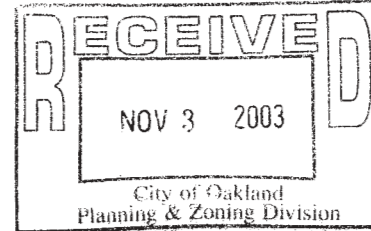


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Attn:
Lynn Warner
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City of Oakland

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October 31, 2003

Dear Lynn Warner,

I am a small Business owner in the Uptown/Forest City Development. My business is Revelli Tire Company at 571-20th, Street, Oakland where I have provided tire, brake and front end service myself since 1959(45 years). My father bought the business in 1949, so it 's been in our family for 55years in Jan. 04.

The Draft Environmental Report is deficient because it fails to mitigate in any manner the detrimental effects of this proposed project on a small business like mine.

The Draft Environmental Report fails to define any meaningful project or public purpose for that undefined project.

My business is a longtime neighborhood fixture and there is no basis for an undefined project to eliminate my business operations.

There is no alternative, equal space nearby so therefore I would lose my job,lose my business,and the means to support my family.

This letter is in addition to my verbal comments at the public meeting conducted by the Oakland Planning Commission Hearing on Oct .15, 2003 in Hearing Room # 1 at City Hall.

Thank You,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "John M. Revelli".

John M. Revelli
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