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Attn: Caroline Semerdjian – N. California Representative
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Dear Ms. Semerdjian:

I am writing to express my serious concerns about the proposal by Sprint/Nextel Communications to allow a 60' high tower in the heart of the Sunset District of San Francisco near Quintara and 28th Avenue (Planning Commission Case No. 2005.0938CR).

It is my expectation that the reason your company seeks to construct this tower is that it wants to "improve" coverage area and reception for its customers. Whether or not I am a customer, I am unwilling to risk the possible health impacts for your company to improve its marketability and profit margin.

As I understand, the San Francisco Planning Commission will not afford any consideration to the health concerns of residents as a result of a provision that was inserted in the 1996 Telecommunications Act. I am deeply troubled by such a position, not only because it is the type of bureaucratic nonsense that is done at the request of big business, but because it allows your company and all of the other cell phone companies to turn a blind eye to the fact that more information emerges daily which casts doubt on the "safety" of cell phone towers.

I do not want the tower in question to be constructed here, let alone in any other part of San Francisco. However, if your company proceeds to obtain approval of its proposal for construction of the tower, I will do everything within my power to ensure that your company receives a negative endorsement from me, from my friends and family, and from any other person willing to discuss this matter.

Thank you for your time and attention.