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Juliet -

As you well know, in addition to my duties on the City's Historic Landmarks Commission, I've been Planning and Land Use Director for the Shasta / Hanchett Park Neighborhood Association for the last five years. The Diridon Station Area is the place where these two hats that I wear most directly meet, given the number of resources in and around the DSA.

Our NA, along with others along the perimeter of the DSA, are working with a Planning Consultant to ensure the best possible end result for the area, the single largest Planning undertaking the City has made in a good number of years. The Planning Consultant, Bob Staedler with Silicon Valley Synergy, is copied herein, so that the two of you can more readily connect. I've been able to answer some of Bob's questions, but I'm also self-aware enough to know when I need to turn the conversation over to the professional.

Per my previous correspondence, I thought it best to make this introduction through my business email address, rather than doing so through the City-supplied HLC address.



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