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CC: David Olson, Newton City Clerk

Councilor,

My name is Michael Rogan and I am deeply concerned about the lack of moderately priced housing in Newton. Any town needs housing units offered at a wide array of different costs to maintain a healthy and prosperous economy. Newton is currently not on that trajectory and we need to do something about this.

Thankfully, you and your colleagues agree in this regard and have done important work addressing the matter. I strongly believe that the Washington Place proposal fits soundly in the future envisioned for Newton by Mayor Warren and the Council as well as the work you have already done pushing forward other projects with a like-minded goal. As such, I hope that the Council will quickly move this latest proposal forward and continue doing an excellent job in taking this problem.

Best,

Michael Rogan

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