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Subject: Vote NO on South Park Blocks Master Plan - Separate the Tree Succession Plan and the Green Loop from the SPB Master Plan
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Dear Commissioners:

On Thurs 15 July, 2 pm, please:

-Vote NO on South Park Blocks Master Plan

-Separate the Tree Succession Plan and the Green Loop from the SPB Master Plan

-Add Tree Maintenance Plan to prolong lives of existing trees.

Notes

-Replace dying trees with similar species of deciduous trees

-Maintain current **5 rows** per block with up to 9 tall, deciduous trees

-Maintain existing curb to curb dimensions

-Add NO hardscaping to maintain water runoff and heat islands

-Add Tree Maintenance Plan with estimated costs

-Prioritize pedestrian safety

-Maintain park size by removing protections/barriers from Green Loop (GL).

-Locate the GL in the existing streets to prioritize east-west pedestrian traffic and PSU student campus crossings.

Best regards,

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