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To: info@planbayarea.org
Subject: Comments on Plan Bay Area 2040. Even the Soviet Union had only a five year plan.
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Dear Commissioners of ABAG, MTC and other administrators of Plan Bay Area 2040:

Ever since hearing about the massive social planning experiment, One Bay Area and the inclusion of Marinwood-Lucas Valley as a Priority Development Area in 2012, our community has been following the developments of your social project. Save Marinwood represents a 6000 people in unincorporated Marin (North San Rafael).

The latest Plan Bay Area 2040 is very similarly flawed as the first Plan Bay Area as it relies on unsubstantiated data, environmental fallacies and complete fabrication of population and economic growth statistics. Even the old Soviet Union was never so bold to predict beyond a five year horizon.

I suppose with your new multi-million dollar headquarters, exclusive clique of political insiders and billions of dollars to spend on transportation, housing and "social equity", life must look pretty sweet. The voters, still largely ignorant of your coup over local government, seem to be agreeing to your plans and just approved some tax increases. They will wake up one day.

But life is much more than daily meetings filled with political rhetoric and empty promises. The REAL people who pay the bills with money earned in careers and businesses outside the government will discover your mischief. We work hard for our families to create the quality life we value and a suburban/rural lifestyle you despise. We will be deciding your future and not the other way around.

The June 23rd vote for Brexit is a harbinger of things to come for Plan Bay Area. As people wake up and learn the power and taxes you have illegitimately stolen from the voters, your house of cards will tumble. I have no doubt we "little people" will gather the political strength to push you out of power.

We endorse the attached letter of Sustainable Tam Almonte in its entirety. We urge you to take the points seriously.

Very sincerely yours,

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