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for  
Advocates for Affordable Housing  
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September 12, 2022

Dear Honorable Mayor Ramirez and Council Members,

Advocates for Affordable Housing (AAH) is a volunteer group of Mountain View residents since 1993 who has long been concerned about the shortage of affordable housing for low income residents. Thus for several years AAH has supported development of the 1020 Terra Bella site for all affordable housing by Alta Housing.

Thus, AAH supports the NOFA Review Committee in recommending the Alta project to proceed. AAH also notes that Alta has leveraged additional funding for the project. We urge the Council to accept the staff recommendation so the project can move ahead smoothly through the remainder of the city process and begin to build asap.

Sincerely,  
Joan MacDonald  
for AAH  
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