I urge you to abandon Option 8A. Any option that permits housing on undisturbed land is not acceptable and should not be encouraged or permitted.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Daniel Brower
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Danielle DeRome](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:36:40 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Danielle DeRome
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Danielle Hess](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 11:47:24 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Danielle Hess

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Danielle Van Kampen-Swick](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:48:01 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Danielle Van Kampen-Swick

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Dar Bertsch](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:17:57 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Dar Bertsch
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Dave Clare](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 2:50:56 PM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Dave Clare

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [David Bogart](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 4:42:50 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. Thank you for your consideration.

The European model is probably better for growth patterns: dense urban areas with definite boundaries to natural areas left to agriculture and forest. This combined with mass transit systems of great speed and technology allow commuters to live at some distance from their employment.

Sincerely,
David Bogart

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [David Burnham](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:25:10 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
David Burnham
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [David Cook](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:06:23 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
David Cook
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [David Kastanis](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:29:07 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
David Kastanis
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [David Lima](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:07:08 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
David Lima
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [David Marancik](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:01:05 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

I oppose a community design that encourages urban sprawl. We need to protect our rural and open spaces. It is a key factor in the quality of life in this area.

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,
David Marancik
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [David Reid](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 12:41:15 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. Coyote Valley provides a critical link in the migration and feeding of many species. The open space it provides is able to create that vital link between mountain ranges for species, including mountain lion and deer, to roam and mate

Sincerely,
David Reid

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [David Simon](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:42:05 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

We should be building new housing. But we should be building it in the already built areas, not in areas that are now open space, farms, etc. 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. Building in these rural areas promotes climate change, increases traffic, damages habitat, increases wildfire risk, and spoils open space. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
David Simon
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [David Smernoff](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:47:29 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

As a long time advocate for community-based stewardship of public lands, I remain committed to keeping our open spaces for wildlife, ecosystem services, climate resilience and as a refuge for urban-weary humans. Housing shortages are a critical issue in the bay area, and new housing should be built in already urbanized areas, along transit corridors and as infill, it must not be pushed into our invaluable open space areas!

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Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
David Smernoff

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [David Weissman](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:35:26 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

The folks in this area have spoken - protect our open space and use infill instead.

Sincerely,
David Weissman
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [DeAnna Pursai](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:41:46 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
DeAnna Pursai

[REDACTED]

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

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Sincerely,
Debby Dern
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Debora Kane](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:24:51 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. The last few years of devastating wildfires in communities too close to fire prone landscapes should teach us a valuable lesson to not develop in these areas. Housing should be concentrated in urbanized areas with the infrastructure already in place. In my own town there are plenty of empty lots and buildings that can be rezoned for residential property. We don't need to be building into the forests or grasslands that surround us.
Debora Kane

Sincerely,
Debora Kane
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Deborah Brooks Dave Vautin](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space Thursday,
Date: October 15, 2020 9:51:55 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Deborah Brooks
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Deborah Crooks Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:32:58 AM

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Sincerely,
Deborah Crooks
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Deborah Rose](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:37:28 PM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Deborah Rose

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Denise Acomb Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:11:14 AM

External Email

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BUILD TALLER NOT FURTHER OUT - We are the 10th largest metro area in the USA: It's time we had taller buildings like other big metro areas.

Sincerely,
Denise Acomb
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Denise Larsen](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 4:27:40 PM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Denise Larsen

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Denise Louie Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:46:23 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. My family and I urge you to take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. Consider Governor Newsom's order to save native habitat. Consider no other state has greater biodiversity. Consider Californians have already lost over 90% of our native habitats, e.g., 99% of our native grasslands. Consider we care about our natural heritage, once gone unrecoverable.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Denise Louie
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [DEVIN McCORMICK](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 4:23:00 PM

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Sincerely,
DEVIN McCORMICK

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Diana Hall](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:25:58 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.

We need to build more housing, but we need it in our cities, 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.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Diana Hall
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Diane Hart](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 1:12:10 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Diane Hart

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Diane Martin](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:32:29 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Diane Martin
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Diane Palacio](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:45:12 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. Please do not include any housing in the public's open spaces. Open spaces are for everyone to use and enjoy, not just a select few.

Sincerely,
Diane Palacio
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [DIEF Dexter](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:50:00 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
DIEF Dexter

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Donna Becht Dave Vautin](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:48:21 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

I am very concerned about the proposal to develop additional open space in the Santa Clara 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. I know more housing is needed, but please protect our open space!

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Donna Becht
San Carlos, CA XXXXX
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [DONNA HORN](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 1:52:45 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.

