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WHAT NEW YORK NEEDS
WHAT AMERICA DESERVES
“Dream No Small Dreams”

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REBUILD THE TWIN TOWERS! Nothing has rewarded the jihadists more than the striking sight of a world landmark with no face on the earth.
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chris saric Citizens of Other Nations 8/8/2006

Jim Ellis All Other Americans 8/8/2006

The twin towers need to be taller than before. We Americans build UP not DOWN!

David Landers All Other Americans 8/8/2006

Rebuild it. Two towers, bigger and better. In the faces of those animals.

Nader Rezaei All Other NY & NJ Residents 8/7/2006

We can best honor those we lost through rebuilding bigger, better and stronger. The Twin towers represented Grandeur and unity. Best wishes for all those impacted.

Brent Lamphier All Other Americans 8/7/2006

Rod Hilton * All Other Americans 8/7/2006

If the towers are rebuilt, the terrorists will have died for nothing. Nothing we could do could be a better response than to tell the forces of terror that America will simply not be affected by them. Rebuild the towers, just as they were, but one floor taller. Devote the top floor of both buildings to 9/11 memorial galleries.

Kevin LaCoste * All Other Americans 8/7/2006

What do you do when you fall? You get back up again. As touching as a memorial is, New York should not hang its head in pain and shame forever. Rebuilding the Twin Towers will testify to the world the resilience of New Yorkers and America.

Philip Teague All Other Americans 8/6/2006

The Twin Towers are symbols of the American dream that should be rebuilt for our future generations. To do anything else would be a grave injustice and would tarnish the American image to the world at large. America needs the Twin Towers for they symbolize the very essence of what our great nation stands for—freedom and prosperity for all. We should expect nothing less than to rebuild the Twin Towers. Let them be a symbol to the world as the light on a hill shining into darkness.

Debby Culver All Other Americans 8/6/2006

Rebuild our country—this will be so much better than any other way to show our love and pride in our country—go Towers

Michael Coffey All Other Americans 8/6/2006

God Bless the USA!

Nathan Brown All Other Americans 8/6/2006

Ron Romano All Other Americans 8/5/2006

Patrick Cu All Other Americans 8/3/2006

Luis Rodriguez Lwr. Manhattan Residents & Workers 8/3/2006

If something is going to be built, build the new Twin Towers site. If the new Twin Towers site won't be built, don't build anything at all. Both of those decisions are better than the pointless "Freedom Tower" that has no match to New York City whatsoever.

Mike Boelter All Other Americans 8/2/2006

The grandest way to deny the Jihadi's any kind of a victory is to rebuild the towers, bigger, better and bolder.

Tim Pittman All Other Americans 8/2/2006

With respect

Stuart Durnin * Metro New Yorkers 8/2/2006

David Lazar * Journalists & Media Figures 8/2/2006

Julian Horta All Other Americans 8/2/2006

The Twin Towers were just more than 1360 foot office symbols of the United States. They were the spark of an unforgettable race to the top with super talls coming up everywhere around the world. The twins where a proud symbol showing the whole world our strength. They were one of the only buildings that let you have access to the rooftop and make you feel like your on top of the world. The best feeling ever.

I had never been to New York City before 9/11 but I wished I had that great opportunity to see such an amazing skyline. When I was little I always wanted to go to NYC in the 1990's. When I first saw pictures of NYC the first part I noticed was lower Manhattan and the first buildings were the twin towers. I thought of lower Manhattan as a big glamorous castle with the twins being their watchtowers or a prince's crown situated perfectly.

I saw the rest of New York and I was amazed by it. I got the chance to twice there in 2004 and two years later but I just wasn't the same. New Yorkers wants their castle back, not a bunker! New York needs a crown, not a helmet.

I do personally find the freedom tower an insult and the same for the world trade center memorial. The 'Feardom' tower just symbolizes that we are still afraid plus pataki took away Mr. Silverstein's chances of reviving a great city and putting 3 cool looking buildings which would be better elsewhere to a spot where it would make it look crowded.

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