

Edward McGuire III, Project Manager
Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

RE: Comments on 10/6/2015 Second Notice of Project Change (NPC) by Equity Residential for the Proposed Garden "Bubble" Garage

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NAME: Dana Cutillo STREET/UNIT#: 10-6, 9 Hawthorne Place

EMAIL and/or TEL# _____ CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: Project Does NOT MEET REQUIREMENTS

OF West End Urban Renewal PLAN... Too Massive

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NAME: Josie Adu STREET/UNIT#: 104, 9 Hawthorne Pl.

EMAIL and/or TEL# neuralpreservation@gmail.com CITY: BOSTON, MA

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NAME: Helen Bjork STREET/UNIT#: 9 Hawthorne Place # 105

EMAIL and/or TEL# 860 573 2030 CITY: BOSTON, MA 02114

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NAME: Tisha Persaud STREET/UNIT#: 9 Hawthorne Place, 10L

EMAIL and/or TEL# tpers84@hotmail.com CITY: **BOSTON, MA**

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NAME: Richard Gelfin STREET/UNIT#: 9 Hawthorn #10-0
EMAIL and/or TEL# ~~Richard.Gelfin@bra.org~~ Emerpa/h@aol CITY: BOSTON, MA

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NAME: Joanne Spitz STREET/UNIT#: 9 Hawthorne Place Apt 10-0
EMAIL and/or TEL# SPITZ@cwi.com CITY: BOSTON, MA 02114

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NAME: Steven Peltz STREET/UNIT#: 9 Hawthorne #11B
EMAIL and/or TEL#: 857 600 4835 CITY: BOSTON, MA

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NAME: John M Siliski STREET/UNIT#: 1-103, 1-105, 9-11C ^{Hawthorne Place}

EMAIL and/or TEL# js1009@gmail.com CITY: BOSTON, MA 02114

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NAME: Patricia Sheehan STREET/UNIT#: 9 Hawthorne Pl - 11-E

EMAIL and/or TEL# 617 723 3310 CITY: BOSTON, MA 02114

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NAME: Thectste Tiffany STREET/UNIT#: 9 Hawthorne place, 116
EMAIL and/or TEL# Phanyh@ome.com CITY: BOSTON, MA

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NAME: Maryam Tahvildari STREET/UNIT#: 9 Hawthorne 11k

EMAIL and/or TEL# tahvildari.maryam@gmail.com CITY: BOSTON, MA

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NAME: JJ Frederick STREET/UNIT#: 9 Hawthorne Pl., 115

EMAIL and/or TEL# SJEBF @ YAHOO.COM CITY: BOSTON, MA

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NAME: Oksana Ushakov STREET/UNIT#: 111 Hawthorn pl. (2)

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NAME: Andrew Ushakov STREET/UNIT#: 9-11L, 9 Hawthorne

EMAIL and/or TEL# _____ CITY: BOSTON, MA P/

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

Edward McGuire III, Project Manager
Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

RE: Comments on 10/6/2015 Second Notice of Project Change (NPC) by Equity Residential for the Proposed Garden "Bubble" Garage

Dear Mr. McGuire:

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NAME: Nancy Buehler STREET/UNIT#: 9 Hawthorne Place, 11-M

EMAIL and/or TEL# NANBUHLER@MSN.COM CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: It is insane to put any more TRAFFIC
on our small roads - Martha's Road is ^{10AD} over bad now!

Edward McGuire III, Project Manager
Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

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NAME: Ksenia Epishina STREET/UNIT#: 9 Hawthorne Pl / # 11P

EMAIL and/or TEL# 617-794-6614 CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

Edward McGuire III, Project Manager
Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

RE: Comments on 10/6/2015 Second Notice of Project Change (NPC) by Equity Residential for the Proposed Garden "Bubble" Garage

Dear Mr. McGuire:

I am a West End resident and have lived in our neighborhood for more than 12 years. As you know, all West Enders want to see our neighborhood grow and thrive, and we welcome efforts to positively enhance our community.

