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Mayor Farmer, Vice Mayor Soden, and Commissioners:

Thank you for your service to our community. I'd like to take a few words to share my thoughts on tonight's consent agenda item 17, "update on 1145 Pennsylvania..."

Rather than proceeding to haul off many goods and likely damaging or destroying a prime example of urban food production, I encourage the commission to direct staff to work with property owners, gardeners, and relevant policy groups to develop more sustainable and less punitive codes related to urban food production, use of right-of-ways, and storage of construction materials. Given the state of our world and environment, we ought to be learning to do more with less, not punishing people for being resourceful.

Thank you,

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