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Neal Alpert
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2016-10-18 10:30:16 EST

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To whom it may concern,

Please approve zoning for Union Square, so we can begin to transform the empty lots and vacant businesses into a hub for technology and innovative businesses.

As the owner of 40 Bow Street in Union Square I have fully invested in the future of this area and believe in its potential over the coming decade. However, the progress, improvements and transformation can no longer wait. My retail space has sat partially vacant for several years due in part to the lack of clarity in Union Squares path forward by potential tenants. No one argues big things are in store for this area but such visions and conversations have not become a reality in years so businesses and retailers continue to wait. This is not sustainable and given the strength of the current economic and real estate market. We must act now.

Therefore, I strongly support the advancement of the Union Square zoning and hope that together we can move forward quickly after approving this important step in the process.

Sincerely,

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2016-10-18 11:47:56 EST

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Ian Marlier
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2016-10-18 13:52:40 EST

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2016-10-24 13:36:45 EST

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2016-10-26 16:19:45 EST

Lets act NOW!

There are hundreds of companies looking for new homes. Please do not allow our city to be passed over as a potential destination. The time is now and the opportunity is here. As a long time resident of the city I urge you to act now and:

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