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NAME: Hope Williams STREET/UNIT#: 9 Hawthorne Place UR
EMAIL and/or TEL# hopewilliams288@gmail.com CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

Edward McGuire III, Project Manager
Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

RE: Comments on 10/6/2015 Second Notice of Project Change (NPC) by Equity Residential for the Proposed Garden "Bubble" Garage

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NAME: Andrew Scarn STREET/UNIT#: 12B Hawthorn Pl. - 9

EMAIL and/or TEL# _____ CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

Edward McGuire III, Project Manager
Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

RE: Comments on 10/6/2015 Second Notice of Project Change (NPC) by Equity Residential for the Proposed Garden "Bubble" Garage

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NAME: Andrea Den Boghosian STREET/UNIT#: 9 Hawthorne Pl #12C

EMAIL and/or TEL# 617-723-5995 CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: I urge the BRA to listen to these concerns and
revise the current proposal.

Edward McGuire III, Project Manager
Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

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NAME: MEGHAN GALLAGHER STREET/UNIT#: 9 HAWTHORNE 12D

EMAIL and/or TEL# _____ CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

Edward McGuire III, Project Manager
Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

RE: Comments on 10/6/2015 Second Notice of Project Change (NPC) by Equity Residential for the Proposed Garden "Bubble" Garage

Dear Mr. McGuire:

I am a West End resident and have lived in our neighborhood for more than 27 years. As you know, all West Enders want to see our neighborhood grow and thrive, and we welcome efforts to positively enhance our community.

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NAME: N.J. Wiebsch STREET/UNIT#: 9 Hawthorne Pl. #12E

EMAIL and/or TEL# (617) 227-7557 CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

Edward McGuire III, Project Manager
Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

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NAME: Elissa Klinger STREET/UNIT#: 126 / 9 Hawthorne
EMAIL and/or TEL# 617 525 6655 CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

Edward McGuire III, Project Manager
Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

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NAME: SUE CHIAPPISI STREET/UNIT#: 9 HAWTHORNE #12H

EMAIL and/or TEL# ~~207-23~~ 617-441-1509 CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

Edward McGuire III, Project Manager
Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

RE: Comments on 10/6/2015 Second Notice of Project Change (NPC) by Equity Residential for the Proposed Garden "Bubble" Garage

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NAME: OLEG MAKRIORIN STREET/UNIT#: 9 Hawthorne (2J)

EMAIL and/or TEL# _____ CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: too high building

Edward McGuire III, Project Manager
Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

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NAME: MAKHOR, JEFF STREET/UNIT#: 12 J - 9 HAWTHORNE PL.

EMAIL and/or TEL# _____ CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

Edward McGuire III, Project Manager
Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

RE: Comments on 10/6/2015 Second Notice of Project Change (NPC) by Equity Residential for the Proposed Garden "Bubble" Garage

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NAME: Susan Green STREET/UNIT#: 9 Hawthorne #12m, 12L

EMAIL and/or TEL# (617) 742-5640 CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

Edward McGuire III, Project Manager
Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

RE: Comments on 10/6/2015 Second Notice of Project Change (NPC) by Equity Residential for the Proposed Garden "Bubble" Garage

Dear Mr. McGuire:

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NAME: David Rosen STREET/UNIT#: 9 Hawthorne Pl. #12M

EMAIL and/or TEL# ROSENDA@RCN.COM CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

Edward McGuire III, Project Manager
Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

RE: Comments on 10/6/2015 Second Notice of Project Change (NPC) by Equity Residential for the Proposed Garden "Bubble" Garage

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NAME: Margie Clapp STREET/UNIT#: 9 Hawthorne Place, 12N

EMAIL and/or TEL# _____ CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

Edward McGuire III, Project Manager
Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

RE: Comments on 10/6/2015 Second Notice of Project Change (NPC) by Equity Residential for the Proposed Garden "Bubble" Garage

Dear Mr. McGuire:

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NAME: MaryBeth Mucklin STREET/UNIT#: 12 P, 9 Hawthorne Pl
EMAIL and/or TEL# mbmucklin@gmail.com CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

Edward McGuire III, Project Manager
Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

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NAME: B. PUNJANANDESWARAN STREET/UNIT#: 14C, 9 HANTHORNE PL.

EMAIL and/or TEL# _____ CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

Edward McGuire III, Project Manager
Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

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NAME: GILBERT HERRERA STREET/UNIT#: 9 HAWTHORNE PL. #14D

EMAIL and/or TEL# gilbertherrera@gmail.com CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: TAKING THE PROPOSED PROJECT DOWN BY 2

FLOORS ISNT SHOWING A WILLINGNESS TO COMPROMISE.

