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Subject: Public Comment Regarding the Proposed Grocery Outlet Project

I am strongly opposed to the suggested Grocery Outlet at the former Rite Aid location! Have you looked into the lawsuits pending against Grocery Outlet? Why has Grocery Outlet had to close so many locations soon after opening them? Sebastopol will be diminished by the presence of a chain store, cookie-cutter, low wage, low quality food outlet, particularly since we already have more than enough grocery stores. How about an artist collective?

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