

To: Malden City Council

Date: February 11, 2025

Re: FOR PUBLIC COMMENT: Resolve 80-25: That it is the sense of the Malden City Council that they express their support for the Sale of Surplus Property for the purpose of Affordable Housing Ownership.

Dear Councillors,

I am **AGAINST** the sale of the Oak Grove Community Building at 6 Grove Street. If the City sells the Oak Grove Community Building, the City will be selling another part of its dwindling architectural and cultural history, AND selling the community at large along with it. In order for Malden and ALL of its citizens to thrive, we need a place to meet, connect, and actively engage with and give back to the community. We need the Oak Grove Community Building.

Sincerely,

Bonnie Galayda, Resident
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Oak Grove Improvement Association, Inc.