Edward McGuire III, Project Manager
Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

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NAME: Karin Tyburski STREET/UNIT#: 9 Hawthorne Place, #140

EMAIL and/or TEL# Karinann33@gmail.com CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: The new ~~proposal~~ proposal has not been significantly changed. The traffic concerns have still not been addressed and

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this large project will surely worsen traffic in the west end.
Numerous times, I've witnessed ambulances en route to MGH get →

Edward McGuire III, Project Manager
Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

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NAME: MANFRED NAIRZ **STREET/UNIT#:** 9 HAWTHORNE PL., # 14F

EMAIL and/or TEL# MANFRED.NA122@GMAIL.COM **CITY:** BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: KEEP THE AREA WORTH LIVING IN.

Manfred Nairz

Edward McGuire III, Project Manager
Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

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NAME: Amit Rupani STREET/UNIT#: 19 H, 9 Hawthorne Pl.

EMAIL and/or TEL# amit.rupani@gmail.com CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

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Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

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NAME: Nancy S. West STREET/UNIT#: 9 Hawthorne 14-J
EMAIL and/or TEL# 617-3679514 CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

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Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

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NAME: ROBERT N. WEST SR. STREET/UNIT#: 9 HAWTHORNE
EMAIL and/or TEL# 617 367 9514 CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

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Boston, MA 02201

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NAME: Tomoko WATANABE STREET/UNIT#: 9 HAWTHORNE PL #14L

EMAIL and/or TEL# tomoko_watanabe@eisa1.com CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

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Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

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NAME: Vincent & Joan Santoro STREET/UNIT#: 9 Hawthorne Place 14-14

EMAIL and/or TEL# VIN. SAN @ RCN.COM CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

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NAME: Capel Santoro STREET/UNIT#: 9 Hawthorne Pl. #14-0
EMAIL and/or TEL# kittysantoro@yahoo.com CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

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Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

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NAME: Frank Diccio STREET/UNIT#: 9 Hawthorne Pl 14-P

EMAIL and/or TEL# Fdlimina@netscape.net CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: Due to the increase in density in the West End any new building should be smaller to match west end place and any Lowell House

CC: Mayor Martin J. Walsh, BRA Director Brian Golden; Councilor Josh Zakim; State Representative James Livingstone; Director of Development Review and Policy Jon Greeley; Council President William Linehan; Councilors At Large: Ayanna Pressley, Michelle Wu and Anissa Essaibi George

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NAME: Laurie Regan STREET/UNIT#: 160 H St S, Boston

EMAIL and/or TEL# laurieregan13@hotmail.com CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

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Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

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NAME: Susan & Alex Jackson STREET/UNIT#: 9 Hawthorne Pl. 14L Boston

EMAIL and/or TEL# A4jackson@gmail.com CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

Edward McGuire III, Project Manager
Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

RE: Comments on 10/6/2015 Second Notice of Project Change (NPC) by Equity Residential for the Proposed Garden "Bubble" Garage

Dear Mr. McGuire:

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NAME: Cecilia Yukun STREET/UNIT#: (9)- 15A 9 Hawthorne Pl

EMAIL and/or TEL# 617-670-0851 CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

Edward McGuire III, Project Manager
Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

RE: Comments on 10/6/2015 Second Notice of Project Change (NPC) by Equity Residential for the Proposed Garden "Bubble" Garage

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NAME: CHRISTOPHER J. BERNHARD AND ALICE BERNHARD-JERHAM STREET/UNIT#: 9 HAWTHORNE PLACE/UNIT 15C

EMAIL and/or TEL# jcdet@scn.com CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

Edward McGuire III, Project Manager
Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

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NAME: Juan A. Gladstone STREET/UNIT#: 9 Hawthorne Place #15D

EMAIL and/or TEL# Third time never fails e comment CITY: BOSTON, MA 02114

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

Edward McGuire III, Project Manager
Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

RE: Comments on 10/6/2015 Second Notice of Project Change (NPC) by Equity Residential for the Proposed Garden "Bubble" Garage

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NAME: MARY KAREN ROGERS STREET/UNIT#: 1 LAWTHORNE PL. #15E

EMAIL and/or TEL# ROGERS.marykaren@gmail.com CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: I dispute the zoning change - from
down town hsd to West end zoning - This would not happen
in Beacon Hill or Back Bay

CC: Mayor Martin J. Walsh, BRA Director Brian Golden; Councilor Josh Zakim; State Representative James Livingstone; Director of Development Review and Policy Jon Greeley; Council President William Linehan; Councilors At Large: Ayanna Pressley, Michelle Wu and Anissa Essaibi George

[Signature]

Edward McGuire III, Project Manager
Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

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NAME: Erik Williams STREET/UNIT#: 9 Hawthorne place / Apt 15G
EMAIL and/or TEL# erikwilliams123456@gmail.com CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

Edward McGuire III, Project Manager
Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

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NAME: Anastasia Caspi STREET/UNIT#: 15 J 9 Hawthorne Pl.

