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Public Comment:

This is Lillie Robertson, Past Chair of the GVDA and current board member of the GVDA and Greater Grass Valley Chamber of Commerce. I am also the owner of Yuba Blue and The WorkSpace Grass Valley. I am sorry to miss tonight's City Council Meeting and presentation but I had to be in Atlanta for work.

I just want to say how thrilled I am with how far our organization has come in the last 12 months. The Alliance being formed between the GGVCC and GVDA will allow us to excel even further as both organizations can leverage our collective capacities.

Of course, the City of Grass Valley's partnership with our organization is a cornerstone of our achievement and we look forward to our continued partnership and success. The Mill Street Plaza is the crown jewel of our town, and our BID members are now beginning to reap the benefits of its completion.

There is always more to do to make our downtown the best it can be and on behalf of the GVDA, I look forward to continuing to foster its success in tandem with the City of Grass Valley.

Thank you for your time and consideration this evening. I hope you have enjoyed our presentation and see the value our organization brings to our membership, the City of Grass Valley and our community.