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As I was looking at the drawing of the building design for this location I was struck by 2 things:

1. It looks like a fortress box not a welcoming design in keeping with Pasadena's annual welcome to the world.
2. It meets the street without trees to shade pedestrians or mitigate heat from the asphalt and climate warming. Aren't we a City of Trees? In our city we need to have more tree covered Green Streets and fewer blazingly hot and unwelcoming boulevards.

I hope that this does not become just another big thing built because of possible revenue but rather a beautiful community asset.

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