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I would be very happy, if the people, representing the people of San Jose, in negotiatinos with Google, took a hardline wiht Google. One thing, in particular, which should be promoted as the 'new normal' in regards to large employers wanting to come to and or expand, in the SF Bay Area, is a new requirement. And that would be, that for every TWO floors, of office / work space, in any building, that the third floor, be dedicated to employee housing. It could be in the form of several, little apartments, to employess can stay in, while employed at that location.

This would help keep, as many people as possible, from spilling out onto the streets, twice a day with their cars, and would help minimize their adverse effects on the local housing market. This may seem abit extreme, but housing, crowding, and over all congestion, has passed a tipping point, in the Bay Area, and now, drastic measures MUST be presented.

Another idea / demand, should be, to have ALL large employers in the Bay Area, to pitch in, to pay for a feasability study, to put pre fabricated housing, on the roofs, of one, and two story commercial structures through out the Bay Area. These roof tops, of strip malls, of office buildings, of Home Depots, or Target Stores, of wharehouses, should ALL be considered, the new, 'Open Space', left, in the Bay Area.

And, finally, I would also like to see, the City of San Jose, request that Google, pay the costs, of completing, the bike trail, along Los Gatos Creek, from Meridian Ave, to Lincoln Ave (with connections of both sides of the street), and on to the tressle bridge, where it could meet up, with the exisitng trail. To be able to ride your bike, on a bike trail, from Alviso to Lexington Reservoir, should be a TOP PRIORITY to help get more cars off the road.

LET'S MAKE THESE THINGS HAPPEN !!!!!!!

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