

JPB Board of Directors Meeting of November 5, 2020

Correspondence as of November 4, 2020

- # Subject
- 1 Closure of Atherton Station

From: Velez-Murphy
To: Public Comment

**Subject:** Support Closure of Atherton Station (item 9 on Agenda)

**Date:** Tuesday, November 3, 2020 12:06:12 PM

## Dear JPB Board of Directors,

I hope this email finds you well and your families safe during this time.

I write to you today to express my support for the closure of the Atherton station in exchange for stated benefits (item 9 on the 11/5 agenda).

We want to emphatically stress our desire to close the train station for many reasons. Closing the station will reduce train noise significantly throughout Atherton, improve traffic flow, allow safety improvements to the Town Center, and also maintain the character of our community.

Best, Roxanne Velez 74 Lloyden Drive Atherton, CA 94027 From: <u>Elissa Murphy</u>
To: <u>Public Comment</u>

**Subject:** Support Closure of Atherton Station (item 9 on Agenda)

**Date:** Tuesday, November 3, 2020 12:11:20 PM

## Dear JPB Board of Directors,

I write to you today to express my support for the closure of the Atherton station in exchange for stated benefits (item 9 on the 11/5 agenda).

We want to emphatically stress our desire to close the train station for many reasons. Closing the station will reduce train noise significantly throughout Atherton, improve traffic flow, allow safety improvements to the Town Center, and also maintain the character of our community. Opening the station will not only make this more of an issue for young children and pets in the area (not to mention adults) - but add additional safety and security issues. **Please** close the train station given all of these disadvantages in keeping it open.

Thank you for your consideration

Best, Elissa Murphy Atherton, CA 94027 From: <u>David Barca</u>
To: <u>Public Comment</u>

**Subject:** Pertaining to Agenda Item #9 for the November 5 Meeting

**Date:** Tuesday, November 3, 2020 1:03:08 PM

As a long time resident of the Town of Atherton, I wane nostalgic for the quaint train station that I have used since childhood and my children as commuters to school. However, I am in full support of the memorandum of understanding put together between Caltrain and the Town of Atherton to provide certain benefits in exchange for support to close the station. This has been a long and arduous process. Thank you for your perseverance and patience. Most gratefully, David Barca and Family, 23 Belleau Avenue, Atherton, CA.

Sent from Mail for Windows 10