



2/28/23, Item 12.1

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Re: comment for 2/28/23 Placerville City Council Meeting, Agenda Item 12.1

Dear Council Members,

I am a Wednesday Farmers' Market and Main Street shopper. Thank you for giving the market the 2023 season in its current location at the Belltower. While it is good to know that the market will still be on Main Street at the Fox lot in 2024, I wonder how long that will last. Only a few years ago, farmers started a Sunday market in the Fox lot, only to be told they had to move, mid-season, because Main Street businesses were unhappy that the market was taking up parking spaces. I hope that the council will give the market assurances that this won't happen again. Certainly, the Main Street merchants deserve consideration, as do the small farmers who have dedicated their professional lives to bring diverse agriculture to our county. They deserve viable stable space to sell their produce and a voice in decisions that affect their livelihoods.

Thank You,
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