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To:	Lew, Alex; Osma Thompson (osma.thompson@gmail.com); Baltay, Peter; Gooyer, Robert; Furth, Wynne
Cc:	Atkinson, Rebecca; French, Amy
Subject:	FW: Verizon Cell Towers
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From: Schwark Satyavolu [mailto:schwark@gmail.com] **On Behalf Of** Schwark Satyavolu
Sent: Sunday, April 15, 2018 7:00 PM
To: Council, City
Cc: Clerk, City; Architectural Review Board
Subject: Verizon Cell Towers

Hello,

My name is Ramakrishna Satyavolu, and I am the owner and resident of 655 Hale St., Palo Alto CA 94301. I have heard that cell equipment is going up in my neighborhood and it is all approved and a done deal. Maybe this was done before I moved into this neighborhood three years ago, but I really think this seems very rushed and with no opportunity for the residents to voice their opinions. I for one have a real problem with this, as the cell coverage is just fine in my neighborhood without any further towers (I am on Verizon), and if any were required, it should be with the health, safety and aesthetics in mind. If this has already been approved, I would like to categorically state that this does not sound like the right decision. I don't understand even if this was required, why it cannot go underground like all the other utilities that are being put underground with the work on University Avenue and beyond. I would like to a) request that this be reconsidered altogether on whether to install this equipment. b) if at the end of it, it is proven that the neighborhood really even needs these, then that all this be installed underground like most other cities are requiring.

At the very least, I would like to request that you remove Verizon's "Cluster 1" project (17PLN-00169) from the Consent Calendar so that Palo Alto residents may have an opportunity to voice their opinions of Verizon's plans directly to their elected representatives.

Sincerely,

Ramakrishna Satyavolu