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Comments from Marsha Cannon, Sidney St., Madison, WI to City of Madison Urban Design Commission, Item #5: 1000 East Washington Avenue – Stone House Development.

The images below illustrate the need for project architects to soften the exterior design of the affordable housing component facing Mifflin Street, across from Lapham School. Awnings over the entryways might be considered.



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Without trees in leaf, proposed design looks formidable, quite like the "Brutalist" building below.



Orange County, NY, Government Center, by Paul Rudolph (1967)—Brutalist architecture.



Urban apartment building, Minneapolis. Example of welcoming façade with soft exterior texture and colors and covered entries that welcome residents to their homes.

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