Given the wildfires in 2020 which burned vast areas in our state much of it similar to the landscape of the Coyote Valley, it is reckless to consider building more homes in such a fire-prone area. We need to build in areas already developed and maintain our open spaces for wildlife and as a buffer between cities and open land. Increasing commute times will only compound greenhouse gas emissions and the effects of climate change on California's stressed environment.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
DONNA HORN

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Doria Summa](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 3:42:58 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.

Please do not degrade open spaces hurting wildlife flora fauna and people.

This is not a necessary or desirable action and will not help with affordability issues in housing that folks are facing !

Sincerely,
Doria Summa

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Earl Bishop](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 12:05:16 PM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Earl Bishop
Nevada City, CA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Linda Wolf](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:30:46 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Linda Wolf
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Edward Rooks Dave](#)
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

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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

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Edward Sullivan

[REDACTED]

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

External Email

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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

External Email

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Sincerely,
Elinor Liberman
San Francisco, CA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

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

External Email

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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

[REDACTED]

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

External Email

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

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Ellen Hall
Pacifica, CA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

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

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Ellen Hall
Pacifica, CA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

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

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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

External Email

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

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.

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

Sincerely,
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

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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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: eeredfern@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
eeredfern@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
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:17:37 AM

External Email

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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

External Email

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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

External Email

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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

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.

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

[REDACTED]

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

External Email

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

Sincerely,
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

External Email

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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

External Email

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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

External Email

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

[REDACTED]

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

External Email

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

[REDACTED]

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

External Email

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
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 12:19:22 PM

External Email

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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

External Email

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

External Email

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]

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

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.

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

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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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

External Email

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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

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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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

External Email

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.

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,
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,
Subject: October 15, 2020 7:37:59 AM
Date:

External Email

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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

External Email

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

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Heather Faulhaber](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 11:33:02 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Heather Faulhaber
Morgan Hill, CA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

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

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

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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,

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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,

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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,

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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,

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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

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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. 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

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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

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Sincerely,
jarnail dhaddey
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jean Blomquist Dave Vautin](#)
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,

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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

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Sincerely,
Jeffrey Micko

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jennie Richards Dave](#)
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

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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

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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

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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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

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Sincerely,
Jill Grant

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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jill Kilty](#)
To: [Newburn](#) [Dave Vautin](#)
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

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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

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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

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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

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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 Vautin](#)
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

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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

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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

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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](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:27:58 AM

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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

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Sincerely,
John Miller
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [John Morewood](#)
To: [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

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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

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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

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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

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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

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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

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Sincerely,
Joyce Summers
San Jose, CA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

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](#)
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

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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

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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!

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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

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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. Coyots Valley provides a "throughway" for wildlife moving between natural areas, as well, and must be preseved 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

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Sincerely,
Justyne Schnupp

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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]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Karen Cotter](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:27:58 AM

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Sincerely,
Karen Cotter
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Karen Espitia](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:01:18 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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

I doubt you will read all these emails, but know that lifelong residents and voters will take note of your actions tonight and hope you consider what this will impact for the future generations of our valley!

Sincerely,
Karen Espitia
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Karen Kirschling](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 12:05:57 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Under the proposed Option 8A, as I understand, most of the RHNA allocation for unincorporated Santa Clara County would go to the undeveloped areas on the edges of San Jose including Coyote Valley, Almaden Valley, and the Morgan Hill area. All of these areas contain important natural resources, from wildlife habitat to prime farmland. These valuable open spaces, protected for decades, are now once again under threat from this proposal.

We need to build more housing, but we need it in our cities, 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 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. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Karen Kirschling
San Francisco, CA XXXXX
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Karen Mccreddin](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 5:47:05 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.

We go to Coyote Valley to walk whenever we need to see the outdoors and refresh our spirits, especially important in current stressful times.

Sincerely,
Karen Mccreddin

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [KAREN STEPHENSON](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:21:04 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. Thank you for your consideration. As life becomes more hectic and challenging, open space becomes more vital to maintaining healthy communities. Preserving wildlife habitat is critical to maintaining a healthy ecosystem. Healthy communities and a healthy ecosystem can not exist independently, but as a balanced partnership. Open space must be protected.

Sincerely,
KAREN STEPHENSON
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Karen Toyohara](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:40:12 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,
Karen Toyohara
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [karen zamel](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:11:59 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,
karen zamel
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Kat Wilson](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:02:22 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Coyote Valley is one of the areas most at risk for sprawl development if Option 8A is approved. The undeveloped areas on the edges of San Jose include Coyote Valley and Almaden Valley, as well as in the Morgan Hill area. All of these areas contain important natural resources, from wildlife habitat to prime farmland. Green Foothills has worked for decades to protect these open spaces that are now once again under threat from this misguided RHNA proposal.

