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Hello,

My name is Olivia Rodriguez and I live in the first ward of Grand Rapids. I addamantly oppose the Three Towers project spearheaded by the Fulmar Property Ownings. It is extremely unjust to allow public tax dollars to fund private luxury condos when the public can barely afford to survive in Grand Rapids. Taxpayers money should be invested in them and this proposed project does not support the community. What the Devos family has offered in return of taxpayers' dollars is measly and would offer little support to "low income housing" compared to the cost of the luxury building project.

I attempted to attend the city commission meeting this afternoon with many other Grand Rapidians who do not support this proposed project. A city of Grand Rapids employee informed us that there only 100 seats available in the actual room, so there will be an overflow room to acommodate us. Upon enterring city hall, we were queued around the first floor and eventually told by another employee that there was no overflow room available for us today. I genuinely believe this was an attempt to discourage taxpaying constituents from calling out this inequity and speaking our minds.

Thank you for all you do.

Sincerely,

Olivia Rodriguez