Mr. Cohen:  
  
I have lived on Marlborough St and Mass Ave for over 20 years, now with my family of five.  I also work in the Prudential tower and walk by the corner of Boylston and Mass Ave twice a day on my way to work.  I was both interested and concerned when I heard about the 1000 Boylston St project.  I attended the presentation by the developer  at St. Cecilla Parish on February 28th and was relieved to hear the thoughtful plans presented.  Along with many of my neighbors, we are enthusiast supporters of this project.  The developer has a terrific reputation, has been thoughtful of the design and has been able to put together multiple parcels to solve the most important issue of all: filling in the hole.   
  
I learned that the this hole was an unfortunate result of the Turnpike extension from the 1960s.  Our community has long desired to transform this unsightly area into an engaging streetscape.  Of course, there are also economic, housing and other benefits 1000 Boylston brings to the neighborhood and the city.  While I understand some folks are concerned about shadows, I believe that concern is substantially overblown due to the very temporary and small shadows modeled.  When comparing the shadows to the benefits, it's substantially nets out as a positive in my mind.  
  
The 1000 Boylston Street project deserves the support of the City of Boston and its residents and businesses.  I fully support the project and developer.  
  
Thank you for your consideration of my thoughts,  
  
Kenneth Frieze