We need to build more housing, but we need it in our cities, not in 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.

Please do not approve Option 8A. Sprawl is NOT the answer.

Sincerely,
Kat Wilson
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Kate Ashley](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:27:12 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.

Are you learning nothing?

Sincerely,
Kate Ashley
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Katheryn Hill](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 4:41:31 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. We need to build up, not out. I very much appreciate your consideration.

Sincerely,
Katheryn Hill

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Kathleen Ray Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:45:00 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

I don't normally take time to write on measures or propositions, but I feel this one is very urgent! 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'd like to point out that since the Covid-19 outbreak there has been a serious shift in housing needs. A lot of people are now working remotely and are leaving the Bay Area, thus making demand for housing lower. This trend is likely to increase if Covid continues to be a threat to safely returning to an office environment as people and companies make working remotely more of the norm. This will allow buildings to repurposed and turned into housing because they won't be needed.

So there is no need to rush building as the demand for housing is less than it was before, and may continue to be even less. We need to plan expansion and building wisely because once our open space is gone there will no getting it back. Let's continue to build in the cities near transit now, and then reassess over the next year or two what the actual needs are when hopefully Covid is under control. This is such an important issue. I feel strongly that the citizens should be allowed a vote on this rather than taking something away that is so precious being decided by handful of people.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Kathleen Ray

Sincerely,
Kathleen Ray
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Kathleen Tarlow](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:35:17 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

I am writing to ask you to preserve our rural lands, and to focus on increasing housing in urban and suburban 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,
Kathleen Tarlow
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Kathleen Tate Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:33:25 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.

Housing belongs in our infill areas, and not in Coyote Valley. Please help protect Coyote Valley from further development. It is an important wildlife corridor.

Sincerely,
Kathleen Tate
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Kathryn Choudhury](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:10:11 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,
Kathryn Choudhury
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Kathryn Hedges](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:53:42 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Option 8A's methodology will develop new homes in an fire-prone area instead of lowering fire risk by consolidating existing neighborhoods or using infill. It ignores existing urban planning, such as Envision 2040, that calls for densification of transit corridors in Urban Villages. Allowing small-scale infill by eliminating single family zoning is important too. The particular benefit of consolidating neighborhoods on the edges of developed areas is that it reduces fuel load in pockets of undeveloped land and connects suburbs to urbanized areas that can't sustain wildfires.

Building new developments isolated in fire prone areas is the last thing we should be doing as insurers are cancelling policies in the Berkeley Hills and other areas recently burned multiple times. It's also against good climate practices to build far from transit and require residents to drive because it's also too isolated to walk or bike. Not everyone can work from home.

It will also 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,
Kathryn Hedges
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Kathryn Zeidenstein Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:14:33 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. The last thing we need to do is increase urban sprawl, which leads to increases in traffic, greenhouse gases, and a poorer quality of life for all residents. The Coyote Valley is a national treasure and its benefits to residents, both people and animal, cannot be ignored. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Kathryn Zeidenstein
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Kathy Freo Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:43:14 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Newsom just stated that we need to have at least 30% of open space. Santa Clara county needs to do their share. Build with fill in housing. Don't use valuable open space. Pretty soon there won't be a place where we can see uninterrupted green except a golf course where most people can't afford to go. THINK of your children and grandchildren!! 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,
Kathy Freo
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Kathy Goldmacker](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:07:46 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,
Kathy Goldmacker

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Kathy Korbholz](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 11:45:59 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. Housing belongs in infill areas, not on our open space, and definitely not in Coyote Valley!

Thank you for your consideration.
Kathy Korbholz

Sincerely,
Kathy Korbholz

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Kathy Warne Dave Vautin](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:19:31 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. We don't need more urban sprawl in Silicon Valley!

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Kathy Warne
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Katie Howard](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 2:13:50 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.

