

Ronan Campbell
227 Jackson St,
Sunnyvale.

City of Sunnyvale,
Project Review Committee.

RE: The Playhouse,
219 Jackson St,
Sunnyvale.

Dear committee members,

I am writing this letter to show my support for the Playhouse next door and to inform the committee that I do not have any concerns regarding privacy or with the view from my property. I believe that the playhouse enhances our neighborhood in a number of ways. When complete, it will be visually appealing, a good fit with Murphy Park and add to the neighborhood as a whole. Jacob discussed the project with me initially and has described how he plans to finish the project with redwood siding. This should look great, like the classic tree house we all dreamed off as kids.

A major reason why I fully support the playhouse is that the Headley's are great neighbors whose kids are well mannered, friendly and polite. The kids are lucky to have parents that are willing to put the time and effort into creating a great place for them to play in. When the kids are out and I arrive home, they always greet me. Guests will comment on this and what a great neighborhood I live in. The playhouse keeps the kids and their friends around the house which I feel is good for their safety and definitely adds to the overall safety and security in the neighborhood.

I have included my contact information below if you have any additional concerns or questions.

Sincerely,



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Justin and Christina Proulx
239 Jackson St.
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To: The City of Sunnyvale Project Review Committee

Re: The Headley's backyard play structure at 219 Jackson Street

As a family with young children, we were ecstatic to learn that the house we had purchased included close proximity to a city park, as well as other families with children in the same age group as our own. We have been welcomed into this neighborhood with open arms, from the families on our street, and on Bay View, to the Lawn Bowls Club members who have shown my boys how the game works. My boys are in the park, in our yard, in neighbor's yards, or out on the street on a daily basis. The park acts as an extension of our yard space, and the imaginative games our boys and the neighborhood kids play, overflow from one yard to another, and to the park and back. Murphy Park, and our homes, are part of the childhood experiences for our kids.

Murphy park offers a lot of things to a lot of different people. On weekday nights we are serenaded by the calls and cadence of the square dancing group. On sunny afternoons the lawn bowls club is out on the green, enjoying sun and exercise. We have opportunities to play a light game of pick up soccer or throw the frisbee around in the grassy area, and we have made use of the BBQs in the park to welcome larger groups of friends. The playground is nice, but is really suited for only our youngest (2 years) son, since most of the structures there are age specific for younger children.

When the Headleys (at 219 Jackson Street) told us that they were building a playhouse structure on top of their swing set, which has already been used by our older boys many times, we were excited! Our boys have helped in preparing the ground for the support poles, helped dig the holes, hauled in cement bags, and watched in anticipation as the structure took form.

Clearly the playhouse is visible from the street, but it is no more of an obstruction than any other two story building in the area. While a child in the window can see over the fence, or into the park, there is no visibility of the playhouse from our home two doors down (239 Jackson Street). We have no issues with privacy, and believe that it will personally enhance the childhood experiences for our boys. The playhouse is being built with carefully selected, prepared, finished and stained wooden boards. It will be painted and finished with redwood siding, and if the plans are an indication of the finished project, it will be very visually appealing.

Our family, at 239 Jackson Street, is very supportive of this project and hope that you decide to allow it to proceed.

Sincerely,
Justin and Christina Proulx, including Tobias (11), Kiernan (9), Isaiah (7) and Malachi (2)
239 Jackson Street

Vincent J. Cotter
217 N Bayview Ave
Sunnyvale, CA 94086

October 18, 2016

City of Sunnyvale Project Review Committee

To Whom It May Concern:

I'm writing on behalf of our neighbors, the Headley Family, in support of the playhouse they have built in their backyard. I have lived just around the corner from the Headleys for 11 years now, and have watched their kids growing up along with my son. There are several families with small children living here on the Jackson Street / North Bayview Avenue block, but the Headley house has always been something of a magnet for these kids. The main attraction is the warmth and friendliness of the Headley family - but the kids also enjoy the playhouse they've built in their backyard.

Their playhouse is a charming addition to the neighborhood. The Headley home has always been a safe, welcoming play destination for the children of our neighborhood. I would hate to see this asset that the Headleys built out of the generosity of their hearts, or their ability to continue hosting this wonderful community resource, jeopardized in any way.

Regards,



Vincent J. Cotter

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October 18, 2016

City of Sunnyvale
Project Review Committee
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Dear City of Sunnyvale Project Review Committee,

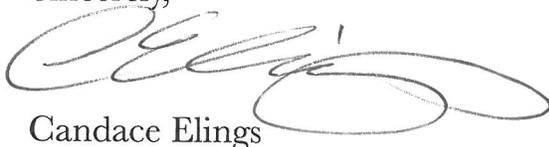
I am writing to express my support in favor of our neighbors completing their playhouse structure located in their backyard at 219 Jackson Street in Sunnyvale.

The playhouse has no negative affect on our privacy or views in any way. It does not have a negative impact to our neighborhood or Murphy Park. On the contrary, it would bring the neighborhood kids together in play, as well as bring a much needed sense of community amongst neighbors.

In addition, the playhouse would be an opportunity for the older kids in the neighborhood to have some good old-fashioned fun as most of them have already outgrown the small toddler playground within Murphy Park.

The playhouse is being built out of love and it shows. I hope to see it completed, as I support the addition of the Headley's playhouse.

Sincerely,



Candace Elings

Oct 18, 2016

Bumyong Choi
230 N Bayview Ave
Sunnyvale, CA 94086

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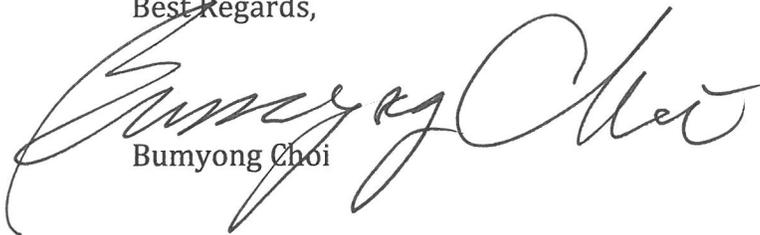
I am writing on behalf of my family to express our full support for the backyard playhouse that my great neighbors Debbi and Jacob Headley at 219 Jackson Street are working on.

When we first saw this playhouse going up, we thought nothing but how great it was to have a playhouse like that. My two year old son asked me what it was and I told him that it was a playhouse that Jacob is working really hard to build so his children and their friends can play in it. My son seemed more excited than Headley's kids!

However, now, it is my understanding that I might have to end up explaining to him that Headleys will have to demolish the playhouse because the city is making it impossible for them to keep it. Is this kind of city that we are trying to build? I really hope not.

We truly believe that a project like this enhances our neighborhood. Please consider granting Headleys proper permits to keep their dream playhouse.

Best Regards,



Bumyong Choi