**Subject:** FW: Site development at 2057 Major MacKenzie

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Dear Ms. Uthe,

Thank you for your e-mail and your comments. By way of this e-mail, I am forwarding your comments to be included as part of communications for Tuesday evening meeting.

Please know that the public meeting on Tuesday is a meeting required under the Planning Act and it's intended to allow the public to speak, for or against, the proposed application. Staff and Committee members will be listening intently to all the points and staff will then take these comments back and filter them through and my require applicant to bring back reports, studies, etc. to address those concerns. And only after staff is satisfied that all issues have been addressed, they will then bring forward their recommendations for Council members to consider.

I look forward to seeing you on Tuesday evening, along with your neighbours.

Thank you and have a great rest of the weekend!!!

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"Don't be distracted by criticism. Remember that the only taste of success some people have is when they take a bite out of you"

----Original Message----

From: Karen Uthe

Sent: Saturday, February 04, 2017 2:40 PM

To: Racco, Sandra Cc: Antoine, Mark Subject: Site development at 2057 Major MacKenzie

Hello,

As a resident of Eagle Hill and an individual with a young family living on Petticoat Road, I would like to express my high degree of disapproval for the development proposal for 2057 Major MacKenzie. Overall, I fundamentally find the rate of development and lack of true environmental concern shocking and I am now at the point of expressing my outrage as I watch natural spaces with mature beautiful trees get destroyed everywhere between Major MacKenzie and Rutherford. I understand that we must balance development with environmental concerns; however, the townhouse developments that are popping up everywhere are over capacity and adding more and more noise and pollution to communities. My children mean too much to me to continue to sit back and just allow this to happen further without a fight. As counsellors, I would hope you would be fighting harder to protect lands like this, as well as others slated for destruction in Eagle Hill which already has a massive number of homes and future condos/roadways in the works.

Thank you for taking the time to consider my families position on the matter and carefully weighing the pros and (many) cons of this proposal. At minimum, please make the developers actually relocate some of the stunning beautiful trees on the property to our parks that could use them. We are not naive to believe that anything on a site plan that states "remove or relocate" means anything but destroy for greed driven developers.

Karen Uthe and Robert Skrivanic

Sent from my iPhone