Please keep the wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley protected! This is the only place where wildlife can safely pass through our area east to west and vice versa. Please do not develop Coyote Valley.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Brian and Katie Howard

Sincerely,
Katie Howard

From: sleclair215@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

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,
Susan LeClair
134 W Rincon Ave Apt M Campbell, CA 95008-2858
sleclair215@gmail.com

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Katlyn Leonardich](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:51:36 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. These areas are imperative for our local ecosystem and by shrinking these lands you are showing us you do not care at all about the livelihood of the earth your citizens live on. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Katlyn Leonardich
San Jose, CA XXXXX
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Katy Fitzgerald](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 2:17:40 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,
Katy Fitzgerald

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Kelly Graham](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:57:42 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. Decentralizing housing away from public transportation will only increase the distance between housing and jobs that impacts our air and cost tax payers more for long term for freeways. We need to change that costly dynamic. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Kelly Graham
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [KEN andGAY Hazen](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:59:29 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Option 8A's methodology will further encroach on 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 assist climate change resilience and minimize these impacts to wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
KEN andGAY Hazen
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Kendra Knight](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 12:09:49 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,
Kendra Knight
Burlingame, CA XXX
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Kermit Cuff](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:45:44 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,
Kermit Cuff
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Kerry Bitner](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:42:12 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Kerry Bitner
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Kieran Alcumbrac](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 11:12:48 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Housing belongs in infill areas, not on our open space, and definitely not in 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. Thank you for your consideration. Concerned resident who appreciates all wildlife, including their habitat and enjoys open space and less crowding.

Sincerely,
Kieran Alcumbrac

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Kily Tracy](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:42:25 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Gentle Board members,

The open space is so needed for our collective wellbeing and health of the environment and creature living there. We must lead by example. Pleas protect this area.

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,
Kily Tracy
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Kimberly Bach](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:19:16 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,
Kimberly Bach

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Kit Odoherty](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:39:55 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,
Kit Odoherty
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Kris Nill-Snow Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space Thursday,
Date: October 15, 2020 9:22:42 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,
Kris Nill-Snow
San Leandro, CA XXXXX
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Krista Hanson](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:03:23 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

We are all aware that we need more housing in the Bay Area, but 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,
Krista Hanson
Burlingame, CA XXXXX
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Kristal Caidoy](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:16:30 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

I was surprised to hear this option on the table for a regional organization such as ABAG. Option 8A's methodology will devastate the ecology, open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical landscape linkage and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley. It is expensive to live in Silicon Valley and housing should be in the urban areas. I have seen the impacts on impacts of sprawl development: wildfires, increase in housing insurance, interactions between wildlife and humans and air pollution. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Kristal Caidoy
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Kristen Flippo](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 4:10:22 PM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Kristen Flippo

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Kristin Ekvall](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:56:19 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Kristin Ekvall

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Kristine Karnos](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 1:19:00 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Now is very particularly NOT a time to be further building out our cities into fast-decreasing open spaces. With the pandemic and its impact on the economy, we have rare opportunities to reclaim space already within built-up areas of our cities, putting housing close to businesses. Explore those options, so that we can move towards thriving communities & businesses with less infrastructure, commute traffic and pollution.

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,
Kristine Karnos

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Kyle Iorns](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:04:58 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Kyle Iorns
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [L Nelson](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 5:57:42 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
L Nelson

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Lakshmi Rajagopalan](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:31:05 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Lakshmi Rajagopalan
San Jose, CAXXXXX
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Larry Ames](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 12:27:48 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

I've lived in San Jose in Santa Clara Co. for 40+ years, and have worked with County Parks, MidPen, Green Foothills, and Open Space Authority in support of preserving out open space. I appreciate that the rural areas have remained rural, rather than being spoiled by spill-over urban sprawl as happened in LA or SF.

I understand the need for housing, and I've actively supported SJ's "Envision 2040" General Plan's proposals for additional housing near transit nodes. both downtown and in the planned "Urban Villages". I support the plans for Google's development by the Diridon Station: housing and employment can coexist and benefit by the public transportation there. I support it,, even though it means that I personally will have to deal with more traffic, because it's part of a trade: we get to keep the rural areas rural, preserved for agriculture and nature and rain runoff control and fire-damage mitigation and native animal habitat and contemplative & relaxing recreation.

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Sincerely,
Larry Ames

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Laura Sneddon](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:51:41 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Laura Sneddon
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Lauren Swezey](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 11:48:32 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Please do not approve housing in the wildland urban interface. This year in particular, we have all witnessed what happens when housing is built in our foothills and other open space that's prone to burn.

Overall, Option 8A's methodology will cause SERIOUS HARM to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County.

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

Sincerely,
Lauren Swezey
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Laurie Alexander Dave Vautin](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:27:47 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

We need to build more housing, but we need it in our cities, 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!

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Laurie Alexander

Sincerely,
Laurie Alexander
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Laurie Graham](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:15:02 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Laurie Graham
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Laurie Sparrow-Price Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:58:14 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Laurie Sparrow-Price
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Leah Halper](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:12:25 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

As public servants, your job is to protect and wisely allocate resources using good planning principles that will benefit us all. I can't understand why you would even consider, then, a housing plan that would spurn infill development and spill into precious open space needed by animals and plants to provide a thriving ecosystem.

