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Dear Honorable City Council Members,

I am writing to you with concerns regarding the impact of allowing housing on the Baylands.

As a proponent of high density housing near transit centers, I would still want to be assured that Brisbane would not have liability if the toxic clean up was not done properly. Who will be monitoring the remediation process? How does sea level rising factor in?

I also have much concern about the access to Highway 101. It is already backed up each morning, and even if housing is built around transit it doesn't mean that everyone will be using it. I anticipate this to be a major problem for the number of units proposed.

What will the requirements be for affordable housing?

I have heard of concerns regarding high speed rail. Should this be addressed first?

When the proposed amendment is brought to the Brisbane voters, will the results be binding?

As representatives of our city, I know that you have the highest concern for the welfare of our community. Please make sure that this is not something that we will look back on and regret the decisions made.

With Respect,

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