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### **REBUILD THE TWIN TOWERS! Nothing has rewarded the jihadists more than the** ongoing sight of a world landmark wiped off the face of the earth.

— Dan Taylor / Citizen of Other Nations

The world was robbed of the 21st-century Twin Towers most of us always wanted.

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Cassie Allison All Other Americans

10/24/2009

The Towers need to come back, it's not too late. I agree with previous statements that if the Towers are not rebuilt then the terrorists have absolutely won! Shame on the people who are building "Freedom Tower" or whatever it is being called. Give America its identity back!

Eisa Ingle \* All Other Americans

10/23/2009

I would love nothing more than to see the towers not only rebuilt, but hey lets make them even taller. How often do you watch a old movie and see the towers? The feeling that it gives you is both sad and proud at the same time. The people that worked/died at the towers I'm sure had to be proud to say that they worked in the world trade center. The terrorists were cowards and their actions proved that. American was not founded by weak people. we need to let them know they did not win.

jenifer rodriguez \* 9/11 Survivors &

i never got a chance to see the twin towers i think they should re build it!

Linda Bergman Our Armed Forces & Families

I say REBUILD!!!! To not rebuild sends a message to other countries that is not a favorable expression of our people and what America stands for.

Semper Fi,

Linda Bergman-Althouse MSGT, USMC, Retired

Terrance Jackson Architects and Builders 10/21/2009 I grew up in New York City for the first 14 years of my life, and I can always remember feeling a sense of completion with the Twin Towers being as part of my consciousness. With them now destroyed, there is only ONE answer, put them back! I happily join this cause, and truly hope to see the Twin Towers rise again. I've got my own 7'11" Twin Towers out of legos. I couldn't help it, I missed them that much!

aaliyah nunez \* 9/11 Survivors & Families 10/19/2009 Victor Cabrera \* Architects and Builders

At first I was side with the Freedom Tower, Its a good tower but not for New York City. America desperately need the Twin Towers back. Taller, Safer, And Stronger for the heart of the american spirit. Im a young architect trying to build my very own Towers in Jacksonville FL, But also I would be glad to help and take my time to sign this petition for New York and Twin Towers.

Andrew Jump Citizens of Other Nations Make New York New York again. These buildings must he rebuilt.

Justin Ross All Other Americans

Had I been among the dead in the terrorist attacks, my wish would have been that the towers would be completely rebuilt. Forget this ridiculous sham called the "freedom tower." Rebuild the towers taller and stronger, line them with gold, and arm them with missile defenses!!!

Rob Kula All Other Americans

Lets see... If terrorist took Mt. Rushmore, would we rebuild it? YES! If they took the Statue Of Liberty, would we rebuild it? YES! Why don't we rebuild the towers but much more stronger?!? Look at these people! WE ALL WANT THE TOWERS BACK! I really hope the Freedumb Tower gets bulldozed!

Contact me on YouTube, Shadowl uigi333

Jesse S. Architects and Builders

I believe that using 9/11 as an excuse to "renovate" ground zero is disgraceful. rebuilding the twin towers is far more noble than creating something different. If we build the freedom tower. THE TERRORISTS HAVE CHANGED THE SKYLINE!

Gregory Maddocks All Other Americans 10/8/2009 The replacement of the towers is long overdue. Enough politics...build the towers!

10/8/2009 June Jordan All Other Americans REBUILD those magnificent TWIN TOWERS!!! Anything else will pale :(

mark barbuto \* 9/11 Families & Close Friends 10/6/2009

i would like and be greatfull for the new and improved twin towers 2. somewhere in all my cousins, one was taken. From the first plain that crashed in to the first tower to be hit. her name was cristine barbuto. we never met before but if the new towers went up i would go in the bulding and and get p.e.a.c.e and prayers out in a better way, and not at two swiming pools. AND A FREEDOM TOWER. that is unacceptable for us as americans. please rebuild, mark barbuto jr

Jacob Newsome All Other Americans i say rebuild the twin towers and show the world this is America and we will not cower from no one. To me this is a way of showing our defiance to terrorists. God Bless America.

aaron howard All Other NY & NJ Residents 10/5/2009

Rita Sackmann \* All Other Americans 10/18/2009

CORBIN WRIGHT \* Citizens of Other 10/17/2009

They should rebuild the towers new york would be new york again.

To rebuild the twin tower II and see them raised in the New York skyline. It would put closure to a tragic event in the history of this country. I love the twin towers, they inspired me since I was boy little. I always wanted visit the towers and appreciate their majestic beauty. After 9-11 I was hopeless till I found out about this attempted to rebuild them. I really hope it comes true. I would like to take my kids one day. And share the beauty and history of why the towers stand tall that day.

