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To: <u>City Council</u>

Subject: [EXTERNAL] Hamlin Park

**Date:** Tuesday, October 03, 2017 1:13:02 PM

## Sir or Madam,

In looking for a new Utility Yard for our City, please do not consider changing Hamlin Park. I was surprised such a beautiful park was in my neighborhood when we first moved here. My family visits here often and we would hate to see it turned into a parking lot or storage area. Pavement is forever and space for nature is quickly on the decline in our time. I implore you to seek accommodations by considering working out a deal with the North City Water District to share their new yard or something else.

R/

Richard Smith