From: Scott Kunkel
To: Planning

Subject: Response to Case: SDP 2017-06

Date: Friday, March 9, 2018 9:47:12 AM

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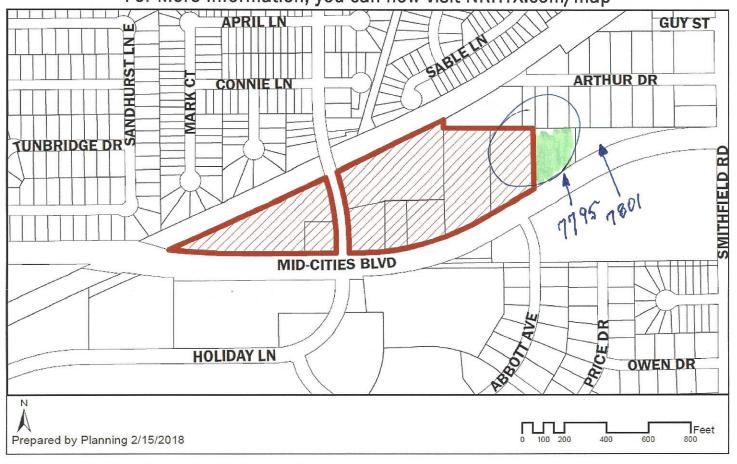


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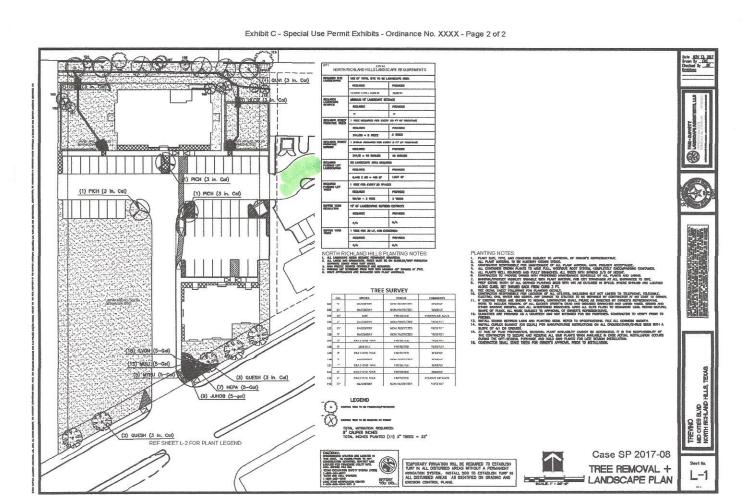
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John Kent Zacharias 1004 Almond Drive Mansfield, Texas 76063 682-225-9488 March 7, 2018

> RE: Public Hearing Notice Case: SDP 2017-06 Beaten Path Development Mid Cites Blvd and Holiday Lane

North Richland Hills Planning and Zoning Commission 4301 City Point Drive North Richland Hills, Texas 76180

Dear Sirs:

It is good to see multi housing projects. Accept this letter as my support and opposition to the Beaten Path proposed development.

I support the Beaten Path Development plan at the corner of Mid Cities Blvd and Holiday Lane with the following exceptions:

- 1. Inadequate open space. There needs to be a park like area for neighborhood activity. Small Townhomes attract young family's with multiple children needing play space (hopefully not railroad land).
- 2. Inadequate street parking. High density Townhomes with multiple occupants require ample street parking. Assuming 4 cars per Townhome unit, there is simply not enough parking space.
- 3. Too many connected Townhome units. The fire safety distance between units is lacking when 5 or more units are built contiguously together.

I agree that the above objections, if implemented, will increase development cost per Townhome unit. With a lower density development the selling price can be also increased to reflect the enhanced quality of urban life.

Respectively submitted,

John Kent Zacharias

Owner 7704 7706 Sable Lane. (within 200 feet of Development)

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From: <u>Clayton Comstock</u>
To: <u>Clayton Husband</u>

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From: Jay Bruner

Sent: Friday, March 9, 2018 10:58 AM

To: Clayton Comstock

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Hi Clayton,

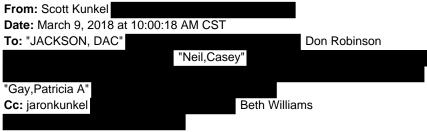
I just wanted youth know, and put on record, I do agree with Scott on this. I definetly want the development with the stipulations that Scott is requisition, (the brick fence, the drive through, etc)

If i can speak into this at the cousnel then you can add me to the list.

In HIs Grip.

Jay Bruner Center Point Church North Richland Hills, Texas 817.581.4900

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To all,

Following is what I sent to the city in response to the development at the adjoining property. If any of you have not written I would encourage you to do so, whether in support or in opposition. It's much like voting so a good way to influence the community around your work space and city if you are a resident of NRH.

And regardless of where this goes, you should know that Clayton Comstock with the city planning has been very proactive in supplying information. He does remain neutral but was very informative (much like what we expect from the media on other news, but I digress). So if given a chance give a shout out to him as he doesn't just sit on his thumbs and push paper. A credit to the city and involved in the future.

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