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**Subject:** Avalon Housing units

NAMI Washtenaw and I strongly support the proposed development of affordable and supportive housing at 121 Catherine Street . We ask the Ann Arbor Planning Commission to approve its site plan for Catherine. These housing units are urgently needed in downtown Ann Arbor where there are services, jobs, and transportation access. We have extensive experience with residents and staff at Avalon. Several NAMI members are residents, and we have conducted advocacy, education and support programs at several Avalon facilities. We strongly support Avalon and these units. Ann Arbor has long supported Avalon and supportive housing and these will be an important addition to our community's long standing commitments. Thanks for your support.

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