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

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to replace the Twin Towers and failed.

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John Flaherty * All Other NY & NJ Residents 5/6/2006
Re-build them.

Paul Boykas All Other Americans 5/5/2006
I didn't think rebuilding was necessary to begin with.
Now I believe it makes sense.

Bill Clancy Metro New Yorkers 5/5/2006
Rebuild the towers.Their beauty was their uniqueness.The Freedom tower is architecturally ridiculous. Half of it is unusable.The designer was famous for building a three story building in Europe.He must be a relative of Sen. Schumer. What is this Memorial all about? I must have missed it. 58,000 soldiers died in Vietnam and a memorial could not be built until the funding was publicly raised.I am unaware of any public clamor for anything other than a plaque on the ground floor of the first tower

Roger Levy Metro New Yorkers 5/5/2006

Robert LeChevalier All Other Americans 5/5/2006
Rebuild the towers.
Better yet, build something bigger.
I vote for FL Wright's "Mile-High" —
same square footage as the original towers combined,
even more grand.

Vinnie Cama Jr. Metro New Yorkers 5/5/2006
New Yorkers DO NOT want that piece of garbage
called the "freedom tower"

We want our towers back
the way they were

Show These terrorist SCUM they are all FAILURES
and REBUILD THE TOWERS NOW!

John Bryan Metro New Yorkers 5/5/2006

Adam Honigman Metro New Yorkers 5/5/2006
While the World Trade Towers were pretty ugly (the
boxes the Empire State and Chrysler came in, as the
old joke goes) it is essential that two buildings as big,
hopefully better go on the site. American deserves no
less.

Alfred Veneziale All Other Americans 5/5/2006
By not rebuilding it we are admitting defeat!

Patricia Astore All Other NY & NJ Residents 5/5/2006

saurabh raj Citizens of Other Nations 5/5/2006
Rebuild the tower with same shape.

Madelynn Zwernemann * All Other Americans 5/5/2006
This website is not as scalable as newer sites are and is best viewed on full-size monitors.

nat hentoff Lwr. Manhattan Residents & Workers 5/5/2006

margot hentoff Lwr. Manhattan Residents & Workers 5/5/2006

Annette Allender All Other Americans 5/5/2006

Patti & Rich Brotman Lwr. Manhattan Residents & Workers 5/5/2006

Francis James Duffy All Other Americans 4/5/2006
Lets roll!!!! Break ground this year!

Williamson Henderson Metro New Yorkers 5/5/2006
God forbid that The White House had also been hit by
a stolen terrorist-commandeered aircraft — as we now
know was intended — The White House would not
have been rebuilt as a "White House Tower". It would
have been replicated as The White House. That's what
should be done here. The Twin Towers and nothing
else. Restore the N.Y.C. skyline as it was pre-
September 11, 2001!

Native New Yorker,
Williamson Henderson

Vadim Yarmolinets Metro New Yorkers 5/5/2006
NO to any new projects! Rebuild Twins!

Mela Bolinao Baker * Metro New Yorkers 5/5/2006

Craig Willms * All Other Americans 5/5/2006
Nothing would make me prouder as an American to
see the Twin Towers rise again. And nothing would
poke a stick in the eye of the enemy of freedom
deeper than rebuilding of WTC bigger and better that
it was!

Tony O Other NYC Responders & Families 5/5/2006

Charles Mueller All Other Americans 5/5/2006

Mike McLaughlin * All Other Americans 5/5/2006

Linda Anderson All Other Americans 5/5/2006
Build them higher

Robert Lakind All Other NY & NJ Residents 5/5/2006

Catherine Eldredge All Other Americans 5/5/2006
Please rebuild the towers. America is not afraid.

Johannah Turner All Other Americans 5/5/2006

andrea porter * All Other NY & NJ Residents 5/5/2006
I do not think that the current plan to replace the
towers does any justice to previous skyline that New
York once boasted. Please rebuild the twin towers. I
thought this was a no brainer!

