

August 22, 2017

Council Members:

We, the undersigned, strongly oppose any giveaways, sales, leases or other monetization of our public lands.

We are concerned about the Community Center Task Force process and the fact that the city manager has formed his own team to investigate an agreement with the Children's Corner.

In an email to the task force, Mr. Jordan wrote:

*The objective is to create a win/win/win situation: the Children's Corner is able to continue to provide services under a long term arrangement; the City benefits by having a community center with an expanded footprint for pre-k services under a favorable financial arrangement; and the Los Altos community benefits by keeping this services [sic] provided by the Children's Corner at the community center.*

We have no grievance with the Children's Corner, but we do not consider this a win for residents.

- The city council appointed the task force "to hold public meetings to gather community input and provide a recommendation to the City Council on the interior space allocation and exterior design and layout of the future Hillview Community Center." It should be up to the task force to determine what will be included in the new facility.
- Council has not authorized the city manager to negotiate with the Children's Corner or any other entity regarding community center land/space.
- In years past, residents have made it clear they do not want to sell, give or lease city property to outside organizations. Council seemingly agreed with this position when it rejected the idea of a public school at Hillview and determined that the city would not monetize city property.
- A special deal for Children's Corner would set a bad precedent and could open the door to every other organization that wants a piece of city property.

We ask that you

1. Halt all discussions with Children's Corner.
2. Trust and empower the task force do the work it was chartered to do.
3. Give the task force autonomy to set its own agenda, process and schedules, free of Staff constraints.

Respectfully,

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