EMAIL and/or TEL# acaspib3@gmail.com CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

Edward McGuire III, Project Manager
Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

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NAME: Barbara Seiber-Wagner STREET/UNIT#: 9 Hawthorne Place, 15L

EMAIL and/or TEL# barbara.seiberwagner@gmail.com CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

Edward McGuire III, Project Manager
Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

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NAME: FRAN & MICHAEL MALIS STREET/UNIT#: 9 HAWTHORNE PL. 15N

EMAIL and/or TEL# FRAN.MALIS@GMAIL.COM CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

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Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

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NAME: ADRIANO GARCEZ STREET/UNIT#: 16A - 9 Hawthorne Pl

EMAIL and/or TEL# AJGARCEZ@YAHOO.COM CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: IT SHOULD FIT MORE W/ THE NEIGHBORHOOD

PLAN. IT SHOULDN'T BE SO MASSIVE

Edward McGuire III, Project Manager
Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

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NAME: Isabel Oniz STREET/UNIT#: 9 Hawthorne Pl. #16A

EMAIL and/or TEL# icenz@gmail.com CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: Please don't do that! We love living here!

Edward McGuire III, Project Manager
Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

RE: Comments on 10/6/2015 Second Notice of Project Change (NPC) by Equity Residential for the Proposed Garden "Bubble" Garage

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NAME: Michael Geller STREET/UNIT#: 16D 9 Hawthorne Pl.

EMAIL and/or TEL# _____ CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

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Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

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NAME: Michael Geller STREET/UNIT#: 16 D

EMAIL and/or TEL# Michael.Geller@gmail.com CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

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NAME: Vanessa Semedo Geller STREET/UNIT#: 16 D - 9 Hawthorne Pl

EMAIL and/or TEL# VSemedo2@gmail.com CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

Edward McGuire III, Project Manager
Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

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NAME: N. Lut Morris STREET/UNIT#: 811 Broadway Boston
EMAIL and/or TEL# MorrisKurt@yahoo.com CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

Edward McGuire III, Project Manager
Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

RE: Comments on 10/6/2015 Second Notice of Project Change (NPC) by Equity Residential for the Proposed Garden "Bubble" Garage

Dear Mr. McGuire:

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NAME: FELIPE I. TOLENTINO STREET/UNIT#: 9 HAWTHORNE PL. APT 10-B

EMAIL and/or TEL# 617-780-1711 CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: HOPE YOU WILL LISTEN TO

THESE REMARKS BECAUSE IF A DISASTER
BECAUSE OF THIS PROJECT, YOU WILL FOREVER
BE BLAMED FOR IT. F. I. TOLENTINO, M.D.

CC: Mayor Martin J. Walsh, BRA Director Brian Golden; Councilor Josh Zakim; State Representative James Livingstone; Director of Development Review and Policy Jon Greeley; Council President William Linehan; Councilors At Large: Ayanna Pressley, Michelle Wu and Anissa Essaibi George

Edward McGuire III, Project Manager
Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

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NAME: LUCIO MERCURIO STREET/UNIT#: 9 HAWTHORNE PL 16F

EMAIL and/or TEL# L-MERCURIO.11@AOL.COM CITY: BOSTON, MA
617 459-1560

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: YOU SHOULD PAY ATTENTION
TO WHAT THE RESIDENTS HAVE TO SAY BEFORE WE WILL

CC: Mayor Martin J. Walsh, BRA Director Brian Golden; Councilor Josh Zakim; State Representative James Livingstone; Director of Development Review and Policy Jon Greeley; Council President William Linehan; Councilors At Large: Ayanna Pressley, Michelle Wu and Anissa Essaibi George

TRY TO FIRE YOU ALL.

