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

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Laure Farnbauch All Other Americans Although I no longer live in NY I have strong feelings about this; please do not use this opportunity for financial gain and make the most of the space that has been created - just rebuild what we lost, preferably taller!

JULIET WALKER All Other Americans PLEASE REBUILD THE TWIN TOWERS AND ADD ONE STORY TO EACH. WE SURVIVED, WE MOVE FORWARD.

Matthew Fumia \* All Other Americans 9/17/2007 NOT rebuilding the Twin Towers, in my opinion, is a sign of resignation, as if we were to afraid to tempt our enemies by rebuilding the towers.

John Hunter All Other Americans Rebuilding the towers would be the ultimate symbol of American resolve. We need to show strength, no fear. Just as we need to show strength and no fear in our fight with radical islam. They started this, we will

Tom Olsen All Other Americans 9/17/2007 Rebuilding the Towers the way they were would be the best way of honoring everyone who was affected by the original towers' destruction. The other designs have nothing to do with the original look of the  $\ensuremath{\mathsf{New}}$ York skyline. I was born in Manhattan, grew up looking at and visiting the towers and I want them back-perhaps a floor higher than they were. Since we the taxpayers will be footing most of the 10-20 Billion it will cost, we should have some say in the matter.

Ryan Hoffnagle All Other NY & NJ Residents 9/16/2007

Craig Kincaid All Other Americans Rebuild them even bigger for ALL the right reasons.

Asia Burgess All Other Americans What an amazing story it would be to tell my children and grandchildren, as we look up at the new buildings, the story of how the Twin Towers had once collapsed. Let's not make the World Trade Center a thing of the past. I think that rebuilding is a great idea.

Trevor Barton All Other Americans 9/16/2007 I agree to all ideals metioned on this site. The towers should be restored.

Luz Figueroa \* All Other Americans i believed the twin towers should be rebuilt not only for the skyline but also for the families and america

Matt Buschbacher All Other Americans 9/15/2007 Rebuild them as they were but taller!

The design you have now is hideous!

It looks like busted up buildings that were wrecked by Al Qaeda!

That architect is probably a Bin Ladin supporter and wants America to have a busted up, fractured appearance.

F#\*k him and his ugly design!

### Rebuild it as it was BUT TALLER!

And put 2 GIANT AMERICAN FLAGS ON TOP OF THEM TOO!

Pavel Yankovskiy Citizens of Other Nations 9/15/2007 6 years ago, when I saw the footage of the Towers burning and collapsing, I felt empty, and that my life was never going to be the same again. Only a few months before, when I was on a trip to New York to meet my family's friends, I was standing near those grand towers, admiring their look, feeling the power of that magnificent structure. I did not have the chance to enter it though. And now, if the towers will not be rebuilt I will never have the chance. I, and all of Russia support this cause.

Bob Keller Architects and Builders

9/15/2007

Robert Markowitz All Other Americans Well, it's over SIX years now and we still have only a hole in the ground. They should have been rebuilt and occupied by now. We need a thorough cleaning out of the politicians and power brokers throughout the country and replace them with soccer moms, auto mechanics, truck drivers and grocery clerks. The regular Americans have more common sense than the corrupt government "representatives!"

Kim Jones All Other Americans

9/15/2007

Eric Jensen \* Metro New Yorkers 9/15/2007

I think it is an absolute shame that we're even having this discussion. If it were the White House that were destroyed, we wouldn't be building a pink house. I miss those towers.

Paul Skowronski \* All Other Americans 9/15/2007 Put em back where they belong

Peggy Crum All Other Americans 9/14/2007 Rebuild the Towers in honor of those who lost their lives.

Teresa McCoy All Other Americans 9/14/2007 and all those people we lost that day...united we stand

Claudia Meneses All Other Americans 9/16/2007

I say rebuild!!!! Rebuild the twin towers, make them bigger, and put two huge American flags on the top.

REBUILD!!!!

Julie Uecker All Other Americans 9/16/2007

Barton Benson Our Armed Forces & 9/16/2007

If we do not rebuild the symbols that Osama Bin Laden was so keen to destroy, then he ultimately wins. Rebuilding them – at least as tall as they were before – is essential to National pride, National Honor – and is the best way to honor the fallen.

**Kriss Holt** All Other Americans 9/16/2007
Rebuild the original, only taller! That's the way to show our enemies we will stand up against them!

