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From: Linda Smith <vlrsmith@sbcglobal.net>
Sent: Wednesday, August 27, 2025 9:53 AM
To: City Council
Subject: Re: Input for Item 8D, Aug. 28 Council Agenda

Sorry - Item 8D.

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On Wednesday, August 27, 2025, 09:51:24 AM PDT, Linda Smith <vlrsmith@sbcglobal.net> wrote:

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