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To: <u>Public Comment</u>; <u>City Council</u>

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Dear council Members

I believe it is important to keep a Standing Legislative Subcommittee

An Ad Hoc Committee would not have to have public hearings and be open for public comments, making it a bad idea in relation to transparency.

The State laws are increasingly affecting our town, and we need to be aware of potential State action that might affect our land use policies and the financial implications.

I would also urge the City Council to hire a lobbyist to represent Los Altos to protect the interests of our City and it's residents.

Sincerely

Roberta Phillips