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Subject: Please return to Port Priority use standard

Dear Grace

please forward this letter to all BCDC Commissioners and Alternates involved in tomorrow's decision about Port Priority Use:

Dear BCDC Commissioners and Alternates

We humbly request that you return to the original designation of Howard Terminal to Port Priority Use back to the Port of Oakland .

If nothing else pay attention to SF Chronicle sports editors Scott Ostler and Ann Killion who have been saying for 2 years that Fischer and Kaval are not a good and honest players. Please Please Do Not repeat your past mistake of awarding the A's special dispensation. Fischer and his minions have been scamming Oakland for the past 4 years complicit with secretive Schaaf administration. From the formation of City Council's flawed TermSheet to hornswagging You (BCDC) with inaccurate data into changing the Port's priority access status.

It was never a good fit and they knew it. Even Loren Taylor admitted over a year ago that it was never about the A's. The Stadium was a pretense for leverage of their Luxury Village on the most valuable land in Oakland. It was strictly business. Nobody should be surprised that they went for a sweetheart deal in Las Vegas.

You cannot ignore the promise of sea level rise, climate change and earthquakes direct effect on the Bay . Surely you have not already forgotten the effect of this winters storms (the new normal) on California's coastal areas.

Oaklanders are not interested in keeping them here and especially not interested in their bogus luxury village private cash cow, as demonstrated by the election of Mayor Sheng Thao over Loren Taylor who promised to carry out Schaff's bad deal.

We should all be grateful we dodged the bullet. Do not let us down again.

Sincerely Yours

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