From: Katie Flynn
To: City Council

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**Subject:** Regarding Amendment 24-32AM and Amendment 24-31CP-- NO, simply NO.

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Esteemed council members,

Re:

Ordinance No. 2025-08 Airport Avenue Development Standards Text Amendment 24-32AM

and

Ordinance No. 2025-07 Island Neighborhood Comprehensive Plan Amendment 24-31CP

NO, period. NO to yet another amendment to the Land Development Code.

85' height exception? NO.

Conversion of non-residential to dense residential? NO.

Of course Mr. Wasserman would like to cash out on his failed property. The buyer wishes to make the subsequent development lucrative, which requires 2 LDC amendments.

NO. Too bad for Mr. Wasserman that he made a bad investment. But the people of Venice should not bail him out by 2 LDC amendments, increased traffic, and increased density.

The current LDC was thoughtfully adopted, after much work by both the city and the residents of Venice. Please do not bow to the avarice of individuals and developers.

Sincerely, Katie Flynn

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Council members,

Please DO NOT approve these two exceptions to our Venice Land Development Code (LDC):
Ordinance No. 2025-08 Airport Avenue Development Standards Text
Amendment 24-32AM
Ordinance No. 2025-07 Island Neighborhood Comprehensive Plan Amendment 24-31CP

Venice invested a great deal of time and attention to developing the existing LDC to serve the interests of our city.

It is right and proper that development happens, and developers operate, within the Venice LDC framework.

It is neither right nor proper that these two very substantial development exceptions be approved.

Sincerely,

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