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Dear Councilmember Davis:

Google has been and remains one of our strongest supporters in terms of volunteer work on our parks and trails and financial support for our operations.

I am attaching a letter of support for Google and the "Downtown West" project.

Thank you.

James P. Reber

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The San Jose Parks Foundation is a community-based nonprofit organization dedicated to advocating for San Jose's parks and trails and the programs within them, by empowering residents and volunteers and securing private donations.

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May 18, 2021

Mayor Liccardo and San Jose City Council
200 East Santa Clara Street
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Dear Mayor Liccardo and City Councilmembers:

Once again I write to you as the Executive Director of San Jose Parks Foundation, a community-based nonprofit organization that has benefited substantially from the support of Google employees and Google, as a corporate donor.

I am also a member of the SPUR San Jose Policy Board and am familiar with the developments in the downtown core area that includes Google's plans for development; planning which includes substantial commitment of funding for the nonprofit sector.

Google has been very generous in its support of San Jose's parks and trails and the programs within them as a faithful participant in support of San Jose Parks Foundation.

Groups of Google employees regularly engage in volunteer clean-up of parks and trails, providing the kind of exemplary volunteer support that benefits all San Jose Residents. Additionally, Google matches each hour spent by volunteer employees with funding support for San Jose Parks Foundation. In this volunteer support of parks and trails, Google is the leading corporate participant and donor.

Google has also provided annual funding support for San Jose Parks Foundation, helping the foundation to reach more people, especially those in underserved areas.

Google has been a great partner to San Jose Parks Foundation, a truly generous corporate supporter of our parks, trails and programs. I hope the city will consider this in making a decision to work with Google to lift up our entire community.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

James P. Reber
Executive Director

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