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Brandon,  
As I mentioned when I saw you last week, I am in Europe and unable to connect at the meeting time.

As a former long time P. C. Vice chair, having participated during several hearings of this proposed Esperanza project, I feel it is important to be heard. I did read Doug Schmitz's brilliant letter and I am in complete agreement with all his points.

My strong hope is that those representing Esperanza will take his points to realize that the direct and thoughtful comments that Doug has made can lead them to create a project that will be worthy of our village.

I will appreciate your reading this during the P. C. comments.

Kindest regards,  
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