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Long Beach City Council
333 West Ocean Boulevard
Long Beach, CA 90802

Dear Council Members,

I learned today that the Council is considering a resolution to oppose SB 827, my bill allowing more housing near public transportation. Currently, due to low density zoning near transit, people are being forced to drive and pushed into long commutes. This lack of access to transit increases carbon emissions.

In any event, I am currently working on amendments to the bill and anticipate introducing those amendments in late February. I respectfully suggest that the Council delay consideration the opposition resolution until the bill is amended. I am happy to with with Long Beach to determine what common ground may exist. If, after our amendments, the Council determines that it wishes to oppose the bill, I will absolutely respect that position, our disagreement notwithstanding.

Thank you for taking the time to review this letter and consider my request.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Scott Wiener".

Scott Wiener
Senator