# Rajvinder Multani Citizens of Other 10/16/2009

I love the twin towers. On september 11th my mom came home from work. And saw me crying she turned on the T.V and was stunned.It was 11:00 a.m. witch meant the towers were already down. I was 5 when they came down. Now I am 12 about to turn 13. I have researched alot about twin towers. Watched videos. And even made tributes. But i still cant get that sicking feeling out of my heart. Only way to get it out is to rebuild the twin towers. 65ft higher so they are tallest buildings in the world again

# matt angelakos 9/11 Families & Close 10/16/2009

The Twin Towers were the most magnificent towers! NOTHING LIKE'M

We must rebuild the twin towers if our city is to retain its greatness in the world. We live in a vertical city and to not have those towers is a painful reminder of a glory we had once achieved. Without those towers we have lost that glory and pride of place in our city and have been defeated by the terrorists and enemies of a free and open society. We need them both physically and psychologically as well as economically, in the long run, for our city to remain a great financial

Miguel Hernandez \* All Other NY & NJ 10/14/2009

Alexander Suli All Other Americans 10/13/2009

Chaz Lazarow 9/11 Families & Close 10/13/2009

I honestly don't understand those behind the rebuilding process at Ground Zero. Are they blind to what the people want? Most New Yorkers would actually prefer the Twin Towers be rebuilt, including myself. It makes no sense to simply forfeit to the enemy, build a depressing memorial nobody likes, and build a series of out of place towers around it. My uncle worked there and he is outraged by the Freedom Tower. "Unfeasible" my foot. That sad excuse for progress needs to be taken down right now.

Brian McKinley Our Elected 10/12/2009
Representatives

It really is the only reasonable way to go.

\*\*Chris Downton \* Citizens of Other Nations 10/11/2009
I agree, I think the Towers should be rebuilt because without them, a piece of New York's historical heritage is missing. And we need to find the pieces to put it back

Devon R. \* All Other Americans 10/11/2009 LET'S REBUILD THEM NOW!

J Clarid All Other Americans 10/11/2009

It's true terrorists wanted to kill Americans. But, it's also true that they flipped through pages of pictures of skyscrapers, and decided upon the World Trade Center in New York, because it showed the world just how arrogant America is. It wasn't arrogant, we showed the world just what we can do when we work together! The World Trade Center was a symbol of strength, and economic power. The new one will now be a symbol of America's poor, weak, and cowardly ways to the rest of the world! Good job showing the

The twin towers should be rebuilt. We had built a landmark. And now we have to rebuild it.

This is the only suitable option – rebuild the Twin Towers!

On my last visit to New York, I can't believe how emotional I felt viewing the empty space from Ellis Island. What a dramatic change to the Skyline of New York City. Bring back the twin towers in remembrance of the ones who gave their life to try to keep them."REBUILD THE TWIN TOWERS".

### Douglas Thompson Our Armed Forces & 10/1/2009

As a former infantryman, I would like to say that rebuilding the Twin Towers to specification (or taller) would severely demoralize our enemies while uplifting the spirit and morale of Americans, as well as freedom loving people everywhere. Imagine the triumph of seeing our beloved NYC skyline restored even better than before. It is what the Greeks of antiquity would have done after such an horrific act. We must do this.

\*\* kimberly smart \* Citizens of Other Nations 10/1/2009 i just want to say my heart goes out to everyone who lost there families in the horribe time. it makes me sad every year to think people are not seeing there families who lost there lives in that tragic time. all my love kimyxxxxx

Christian Labrador Metro New Yorkers 9/30/2009

I think that the Twin Towers should be rebuilt. They were our strongest symbol of freedom and now more then ever they would represent that our city and nation is stronger and and better than ever and also they would serve as a tribute to the ones who lost their lives. I don't understnad if 94 percent of the population want them back including myself, why they are doing the opposite of wht we want. I love the new twin towers by Kenneth Gardener.

Please let's all do something!!!!!!!!!!!

They should really rebuild the towers honestly the diamond looking tower is really weird and the tower next to it with the 4 poles is ugly and WTF? they should have the design of Ken Gardner, what ever his name was with the freedom tower ONLY, in the site as well, just an idea but overall REBUILD!!!!!!!!!

**Ethan Dean Citizens of Other Nations** 9/28/2009 Rebuild them!

They knock down the Twin Towers... and America wants to build only ONE in their place?! That's like half a life bar in a video game. It'll send the message that whoever did this are succeeding in their aims.

IF WE REBUILD THE WTC - MODERNIZED, HARDER, BETTER, STRONGER - WE SEND OUT THE MESSAGE THAT THEY'LL NEVER KNOCK US DOWN.