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Please add me to lists for any updates or hearings on this matter, as clearly the environment needs more representation.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Leah Halper
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Lily Wong](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:03:38 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Lily Wong
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Lincoln Fong Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:13:23 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Lincoln Fong
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From: lcucinot@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Linda Cucinotta](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:20:43 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Please keep this area free from dense housing. It is one of the few places remaining in the Bay Area still in its natural state.

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Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Linda Cucinotta
1216 Bernal Ave Burlingame, CA 94010-5619
lcucinot@comcast.net

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Linda Elkind](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 11:10:42 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.

I have followed the issue of affordable housing locations for over 35 years. Pressure from major developers of housing tracts have been applied to develop areas outside city urban boundaries for years. The sensible location for housing is infill where residents have mass transit available and can walk to obtain local services and recreation. To build high density housing in isolated clusters does not make sense. It promotes long commutes, air pollution, and time wasted in traffic jams.
Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Linda Elkind
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Linda Hutchins-Knowles](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:03:39 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

As one of the thousands of residents who devoted countless hours to protect Coyote Valley from urban sprawl, I'm appalled that ABAG is even considering Option 8A. Its flawed methodology will cause serious harm to the open space and wildlife of Santa Clara County, including in the critical carbon sink, landscape linkage, and wildlife corridor of Coyote Valley.

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

Reject Option 8A and ensure that housing is built where it belongs: in urban centers, not open spaces or the wildland-urban interface.

Thank you for listening.

Sincerely,
Linda Hutchins-Knowles
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Linda Kroosz](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 11:09:12 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Linda Kroosz

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Linda Neff](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:01:39 PM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Linda Neff
Half Moon Bay, CA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Linda OMaley](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:11:50 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Linda OMaley
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Linda Ruthruff](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 4:23:04 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Please do not approve Option 8 A. Putting housing in low density areas will contribute to urban sprawl. We don't want to turn into another Los Angeles. We want housing in infill places in our urban areas, close to services and rapid transit. Don't ruin our open space. We need it for the environmental services it provides.

Thank you.

Sincerely,
Linda Ruthruff
San Jose, CA [REDACTED]
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Linda Skeff Dave Vautin](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:23:35 AM

External Email

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This is a decision that will cause degradation of crucial land important to not only humans but the eco system at large. This decision is wrong on every level. There are other areas in the Bay Area that can be utilized.

Sincerely,
Linda Skeff
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Linda Watkins](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 12:07:10 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.

In this time of environmental crisis, which is just getting worse each year, violating the few existing green belts we have left in this metropolis are one of our most vital and priceless commodities.

Increase of sprawl and the accompanying pollution of air, soil and quality of life in general is irresponsible and short-sided, at the least.

We need - and crave - more balance in our immediate environment as well as overall. We must maintain and nurture the beautiful open spaces we have left in our immediate area. The indigenous wildlife is being adversely unnaturally compressed upon each other in the limited space currently available and then add in the fires which are destroying more and more of their space and there is only a loose-loose-loose result. No vegetation to filter the air and water, no natural beauty for people to enjoy and refresh themselves by, and no place for the animals to live and thrive.

An unbalanced environment is a sick place and not a place to be proud of.

Please reconsider development of Coyote Valley.

Linda Watkins
Linda Watkins

Sincerely,
Linda Watkins

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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Linda Wolf](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:32:49 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Linda Wolf
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Lindsay Joye](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:48:03 AM

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Sincerely,
Lindsay Joye
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Lisa Bedard](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 11:06:48 PM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Lisa Bedard

[REDACTED]

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

External Email

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Sincerely,
Lisa Breslauer
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Lisa Munro Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:52:04 AM

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Sincerely,
Lisa Munro
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Lisa Owens](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:03:58 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Lisa Owens
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Lisa Thompson](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 4:06:51 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Open Space is called OPEN SPACE for a reason!!! It is where people can get away from the stress of the rat race called the BAY AREA. People use these spaces for to get some peace and calm and now you want to take THAT away too??? WHERE DOES IT ALL END?? WHEN EVERY SINGLE PARCEL OF SPACE IS BUILT UPON AND THERE IS NO NATURE LEFT AT ALL? Is that what you people want??? The Bay Area is a MESS!!! You should be planning better infrastructure and figuring out how to support all these additional people with water and sewerage services. But of course, money is all that matters isn't it???? In the end this all will backfire when people start moving en mass out of the Bay Area because it is too crowded, cost of living too high, too much traffic and POLLUTION and thanks to you all, there will be NOTHING THAT BEAUTIFIES THIS AREA ANY LONGER, NO OUTDOOR RECREATION LIKE HIKING IN BEAUTIFUL AREAS BECAUSE YOU TOOK IT AWAY. DISGUSTING. YOU WILL RUIN THIS AREA AND YOU WILL NEVER GET IT BACK!!

