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Dear Leila and San Jose's Planning staff,

Thank you for considering [Catalyze SV's feedback](#) on San José Citywide Design Standards and Guidelines (DSG). We applaud you and your colleagues' efforts on this important document that will help ensure high-quality developments that prioritized sustainable transportation and vibrancy.

Catalyze SV's members evaluate development projects, provide input to developers and city leaders on the projects, and advocate for the highest-quality projects to be approved and built quickly. We believe that getting these standards and guidelines right will benefit the communities in which we advocate and the projects on which we work. We would like to submit the attached feedback on the Citywide Design Standards and Guidelines. Would follow-up dialogue between Catalyze SV staff and City staff on these ideas be helpful to you? We would welcome it.

Catalyze SV looks forward to seeing the San José Citywide Design Standards and Guidelines approved with our feedback taken into consideration and seeing projects following these standards and

guidelines come before our Project Advocacy Committee.

Sincerely,
Catalyze SV's staff and Project Advocacy Committee

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