Michele Williams \* All Other Americans 9/28/2009
Rebuild the twin towers. That is part of the United States, that is part of New York, that is part of the world. Everyone looks for them and they are a symbol. Its part of America. To build something other than the towers would be shaming all those who have lost their lives. REbuilding the towers in their honors would give America a sense of care and power.

Mitchell Wolper All Other NY & NJ 9/27/2009

■ Ivan Lynn Citizens of Other Nations 9/27/2009
Rebuild and re-ignite New York City!

Cameron MacMillan Citizens of Other 9/27/2009

Its the best tribute and the best stand of defiance that could ever be done"» ¿ if this plan went ahead everyone would always remember.

Shane McDonald \* Metro New Yorkers 9/26/2009
OMG Just rebuild them for crying out loud!!!! Who Do
Larry Silverstein and Chris Ward think they are?!?!
Ken Gardner is a real tool. twin towers and twin
towers 2 forever. they WILL BE REBUILT

world how cowardly we are with the new smaller World Trade Center!

Thank you for letting me express my disdain for the new World Trade Center. I shouldn't even call it that, it's NOT the World Trade Center. It NEVER will be, without those two glorious towers!!

### adam k. \* All Other Americans

10/11/2009

I miss the wtc every day and thier is not a day that goes by where i don't think about them or miss them. the president (Barack Obama) should come in this and STOP THE SITE and say stop this site and rebuild the twin towers now! or go on television and let america to decide what they want to do PLEASE PRESIDENT LET US WIN AND GET OUR TOWERS BACK.

# adriana reyna Citizens of Other Nations 10/11/2009 Gob blessed america with the twin towers. God bless all the victims. i really think bringing them back will cause more loving memories to many ppl. Its the right response to bring them back b/c u show the terrorists that we're not done yet.

# roman reyna Citizens of Other Nations 10/11/2009 im from monterrey mexico but i live in the united states.

I LOVE THE WORLD TRADE CENTER!
PLEASE PLEASE PLEASE REBUILD THEM

PLEASE!

i didnt get a chance to go up the first twin towers of the world trade center, but i really really! want to go to new york and see it as new york with the twin towers!

i would love to go up the new twin towers of the world trade center!

please please please rebuild! its the right thing to do! RIP to all the victims of 9/11 we need new york to be new york!

### Preston Bloss Port Authority & Families 10/10/2009

Since 9/11, something was missing, not just from the physical landscape of Manhatten but in all of our minds and hearts. To rebuild the World Trade Center would be a healing to all of those who remembered it as it once was, to truly make it feel right and balanced. It would be the greatest show of American tenacity, durability and resilience that would make a city, a people and a nation whole, complete once again. Sounding out the message: We shall not, we cannot, be broken.

Rebuild the Twins!

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### Frances Achnitz \* All Other Americans 9/24/2009

I was born and raised in New York City and no matter where I live it will always be my home and in my heart!

My Grandparents were proud immigrants with dreams of America. We cannot give up on this dream of rebuilding the towers! It would be like giving up on America, its people and it's pride. We have always been a nation of determination and we need to show the world that even though they dstroyed the structure and all those lives they cannot destroy our spirit, their souls and our dream!

### Gavin Wood Citizens of Other Nations 9/24/200

The idea of building this monstrosity that is called the Freedom Tower, and not either the original or proposed World Trade Center 2 towers is a heinous crime not only to New York, but to the rest of the world. Even though originally they were built just as any other commercial building, and belonged to the financial market, over the years it belonged to the people becoming as iconic as the Statue Of Liberty, even more so now. Please, listen to the people, rebuild the icons not the lifeless proposed plans.

Good luck in your just fight, I'm hoping, wishing, and praying that you succeed for all of us.

TTA Note: Actually, they were the only commercial structures we know of that were NOT "built just as any other commercial building," but were dedicated to fostering world peace through world trade from their inception — quite an extraordinary pedigree and distinction worthy of being defended and upheld.

# Susan Evans 9/11 Survivors & Families 9/24/2009 rebuild

### William Achnitz All Other Americans 9/24/2009

I was born and raised in NY. Early in my career, I worked in NYC. The Twin Towers not only symbolize NYC Skyline, but America.... New Yorkers and Americans Deserve to see the skyline restored as it was! The #11 sticking out to the sky! We need them back! Why are we making this decision a hard one?

# Randy Piedmonte All Other NY & NJ 9/23/2009

I could not agree more that the Twin Towers should be built bigger and better than ever. Why must we be so slow wasting our time with red tape when the answer is so obvious. I love this plan and would contribute financially and in any other way I could to see it become a reality. And if your worried about another attack, park the USS Ronald Reagan in the Hudson. Nothing should deter our way of life. Good job to the planners.

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