OPEN LETTER ABOUT THE FUTURE OF KALARAND AREA

We find Kalarand to be the best site for recreational and leisurely activities by the waterfront of Tallinn near the City Centre. We wish for Kalarand (the segment of Tallinn coastline from Patarei to Kalasadam harbour) to remain a public space in an extent of at least 50 meters from the current waterfront, retaining the following qualities:

- convenient access to the waterfront for anyone at any time;
- a sandy shore that descends to the sea gradually;
- equal or better conditions for bathing and going on picnics as the Kalarand seashore offers today;
- seashore opening directly to the offing and not being isolated from the sea by any marine structures neither on the land nor in the water;
- receiving direct sunlight after buildings to the south of the beach have been erected;
- not being included in any residential plots – not even partially;
- recreational quality of the seaside preserved during the development and construction phase of any neighbouring buildings.

We find the current public display of the area detailed plan, both in the textual proposal as in in the drawings of the Kalasadam contact area, to be impossible to assess in terms of taking these qualities into consideration as well as applying terms and conditions to preserve these qualities. We wish for new detailed plan solutions (that take the listed aspects into account) to be drafted. We wish for the terms and conditions of the architecture competition to be revealed to the public before the detailed plan for Kalaranna 1 site is approved.

Hereby we empower Telliskivi Community NGO to represent us and defend the aforementioned purposes on our behalf, if the City of Tallinn is not protecting these purposes enough.

name	**postal address** (to get further info from the City by registered mail)	**signature**