

TO: San Jose Mayor Chuck Reed

RE: Public comment on Proposed Rocketship #8 on the Tamien site

Dear Mayor Reed,

I am writing this letter in regards to the current conflict

With the help of the teachers, directors and programs of the school, my son who recently arrived from Mexico, can now write and speak in English.

I am very interested and involved in the education of my son. It is important to know that we currently have a neighborhood full of primary schools. Why wouldn't you instead focus on a secondary school for our children that would prevent them from having to travel so far?

Thank-you for your consideration of our complaints. We are grateful for the Washington Elementary School and the beautiful history that we have with the school.

Sincerely,

Maria Vallejo