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Hi - I understand you will be reviewing the Balboa reservoir project tomorrow. Please support this new housing.

I am a renter in Glen Park, struggling with astronomical rents and a total inability to buy housing like (almost) everyone else in this city. If I had to guess, I would say that the majority of those opposed to this project are already lucky enough to own a home. The fact that they would oppose building desperately needed homes on a vast parking lot is absurd and deeply unjust. Have they forgotten Joni Mitchell?

I know these opposition groups are now asking for 100% BMR units. But that request does not align with the arguments they originally put forth against this project. They are just shifting the goal posts to prevent this vital, humanitarian housing at any cost. The Planning Commission must see through these tactics. Look at what happened to the proposed affordable senior housing in Forest Hills. It's absolutely barbaric and self-interested.

Please give San Francisco a chance, and support this housing.

Thanks!

Eric Johnson