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The Board approved this CIS by a vote of: Yea(15) Nay(0) Abstain(1) Ineligible(0) Recusal(0)

Date of NC Board Action: 01/11/2021

Type of NC Board Action: Against

#### Impact Information

Date: 01/14/2021

Update to a Previous Input: No

Directed To: City Council and Committees

Council File Number: 20-1044

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Summary: While we applaud necessary efforts to reduce corruption, we do not support the proposal to bypass the Planning and Land Use Management Committee (PLUM) and bring "high value projects" directly to the City Council. "High value projects" implies projects of significant size and with significant impact on their neighboring communities and, indeed, our entire city. As such, they deserve full vetting with sufficient time and input for evaluating their impacts. The proposal would have the effect of limiting public participation in the approval process. The proposed procedural change would also result in long City Council hearings involving these developments and could result in delay of other Council business. We suggest that a better approach to reducing corruption would be to extend the prohibitions on contributions by lobbyists to include contributions from developers, both individuals and firms.