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Dear Planning Commissioners,

I am writing to support the new hotel proposal at 2567 El Camino Real in Redwood City. I am a local entrepreneur living in San Carlos with my wife and two young children.

I believe the North Fair Oaks and El Camino Real area is in much need for investment and development. The new hotel would bring more visitors, customers, and revenue to the area, as well as create jobs and improve the streetscape.

My wife and I have been looking for retail space in the area as an expansion to our dance studio business, and we would very much like to see other investments in the community. The new hotel would attract more businesses and services to the area, making it more vibrant, lively and diverse.

I hope you will approve the new hotel proposal and support the revitalization of North Fair Oaks and El Camino Real. It would benefit not only me, but also many other residents, workers, and visitors who love this area.

Thank you for your attention.

Sincerely, Heyward Dai