Felipe Ferrini Lwr. Manhattan Residents & 9/16/2007
Workers

The only way to replace the emptyness the towers left.

Jason Hart All Other Americans 9/15/2007
Our enemies sought to destory our country; what better way to show that they have failed?

ROBIN Lopez All Other NY & NJ Residents 9/15/2007

Mary Kendle All Other Americans 9/15/2007

Just heard about this movement tonight and it makes perfect sense to me.

Trevor Larned All Other Americans 9/15/2007

Thayne Stoddard \* All Other Americans 9/15/2007

Michael Radano All Other NY & NJ 9/15/2007

\*\*\* Theresa Nordwall All Other Americans 9/15/2007
God Bless from Peoria, IL...Rebuild the Twin Towers!!

Casey Reidy \* Our Armed Forces & Families 9/15/2007

Building a memorial is surely the best way to admit DEFEAT! A memorial tells Americas enemies that we can be beat, that they have won and that we live in fear of them. Rebuilding the Twin Towers will send the message that America cannot be intimidated. What greater tribute to those innocent victims of 9/11 then to rebuild the Twin Towers. Give a voice to those victims, rebuild The Twin Towers and tell the cowardly, radical, religious extremists and the world that WE WILL NOT BE BEAT!

Put them back!!!!!!

Maryanne Nichols All Other Americans 9/14/2007
I now live in NC, but grew up in CT. Still have relatives in Queens and Brooklyn. PLEASE rebuild the towers. NYC is not the same without them. They are a symbol of America just like the Statue of Liberty and other great landmarks. We need to show our enemies that they cannot win. We need to stand tall, just like the

PLEASE rebuild the towers. They were not pretty, I used to live in NYC and I think they were kind of ugly...but they were OURS, and they were NYC. Simply put, put them back, and even bigger and we win. Do ANYTHING else, and they have won!

**Daniel Boone** All Other Americans 9/14/2007 Red, White and Blue, stand tall – stand proud ,these colors don't hide.

Euke Burton All Other Americans 9/14/2007
I just saw your site, and am glad that Im not the only one that thinks the towers should be put back just as they were. There is plenty of room in the 16 empty acres for a memorial. What better memorial could there be than to show that we will not let them leave a permanant scar. Build them again!!!

\*\*\* phil kirk All Other Americans 9/14/2007

The structural design integrity of the recently rebuilt WTC #7 could be incorporated in the rebuilding of Twin Towers with identical outward appearance to the originals. These design features would make the new towers nearly impossible to "pancake".

We should not let the terrorists win by depriving us of one of our most beautiful landmarks in this country, the Twin Towers. I believe we should rebuild the twin towers ... one foot taller. Although the rendering of the Freedom Tower seems to be nice, it is clearly a duplicate of the Statue of Liberty which is already there! So it doesn't make sense to me to make the new tower look exactly like a statue that stands right in front of the tower.

carl patterson All Other Americans 9/14/2007

Thomas Powell All Other Americans 9/14/2007

My husband is a professional firefighter from Newark, NJ. He was ordered by Sharpe James NOT to go to NYC. He and some of his fellow firefighters took a rig and went there anyway for four days. God bless them all including my brother Michael Clark, International Ironworks Local 40 NYC. Put the towers back! The skyline looks like a smile with its front teeth missing!

Eugene Campbell \* All Other Americans 9/14/2007
Put it back as it was! This is NYC, the center of commerce in the world, not a theme park!!!

James Ellis All Other Americans 9/14/2007

I believe that al-queda is winning right now because we have not rebuilt. It shows that we can be beaten and destroyed only to let the dust settle and move on. Is this what our country has come to? We have to rebuild otherwise they will keep blowing up buildings as soon as we let our gaurd down and why do they because they know that we will not rebuild. I say we MUST rebuild to show that we can not be beaten into the ground and that we are Strong and we are still AMERICA the land of the FREE!!

\*\*David A Wooner Jr All Other Americans 9/13/2007

There is no BIGGER "middle finger" to ALL of our opponents past, present and future then to rebuild the towers and show them the kind of resilience we AMERICANS are truly capable of!!!

Rebecca Ackman \* All Other Americans 9/13/2007

\*\*\* Lawrence King All Other Americans 9/13/2007

The enemy chose to destroy these towers as a statement. Therefore we have no choice but to rebuild the twin towers, if our response is to mean anything.

James Pannozzi All Other Americans 9/13/2007

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