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Hello,

See the attached letter.

Go Spartans,

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Mayor Liccardo and San Jose City Council  
City of San Jose  
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Re: Item 10.2 on the 5/26/21 Agenda

Dear Mayor and Councilmembers,

As the most transformative university in the nation, San José State University is committed to being an essential partner in the economic, cultural and social development of San José and California. We provide a comprehensive university education, granting bachelor's, master's and doctoral degrees in 250 areas of study. Because SJSU has more than 36,000 students, nearly 4,300 employees, and occupies 19 acres in the heart of downtown, the future of San José is important to current and future Spartans. That is why we support Item 10.2 on the 5/26/21 Agenda.

The economic power and impact of a major development such as Downtown West is an important opportunity and milestone for the future of downtown San José. We appreciate the shared vision for focusing on building community and aiding in economic recovery for all. The Community Stabilization and Opportunity Pathways Fund will increase access to higher education for first-generation students, thereby transforming their lives. Google has been a strong partner to the College of Engineering and many others on campus. We look forward to growing that partnership in the years to come.

SJSU supports Google and the City of San José's efforts in transforming the west side of downtown and the Diridon Station area. San José State University is committed to being a key partner to the city and contributor to the future of downtown San José. If you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,

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VP / CFO Administration & Finance