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City of Ann Arbor c/o Mayor John Hieftje City Council Planning Commission 100 N. Fifth Avenue Ann Arbor, MI 48104

October 15, 2008

Dear Mayor John Hieftje, City Council Members and Planning Commission Members,

I am writing to express my support for The Madison and to encourage you to approve this project. It will increase workforce affordable housing options in the downtown area, provide housing opportunities attractive to young professionals which are significantly lacking in the downtown area and it will increase the supply of sustainable/green housing options. The Madison is appropriately located in a mixed use neighborhood, close to downtown, and provides a number of important community benefits in addition to those mentioned above.

Yours Truly, Lale Redding

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