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Sincerely,
Lisa Thompson

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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Lisa Thompson](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 4:25:24 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Do you people not listen to what experts are saying or is just that like trump, the only thing that matters is money???? THE INCREASE IN WILDFIRES SHOULD BE A WARNING THAT FOOTHILLS AND OPEN SPACE PRESERVES SHOULD NOT BE BUILT UPON!!! Oh my god!!! Listen to the firefighters and experts for once!!! You cannot build homes in these areas with wildfires getting worse every year!!! DO THE RIGHT THING AND BUILD IN THE CITIES NOT THE HILLS!!! WHO WOULD PUT FORTH SUCH A STUPID ASS IDEA????

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Sincerely,
Lisa Thompson

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Lisane Drouin](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:54:32 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Lisane Drouin
Redwood City, CA XXXXX
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Liza Morell](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 12:03:03 PM

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Sincerely,
Liza Morell

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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [lola kashyap Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:07:04 AM

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Once paved over, this vital Open Space will be lost forever. our critical need for housing should be met by building within cities not in open space. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
lola kashyap
Cupertino, CA XXXXX
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Lorena Salinas Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:58:38 AM

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Sincerely,
Lorena Salinas
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Lori McBride](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:28:49 AM

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Sincerely,
Lori McBride
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Lu Shoberg](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Friday, October 16, 2020 1:02:43 AM

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Sincerely,
Lu Shoberg

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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Lynn Buck Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:57:29 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Lynn Buck
San Jose, CA XXXXX
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Lynn Garnica](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 12:25:48 PM

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Sincerely,
Lynn Garnica

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Lynn Griffith](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Friday, October 16, 2020 1:24:43 AM

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Sincerely,
Lynn Griffith

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Lynne Steele](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:47:19 AM

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Sincerely,
Lynne Steele

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Mandlyn McClellan](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:07:28 AM

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Sincerely,
Mandlyn McClellan
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Manjeet Singh](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
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Sincerely,
Manjeet Singh
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Marcia Nelson](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:58:37 AM

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Sincerely,
Marcia Nelson
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Margaret Laffan Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:55:08 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Margaret Laffan
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Margaret MacNiven](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
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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.

Furthermore, we need affordable housing. Housing in rural areas is not the solution. Housing needs to be near to where the jobs are and not in areas that require driving to work, which adds to peoples' expenses. More cars equals more air pollution.

Please think about adding housing in areas of infill. Planned appropriately, inner city housing does much to create community.

Sincerely,
Margaret MacNiven
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Margaret Sielert](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:21:37 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Margaret Sielert
Morgan Hill, CA XXX
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [MARGHERITA PAGNI Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:50:28 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.

Now more than ever, we need ecologically protected, open spaces, and nature preserves.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
MARGHERITA PAGNI
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Maria Herrington](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 2:22:25 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 reinterpret existing open space in downtown areas - NEAR PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION - to fill the housing need. Renergize our downtowns and please add to the traffic nightmare.

Thank you for your consideration.

Maria

Sincerely,
Maria Herrington

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Maria Matsumoto](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 2:52:01 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. There is already extensive high density housing being built all along the El Camino corridor, and Stevens Creek Blvd, etc. These areas should be used rather than encouraging urban sprawl.

Once building and development with all the associated infrastructure occurs, you can never get back the open space. This is a tragedy for our future generations.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Maria Matsumoto
Redwood City, CA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Marion Farber](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 11:14:32 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 am a birder and hiker, and Coyote Valley is an important wildlife reserve that we need to protect.

Sincerely,
Marion Farber

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Marisa De Hazes Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:25:22 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

It is imperative that we do not expand housing into wilderness areas. The Santa Clara County population growth needs to be contained in appropriate areas that will not jeopardize the open corridors for wildlife, and contribute to urban sprawl., and increased pollution form extended commutes. 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 do not want to become the next LA. Please take action to eliminate these impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Marisa De Hazes
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Marisa Nelson](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:49:46 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,
Marisa Nelson
San Carlos, CA XXXXX
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [mark anderton Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space Thursday,
Date: October 15, 2020 6:05:50 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,
mark anderton
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Mark Betti](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:33:57 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 too precious to be jeopardized.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Mark Betti
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Mark Bishop](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:28:02 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 thoughtful consideration of this important matter.

