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Subject: [EXTERNAL] Proposal of Tower behind Banker's Row

Dear Planning Committee Members

Farhi is proposing a 40 story tower directly behind Banker's Row-- a remarkably beautiful and intact streetscape from the oldest part of our city. On this same stretch is the forks of the Thames (where the city was founded), the old Courthouse (one of the most recognizable heritage features in London), Museum London, Eldon House (London's oldest home) and Harris Park (named in Honour of the Harris Family of Eldon House). These are all public spaces that define our heritage and the beautiful riverfront of our downtown. Does a 40 story private residence tower fit this pattern? Absolutely not.

Council, please, please do not allow this tower to go ahead in the location presented by Farhi. I am very much in favour of towers downtown, but in locations that do not take away from our riverfront and heritage streetscapes. Please encourage building on surface parking lots, of which there are many!

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