COMMITTEE TO RE-ELECT BARBARA A. MOUTON

2190 Euclid Avenue East Palo Alto, CA 94303 415/321-6257

Dear Friends:

As promised when I was elected to the City Council seven years ago, I have, through diligence and honesty, served you and the community. While I had not planned to run for another term, as negotiations with developers occurred and the City's budget was finally being brought under some control, it became obvious to many of you that my experience was still needed on the City Council; I reconsidered after listening to your compelling arguments. I, too, greatly fear that the things for which we fought so hard and long will most assuredly be given away.

With humility and pride, I can say that my record speaks for itself!! I have faced the hard issues, made responsible decisions that you have supported, and have not wavered one iota. I have been instrumental in helping to unite diverse community groups through resolution of common challenges and/or problems. I have focused on open government; fought to bring about financial accountability; I've helped to increase protection for homeowners and renters; and I've been a staunch advocate for increased employment opportunities, and increased supports for senior citizens and one parent families.

I am pro "responsible" development. Responsible development provides money, jobs, and is a positive service to the community. I have worked hard to protect the affordability of homes and rental units; and, I have worked hard to see that the City's codes and ordinances are enforced.

On November 6, 1990, you will be voting in the most important election, I believe, since incorporation. The two people elected to the City Council that day will help make the decisions that will decide whether we remain a city or go down the drain. I voted against approving Romic Chemical Company's permit without the requirement of an EIR (environmental impact report) because of the threat to your safety and health. I, also, voted against approving the DDA (Distribution and Development Agreement) for the University Circle project because of the threat of financial ruin for the City. The developer stands to make more than seventy million dollars while we are slated to lose the shirts.off our backs. (I've enclosed Mayor Vines letter which appeared in last week's Post.)

Over the years, you have said that I've earned the Community's respect; now I need the Community's support and vote to re-elect me to the City Council. Will you help?

Sincerely in the struggle,

Merce C Moretone (Mrs.) Barbara A. Mouton

Councilperson