Sincerely,
Mark Bishop
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Mark Drury](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:38:52 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

First and foremost, please leave Coyote Valley alone! The more attention ABAG pays to this area the greater the chance it will be irrevocably harmed. 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,
Mark Drury

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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Mark Gion Dave Vautin](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:25:57 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

As if the recent and current wildfire situation doesn't scream that we should NOT be developing open space. Common sense points toward continuing development in infill 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,
Mark Gion
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Mark Grzan](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:33:19 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. Cities and Counties must learn to grow up not out.

Thank you for your consideration.

Mark Grzan
Former Councilmember, Mayor Pro Tempore
City of Morgan Hill, CA

Sincerely,
Mark Grzan
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [MARK RAUSCHER Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:57:32 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
MARK RAUSCHER
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Marla Davis](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 11:16:07 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Marla Davis

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Marlene Testaguzza](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 12:41:45 PM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Marlene Testaguzza

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Marshall Dinowitz](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 11:41:12 AM

External Email

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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. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Marshall Dinowitz

[REDACTED]

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

External Email

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Sincerely,
martha cohn
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Marvis J. Phillips](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:48:58 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Marvis J. Phillips

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Mary Ann Convertino](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 3:14:46 PM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Mary Ann Convertino
San Jose, CA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Mary Bernstein](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 11:03:31 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.

Especially after the catastrophic fires this year, it should be clear that we need to reduce suburban/rural housing, not increase it. We need MORE open space, not less.

Sincerely,
Mary Bernstein
Palo Alto, CA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Mary Colton](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:15:34 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 are no advantages to encouraging urban sprawl. Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space!

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Mary Colton

Sincerely,
Mary Colton
Palo Alto, CA
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Mary Dougherty Dave Vautin](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space Thursday,
Date: October 15, 2020 9:42:06 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. While it is argued we need more housing, We need this in existing developed areas as infill housing. Near where shopping and transportation resources are available. Do not destroy some of our last open spaces by creating more urban sprawl.

Sincerely,
Mary Dougherty
San Jose, CA XXXXX
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Mary Gill Dave Vautin](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:08:48 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Mary Gill
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Mary Hartland Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:33:56 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Mary Hartland
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Mary Kinder](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:16:31 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Mary Kinder
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Mary Martin](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 2:21:04 PM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Mary Martin

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Mary Masters](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 12:35:40 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. Housing belongs in our cities, not in our open space. Please take action to eliminate Option 8A's harmful impacts to climate change resilience, wildlife habitat, wildfire risk, and open space. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Mary Masters
Stanford, CA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

From: XXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [mary Paine](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:36:44 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
mary Paine
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Mary Shabbott](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:17:43 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Mary Shabbott
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Mary Yates](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:52:32 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Not only does our wildlife need open space to survive, but we humans do also. Connecting with Nature is so good for our psyche!

Once you build on virgin land, it will never be recaptured to its original state!
do not make the mistake of choosing Option 8A!!!!

Sincerely,
Mary Yates

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Maryann Emery](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:25:42 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Open space is what makes the Santa Clara Valley liveable. I remember the orchards and the "valley of Heart's Delight." Don't destroy what we have left.

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,
Maryann Emery
San Jose, CA XXXXX
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Matt Reidy](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 12:25:31 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Matt Reidy

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Maureen E.Fitzgerald Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:40:47 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. Thank you for your consideration.

We need our open spaces not only for the animals for us the people. We are already so confined its ridiculous. Don't make Coyote Valley look like ugly San Francisco. Look how terrible it is when you drive up 680 and hit Dublin.....OMG it is terrifying what they have done to open spaces.

My personal opinion is you don't really care about the people of San Jose.....you only give a crap about taxes!!! Building high density housing gets the City of San Jose just that.

Try thinking out side the box for a change! There are so many empty buildings in San Jose it is ridiculous. They could be converted into housing without taking away precious open spaces.

Re-purpose and utilize existing building in San Jose!!!!

Regards,

Maureen Fitzgerald

Sincerely,
Maureen E. Fitzgerald
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Megan Moran](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 5:15:28 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Megan Moran
Berkeley, CA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Melanie Cirigliano](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:05:15 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. These are important decisions that will make permanent changes to our environment & our community. Please look for better solutions to housing problems, rather than easy, regrettable decisions that will have long lasting detrimental effects.

Sincerely,
Melanie Cirigliano
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Merrily Robinson Dave Vautin](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space Thursday,
Date: October 15, 2020 10:42:07 AM

External Email

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Leave Open Space alone!

