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To: City Council

Cc: Chen, Wayne; Cameron, Dawn; McCarthy, Kimbra; Glaser, Heather; housing@lwvlamv.org

Subject: Item 6.1 on the May 14, 2024, City Council agenda (Lot 12 Affordable Housing Development)

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Dear Mayor Showalter and Members of the City Council:

Attached is a letter from the League of Women Voters regarding item 6.1 on the May 14, 2024, City Council agenda (Lot 12 Affordable Housing Development). Sincerely,

Katie Zoglin

President

Los Altos-Mountain View Area League of Women Voters



May 13, 2024

Re: May 14, 2024, Agenda Item 6.1 – Lot 12 Affordable Housing Development

Dear Mayor Showalter and Members of the City Council:

The League of Women Voters (LWV) supports policies that increase the stock of affordable housing.

The League has consistently supported the building of affordable housing at Lot 12 as it proceeds through the development process. As such, we support the staff recommendation that Council approve the additional funding allocation and project amendment authorization to address the funding gap resulting from cost escalation and limited grant opportunities. We understand that the funds are available through the City's Below Market Rate housing funds and would not be taken from the General Fund.

Please send any questions about this letter to Kevin Ma, Co-Chair of the Housing Committee, at housing@lwvlamv.org.

Sincerely,

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