

## Paden, Liza

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**From:** vicky barr [vickyb771@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Monday, February 24, 2014 9:08 PM  
**To:** Paden, Liza  
**Cc:** City Council  
**Subject:** courthouse redevelopment

To Whom it May Concern:

I am writing to ask you to deny Special Permit Application #288, and oppose allowing a private developer to retain the full bulk of the building and change its use from public service to private commercial office space. I am concerned about the burden granting this permit would put on the neighborhood.

One of the things I most value about living in Cambridge is the way the city works with it's citizens. Clearly, many people are worried about these changes and the impact it would have on the neighborhood. I ask that you consider these concerns, and work with the citizens of East Cambridge to come to a resolution that strengthens the neighborhood, not weakens it.

Sincerely,

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