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To: Brad Cantrell

Subject: Is There Anything Left to Lose?

## Dear Mr. Cantrell:

I am writing because you are mentioned in today's on-line article about the approved desecration of the Fish Hatchery/Park Street triangle with yet another ugly building and even more apartments. I have lived in Madison since 1973 when it managed to have some modest charm as a city, was safe, and relatively easy to get from A to B. Now Madison is congested, reckless drivers rule the roads, and the City no longer has any distinction from everywhere USA. The reason for all of this is the developers who have corrupted almost all of the City's open spaces with hotels and apartment buildings, with the aid of a complicit Plan Commission and City Council. The developers have not the slightest interest in improving the City. They simply want to make money and they know that the Commission and Council will approve whatever they propose.

There's not much left to lose in Madison, but I am confident that the Plan Commission and the Council will ensure that it is lost.

Sincerely, Ronald Kalil