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Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

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NAME: Matthew Gartland and Piyshri STREET/UNIT#: 9 Hawthorne Apt 16 H

EMAIL and/or TEL# mgartland@gmail.com / 201-615-3049 CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

December 3, 2015

Edward McGuire III, Project Manager
Boston Redevelopment Authority
One City Hall Square
Boston, MA 02201

Re: **Comments on 10/6/15 Second Notice of Project Change by Equity Residential for the Boston Garden (Bubble) Garage**

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The project is way too massive, totally out of scale with the Longfellow towers on the same parcel, not to mention the smaller and lower surrounding buildings.

I am extremely concerned about the impact of this construction, and especially the depth of the proposed underground parking, on 9 Hawthorne and on its associated infrastructure. The garage site is way too close to us, and to the gas lines, utilities and sewer pipes in Thoreau Path. While I understand some test borings were made, no one really knows what is below the current garage, and at least part of the locus is probably filled land that might shift, causing settling and resulting damage around it. As we have seen in the case of the Big Dig, having renowned engineers work on a project is no guarantee there will be no defects. The benefits anticipated from the project are far too meager in proportion to the risks and burdens it entails.

The project will generate additional traffic in our neighborhood, which is already unacceptably burdened, as Councilor Zakim's hearing documented. It will also burden the Green line, as will all the new development (under way and in the pipeline) in North Station, Government Center, North Point and points further north. As the Mayor has emphasized in combating the proposed casino in Everett, these matters need to be studied on a regional basis, something yet to be required of this project or any of the others burdening our community. If such a study were done, I predict it will show insufficient capacity, not only during so-called peak periods but at many other times when events (sporting, cultural or otherwise) cause large numbers of people to want to get to or from our area.

Please reject the project in its current form and require Equity to redesign it in a way that solves these problems.

Very truly yours,



Carl J. Kanter
9 Hawthorne Place, Unit 16M
Boston MA 02114
617-523-6881

December 3, 2015

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Miriam H. Kanter
9 Hawthorne Place, Unit 16M
Boston MA 02114
617-720-0883

Edward McGuire III, Project Manager
Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

RE: Comments on 10/6/2015 Second Notice of Project Change (NPC) by Equity Residential for the Proposed Garden "Bubble" Garage

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NAME: SANDOR RABKIN STREET/UNIT#: 9 HAWTHORNE PLACE #16N

EMAIL and/or TEL# 617 742 6132 CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

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Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

RE: Comments on 10/6/2015 Second Notice of Project Change (NPC) by Equity Residential for the Proposed Garden "Bubble" Garage

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I am a West End resident and have lived in our neighborhood for more than 28 years. As you know, all West Enders want to see our neighborhood grow and thrive, and we welcome efforts to positively enhance our community.

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NAME: Andrew Rakin STREET/UNIT#: 9 HAWTHORNE PLACE #16N

EMAIL and/or TEL# 617-640-1779 CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

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NAME: Lee Rabkin STREET/UNIT#: 9 Hawthorne Place #16N

EMAIL and/or TEL# SRABKIN@aol.com CITY: BOSTON, MA

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Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

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NAME: IVAN GOSWAMI STREET/UNIT#: 9 HOWARD PLACE 56P

EMAIL and/or TEL# 617 5385940 CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

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Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

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NAME: Sue-Ellen Howe STREET/UNIT#: 9 Hawthorne Place 16R

EMAIL and/or TEL# sehowe@verizon.net CITY: BOSTON, MA

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NAME: PATRICIA MORRIS STREET/UNIT#: 811 E. BROADWAY

EMAIL and/or TEL# 617 269-2415 CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

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Boston Redevelopment Authority
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NAME: James Leary STREET/UNIT#: 242 Cambridge St.
EMAIL and/or TEL# _____ CITY: BOSTON, MA
ADDITIONAL COMMENT: TRAFFIC!!

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NAME: Hollis Chase STREET/UNIT#: 9 Hawthorne Pl - 17A
EMAIL and/or TEL# 617-720-5851 CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: I am very disappointed that our Mayor + Equity cannot come to a more reasonable decision for our community.

CC: Mayor Martin J. Walsh, BRA Director Brian Golden; Councilor Josh Zakim; State Representative James Livingstone; Director of Development Review and Policy Jon Greeley; Council President William Linehan; Councilors At Large: Ayanna Pressley, Michelle Wu and Anissa Essaibi George

The traffic is already horrendous and the impact on all our neighbors young + old will be difficult - this will impact the future!

