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Subject: FW: Email - Communication - Carey Blatchford - Housing Accelerator Fund - CK 750-1

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Submitted by user: [REDACTED]

Submitted values are:

I have read and understand the above statements.: Yes

I do not want my comments placed on a public agenda. They will be shared with members of Council through their online repository.: No

I only want my comments shared with the Mayor or my Ward Councillor.: No

Date: Monday, June 24, 2024

To: His Worship the Mayor and Members of City Council

Pronouns: She/her/hers

First Name: Carey

Last Name: Blatchford

Phonetic spelling of first and/or last name: [REDACTED]

Email: [REDACTED]

I live outside of Saskatoon: No

Saskatoon Address and Ward:

Address: [REDACTED] Kirk Cres

Ward: Ward 8

What do you wish to do ?: Submit Comments

What meeting do you wish to speak/submit comments ? (if known):: HAF Public Hearing

Comments:

I oppose the current details of this proposal because of the lack of meaningful, planning and communication with those who will be deeply impacted the current home owners in the proposed corridors. In the May 6th Corridor Growth Boundary and Land Use Amendments document, written by Senior Planner Pamela Brotzel, in the Communications and Engagement section it states that “direct communications to area homeowners and property owners, community associations” took place. At the May 28th Planning and Development Meeting it was shared that a postcard was mailed to homeowners in the corridors. A generic “engage” postcard is not direct communication. A generic “check out the changes” doesn’t imply the magnitude of the changes. A mass mailed postcard does not let us know that these changes are specific to us in the corridor. I have talked to at least 50 homeowners in my neighborhood and only one person remembers this generic postcard. Furthermore, In the Corridor Transformation Plan it states that city staff attended 8 Community Associations meetings about future growth along the corridor. Which Community Associations were these and when? It was not the Greystone Community Association, which I am a Board Member of. I asked our city-community council liaison to provide some background to see if there has been something that I missed and, very much unlike her, she has not responded. Would you consider this direct communication? Please slow things down, and densify Saskatoon in a meaningful way to all of us.

Will you be submitting a video to be vetted prior to council meeting?: No