God bless America!

 **Robert Gerola *** Metro New Yorkers 5/5/2006

 **Joshua Adler** All Other Americans 5/5/2006

To not rebuild the towers would show the terrorists and the rest of the world that we are afraid of them. God bless America, God Bless NYC and REBUILD!!!

 **Bob Brake!** Metro New Yorkers 5/5/2006


I believe that the twin towers were unique in the world. Freedom towers can be found elsewhere; there is nothing special about them. We should rebuild the twin towers exactly as they were, except structurally improved and a couple of stories higher. That'll show the world what NY and America is made of.


Additionally, \$500 mill for the memorial is an obscene figure. We should have something tastful and appropriate, but \$500 million is simply over the top.

 **Robert Trimmer** All Other Americans 5/5/2006

The attack on the Twin Towers was an attack on all of America, and all of us have a stake in seing them rebuilt. I am willing for all of America to bear the cost.

Robert Trimmer, Colorado Springs, Colorado

 **John Zwernemann** All Other Americans 5/5/2006

 **JOHN LAZZATI** All Other NY & NJ Residents 5/5/2006
LET'S GET GOING!!!!!!


 **Cynthia Tanner** All Other Americans 5/5/2006

 **samuel kamhi** Metro New Yorkers 5/5/2006

The best possible solution.

 **Merrill Frank** Metro New Yorkers 5/5/2006

Maybe not an exact replica but something close that restores the skyline and the planning principles espoused by the likes of Jane Jacobs. The Freedom Tower is contrived like Freedom Fries or the rantings of a commentator on Fox.

 **Shadab Beg** Citizens of Other Nations 5/5/2006

 **Swati Srivastava** All Other Americans 5/5/2006

 **Aradhana Srivastava** All Other Americans 5/5/2006

The World Trade Center were not just buildings, they represented the spirit of America. New York will not be New York with out the twin towers.


Rebuild !!!

 **Donald Carvelas** All Other Americans 5/5/2006

5 years later and the greatest city in the world can't even rebuild the gaping hole in the financial district. As a result, we constantly have to be reminded of 9/11 every time we look at downtown manhattan. To me, that is the greatest tragedy of the post 9/11 world because it's the terrorists imprint on America. Pataki has been a joke since Guliani left office and has cost the city millions of dollars paying off unions,architects, engineers, etc. for a bunch of disgraceful building designs..

 **Stephen Everson** All Other Americans 5/5/2006

Yes..rebuild the towers

 **Jennifer Hartsfield** Our Armed Forces & Families 5/5/2006

I think we should build them bigger and better, in the image of the originals. I think that all we learned from the collapse of the originals can be used to make new ones stronger, to withstand anything! Jennifer

 **Robert Keller** Metro New Yorkers 5/5/2006

This is a wonderful web site. I learned about it from an article in the New York Sun. You need to find other ways to publicize it, so a groundswell can be created to rebuild the towers.

 **Mario Bruno** Metro New Yorkers 5/5/2006

Even if we don't replace the twin towers in kind, they should build a twin for the Freedom Tower.

 **Linda Jones** All Other NY & NJ Residents 5/5/2006

I hope New Yorker Donald Trump will re-build us our towers and one story higher.Please do not allow the hard left PC crowd to manifest their planned contempt for all of the people who died on that day and afterwards, or for those who are even now becoming ill from that disaster. The current plans are clearly heavily weighted in favor of their anti-American propaganda.

Thank You for the opportunity to make our opinions and wishes known.

 **Paul Fenton** All Other Americans 5/5/2006

I agree with rebuilding the Famous cornerstone Landmark Twin Towers.

 **Vernon E Peets** All Other Americans 5/5/2006

 **Christopher Kennedy** All Other Americans 5/5/2006

I am glad I am not alone and that other people want the Twin Towers rebuilt, too.

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