Sincerely,
Merrily Robinson
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [michael hayes](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:18:41 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
michael hayes

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Michael Hundt](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:16:36 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Michael Hundt
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Michael Kutilek](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 2:09:08 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

As a professional wildlife biologist, I strongly support keeping Open Space free from development. 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,
Michael Kutilek

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Michelle LaRoche Dave Vautin](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space Thursday,
Date: October 15, 2020 7:56:14 AM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Michelle LaRoche
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Michelle Lieberman](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 12:08:38 PM

External Email

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Sincerely,
Michelle Lieberman

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Michelle MacKenzie Dave Vautin](#)
To: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Subject: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:57:52 AM
Date:

External Email

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

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

I strongly urge you to reject plans that open current greenspace to development. There is a housing emergency, it's true, but the best strategy for addressing the need for housing is more infill and mixed-use zoning - building within urban boundaries. Housing development at the wildlands/urban interface means increasing vehicle miles for commutes, and a much greater risk of loss of property in 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,
Michelle Merrill

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [MICHELLE OROZ Dave Vautin](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space Thursday,
Date: October 15, 2020 9:12:03 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
MICHELLE OROZ
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Miguel Vargas](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 10:08:03 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Miguel Vargas
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Mike Blanchard](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 12:10:44 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,
Mike Blanchard

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Mike Kahn](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 6:45:24 AM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

Please reconsider voting for more urban sprawl instead of 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,
Mike Kahn
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Mike Murphy](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 2:09:11 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.

I strongly disagree with the "idea" that we MUST build new housing! Hogwash! Build higher density housing in existing city properties.

Leave our little remaining open spaces alone. Reduce traffic by building up more housing near to high density work locations. DUH!

Thanks for your efforts to understand why open spaces are IMPORTANT - if you care to try and understand then try to apply such understanding to the real world - even if it is not your own backyard that your policies are destroying.

Sincerely,
Mike Murphy
San Jose, CA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Mike Warfield](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 9:33:46 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. What makes the bay different and great place to live is the open space for wild life and outdoor activities. Don't be so STUPID and vote for destroying our open space with increased housing!

Sincerely,
Mike Warfield
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Mimi Spreadbury](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:15:54 PM

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Mimi Spreadbury
San Jose, CA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Mojgan Mahdizadeh](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 1:39:00 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,
Mojgan Mahdizadeh

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Monica Zarate](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:12:18 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.

Please leave Coyote Valley wild and protected from development

Sincerely,
Monica Zarate
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Morena Pichardo](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 2:20:07 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,
Morena Pichardo

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [mose young](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 8:57:22 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,
mose young
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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,

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,
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,

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 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,

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 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

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,
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

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,
Nancy Martin

[REDACTED]

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

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,
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

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,
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

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,
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,

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,
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

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,
Nikki Nafziger

[REDACTED]

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

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Nina Bell
Palo Alto, CA
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Nina Hostetler Dave](#)
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,

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,
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

External Email

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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Sincerely,
Noah Haydon
Daly City, CA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

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,

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,
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

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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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

Dear ABAG President Arreguin,

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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]

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

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

Sincerely,
Pat Marriott
Los Altos, CA XXXXX
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From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Patricia Blevins Dave Vautin](#)
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

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, 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

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,
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

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,
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

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,
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

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.

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

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,
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.

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,
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

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,
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

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,
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

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. 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

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,
pinkyjain pan

[REDACTED]

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.

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,
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

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,
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

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,
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
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 7:37:05 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,
Rea Freedom
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From: [REDACTED]@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Rebecca Anderson](#)
To: [Dave Vautin](#)
Subject: Housing belongs in our infill areas, not on our open space
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2020 1:47:56 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,
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,

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,
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,

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,
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,

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,
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,

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 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,

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 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,

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 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,

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,
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,

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,
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]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Robert Levy Dave Vautin](#)
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,

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 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,

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,
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,

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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 Vautin](#)
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,

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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,

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,
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]

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,

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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]

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

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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,

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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

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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

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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

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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 are 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](#)
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

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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.

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 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

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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

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Sincerely,
Suzanne Elliott

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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

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Sincerely,
Tanya Baldwin
Los Gatos, CA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

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,

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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

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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

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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

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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. More sprawl will only exacerbate our problems. Thank you for your consideration.

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

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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

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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

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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

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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

[REDACTED]

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

External Email

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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

External Email

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Sincerely,
William Giusti

[REDACTED]

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

External Email

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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]
[REDACTED]

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

External Email

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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

[REDACTED]

From: XXXXX@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Y Smith Dave](#)
To: [Vautin](#)
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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

External Email

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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,
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Sincerely,
Zachary Galindo
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