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Good Evening Mayor Serrato and Merced City Council. I have a general public comment this evening. My name is Ismael Munoz at 936 W. 18th Street with the People's Garden. We are currently working on a project called the People's Promise where we promise that every child 0-5 who lives within Vst and Gst and from 16th Street to 24th Street will eat healthy and learn new things every day. We believe this promise can become a reality and are currently collecting signatures of support from the downtown community. We are asking all who live and work in this region to partner with us through their support. Our partner organization, Hlub Hmong Center is working to create systems change in Early Learning and Care for children 0-5. They are hoping to disaggregate critical data related to the Hmong Community in order to provide better services and improve care. Our projects are also tackling other areas of need in our community and together we are making Merced a stronger community. We ask that any person who would like to partner with us through volunteer work to visit us at 936 W. 18th Street in Merced.

Partner in Community,

Ismael Munoz

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