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the request to amend the amplification time for the June 3 Central Park Session is item 19, [ID# 51288](#).

Hello, my name is Vanessa Tortolano. I am one of the comics that is helping to organize the June 3rd event from 7:30-9pm in the large enclosed tent. I am also a local business owner of NessAlla Kombucha. Though I am unfamiliar with the exact decibels used for comedy shows, I am quite certain that the sound level of a comedy show will not be very loud in an enclosed tent. It really can't be compared to a loud live band. I think the most that will be heard is the rumble of intermittent laughter from the show. The in between bump music will be kept at a minimum. We have scheduled a couple of comics who are traveling out of their way to be with us and provide high quality comedy entertainment.

As for the topic of high school students and finals, all of my kids are high school students with very good grades and high testing scores and I can't remember the last time they went to bed before 10 pm even on a school day.

I can assure you that this show is great for the community and a wonderful way to close out the Madison COmedy week and the New Pursuit of Happiness festival. If you have any concerns or questions for me please email or feel free to call me at [REDACTED]. I wish that I could be at this weeks meeting but I will be traveling for work. Thank you for your time.

Vanessa Tortolano

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**Subject:** Board of Parks Commissioners Agenda Item 18, Meeting of 24 April 2018

Dear Board Members (who have listed email addresses):

This note concerns the subject agenda item at your meeting this evening.

For over 27 years, I have lived at █████ S Ingersoll St in Madison, four blocks south of McPike Park.

I fully support Mr. Robert Queen's proposal, that is the subject of the subject agenda item, and ask that you approve the proposal without change.

This proposal concerns the McPike Park Sessions event on June 3 this year. This event will be a wonderful musical and comedy event for Madison, the Marquette Neighborhood, and McPike Park. Your failure to approve Mr. Queen's eminently reasonable proposal will seriously damage the attractiveness of the event as a whole and its comedy part for the Madison and Marquette Neighborhood communities. Your failure to approve the proposal would be woefully disrespectful of the performers at and the people who look forward to attending that part of the event. Finally, Mr. Queen's proposal, which relates to sound amplification inside a sided tent, will not significantly increase after 8 PM noise outside the Park due to the event.

Thank you.

Bill Scanlon