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NAME: JAMES LAWRASON STREET/UNIT#: 9 HAWTHORNE PL #17C
EMAIL and/or TEL# nashlawrason@verizon.net CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

Edward McGuire III, Project Manager
Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

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NAME: LESLIE FANG, MD STREET/UNIT#: 170 9 HAWTHORNE PLACE

EMAIL and/or TEL# lesfang@msn.com CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

Leslie Fang

Edward McGuire III, Project Manager
Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

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NAME: Paul Ashton STREET/UNIT#: 9 Hawthorne Pl. 17E
EMAIL and/or TEL# 617.875.8447 CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

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Boston, MA 02201

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NAME: Chenjie Xu STREET/UNIT#: 9 Hawthorne 17F

EMAIL and/or TEL# 617-480-0527 CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

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Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

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NAME: Michelle Sullivan STREET/UNIT#: 9 Hawthorne Place 17g

EMAIL and/or TEL# 617 513-0224 CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

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Boston, MA 02201

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NAME: Jim Goodfield STREET/UNIT#: 9 Hawthorne Pl Apt 17M
EMAIL and/or TEL# jimgoodfield@hotmail.com CITY: BOSTON, MA
ADDITIONAL COMMENT: Stop forcing ill-conceived projects onto our backs ! We vote and have long memories...

Edward McGuire III, Project Manager
Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

RE: Comments on 10/6/2015 Second Notice of Project Change (NPC) by Equity Residential for the Proposed Garden "Bubble" Garage

Dear Mr. McGuire:

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NAME: Ashton Goodfield STREET/UNIT#: 9 Hawthorne Place Apt 17 NWLK

EMAIL and/or TEL# ashtongoodfield@hotmail.com CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: Stop this ill-conceived development

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Boston, MA 02201

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NAME: Benjamin McGinness STREET/UNIT#: 9 Hawthorne Pl Apt 17-D
EMAIL and/or TEL# benmcginness@yahoo.com CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

Edward McGuire III, Project Manager
Boston Redevelopment Authority
Boston, MA 02201

December 7, 2015

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NAME: Albert P. Berson STREET/UNIT#: 9 Hawthorne Pl. 17-R

EMAIL and/or TEL#: al.berson@comcast.net CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: I have lived in this neighborhood since 1974. I am
concerned about traffic catastrophe. I just directed traffic on Cambridge
Street. A STAFFIC WAS SO BAD AN AMBULANCE COULD NOT MOVE. THIS PROJECT
will create a lot more serious congestion and causes concern for
Five Engines, ambulances and human existence.

CC: Mayor Martin J. Walsh, BRA Director Brian Golden; Councilor Josh Zakim; State Representative James Livingstone; Director of Development Review and Policy Jon Greeley; Council President William Linehan; Councilors At Large: Ayanna Pressley, Michelle Wu and Anissa Essaibi George

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EMAIL and/or TEL# Jon.defalco@gmail.com CITY: BOSTON, MA

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NAME: Rita E McGuire STREET/UNIT#: 1 Hawthorne Sully 109

EMAIL and/or TEL# Rmcguire@partners.org CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

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NAME: Larry Cohen STREET/UNIT#: 110 HAWTHORNE PL

EMAIL and/or TEL# lcohen@partners.org CITY: BOSTON, MA

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NAME: Jean Elkins STREET/UNIT#: 9 Hawthorne Place, # 7D

EMAIL and/or TEL# alandjeanel@gmail.com CITY: BOSTON, MA
617 605 1210

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

Please - reduce the size + mass

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NAME: Alan Daniels STREET/UNIT#: 9 Hawthorne Pl # 7D
617 966 9788
EMAIL and/or TEL# alandjane@gmail.com CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: _____

Please fit in with the rest of the neighborhood

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NAME: William Grealish STREET/UNIT#: 9 Hawthorne Place #3N

EMAIL and/or TEL# Kenmore 5400@yahoo.com CITY: BOSTON, MA

ADDITIONAL COMMENT: Question: Why does the BRA insist on acting in such an autocratic manner?

Edward McGuire III, Project Manager
Boston Redevelopment Authority
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EMAIL and/or TEL# 781-789-4725 CITY: BOSTON, MA

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NAME: MÉNÉTRIER Gwennelle STREET/UNIT#: unit 3G - 9 Hawthorne place

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NAME: Sandra Wilford STREET/UNIT#: 2 H Hawthorne Place #4C

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