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I don't know if its too late to offer an opinion about how the City can support both jobs and homes near transit, but if I may, I think this is the most positive choice.

By placing new homes, whether houses or rental units far from transit lines the City just increases our already intractable problem with traffic. Further, with no real traffic control offered by the police department, individuals drive recklessly and put people's lives in danger.

But if people could live near where they work or have easy access to clean, public transportation, car traffic would not worsen.

Thank you for considering this opinion after the Commission meeting was held. Patricia Blevins

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