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Subject: I support safe and AFFORDABLE electrification

Dear Planning Commissioners,

I support the action to require no fossil fuel gas line connections for new construction that you will be considering tonight. Please be certain that the heating and cooling requirements include safe, air or ground source heat pump elements, for safety, and to avoid excessive charges for electric resistance heating. Excessively high costs for heating will drive up the cost of housing for any of the new construction that will be considered in the future.

We have to move into the 21st century that will avoid use of fossil fuels. Thank you for taking this leading step. Please do it in a careful manner that respects our environment, eliminating use of fossil fuels, and in a way that is prudent financially.

Thank you,

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