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To: City Clerk

Cc: San Pablo Museums

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Mayor Pabon Alvarado and Members of the City Council,

I am, Janet Pottier, currently the President of the San Pablo Historical Society, and we have been given very mixed messages about the fate of the San Pablo Historical Buildings and whether the City is selling these buildings to a developer. The map that was presented to the Planning Commission indicated that all the land including the land on which the Historic Structures sit are being sold to the developer.

The Historic Structures in San Pablo especially the Alvarado Adobe are unique to San Pablo and one of the few things now that our Art Gallery is gone that attract people to San Pablo.

The Historical Society knows that San Pablo needs to build housing. However we do not need to destroy our Historic Buildings to do this. As you negotiate in closed session please be sure you clearly understand what property is being sold and protect our Historic structures. If the land they are sitting on is sold to a developer it will be expensive and difficult to reclaim them.

You represent the citizens of San Pablo who over the years have done a lot to build, rehabilitate and maintain these structures and you must protect them. Thank you.

Janet Pottier San Pablo Historical and Museum Society