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**To:** [Scott Mann](#)  
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As a Center Street business employee, I have a direct daily view of the parklets.

I fully support the reason the parklet's were developed, and enjoyed dining safely outdoors in many of them during and after the pandemic.

I believe their time has expired. I would like to see them phased out, starting with any non-restaurants. There are retail businesses who have never needed the parklet to sell their merchandise. These should be removed immediately.

Additionally, any vacant buildings, or any change of business, should require the removal of the parklet, before the business vacates. The Center Street building where the tasting room has closed, and the Matheson St Thumbprint, now Olive Oil store, should be removed immediately. Any future business should have to apply and build their own parklet, if approved.

I have never walked by Mon-Fr and witnessed any one utilizing the parklet for the Tasting room on the corner of Center/Plaza, or the Gallery on Healdsburg Ave. These permits should not be renewed. The Running store on Center St has never needed the Parklet. It only has merchandise, not people in it, except for occasional events - Event Packet Pickup and Start/End of their weekly run groups. They have ample space in the parking lot for these uses. Should not be renewed.

Thank you,

Cindy Beth  
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**From:** [Sam Bilbro](#)  
**To:** [Scott Mann](#)  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] - Re: FW: Healdsburg Parklet Guidelines Updates  
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Hi  
I appreciate you contacting me

I think all changes listed except for the Vacant Parklets make sense. 30 days is an unreasonable timeline for a new tenant to secure tenancy, made upgrades and begin using their building let alone their parklets. I feel like at least 6 months is a reasonable timeline. While I understand that vacant parklets aren't the best, if the tenant is working to open their business, I think they should be able to keep their parklets.

Thanks a bunch,  
Sam

