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Hello Planning Commission,

I just came across something called "slow cities".

Being in the business, as you are, you are probably well aware of the idea, but I thought that I would pass this along to you for future inspiration for our fine city. This kind of thinking could have been used to justify the closing of Monroe street for example. I think that there are better possibilities than what we've been seeing developers come up with here, lately, and they need some encouraging.

[http://www.treehugger.com/files/2007/10/slow\\_cities\\_spr.php](http://www.treehugger.com/files/2007/10/slow_cities_spr.php)

As you can see it's from [TreeHugger.com](http://www.treehugger.com), probably your home-page already!

Sincerely,

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