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FRESNO CITY COUNCIL



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Letter – Submitted by Joycelyn Kauder

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Members of the City Council of Fresno, CA

RE: Proposed apartments to be built by Granville Homes
Corner of San Jose and Colonial Avenue, Tract Map No. 6160

I reside within 1000 feet of the above proposed two-story apartments. The proposed usage is on one acre that was formerly occupied by one single-story home. I respectfully request that this development be congruous with the one-story homes surrounding this proposed development. Any other type of development will lower the value of our existing homes.

The City of Fresno Planning and Development, July 14, 2005, "Design Guidelines for "Infill" Parcels of Land states, in part under I. Building Placement and Scale, a. Infill development shall reinforce the community character and shall respect the neighborhood pattern, including setbacks, orientation and scale (i.e. HEIGHT, mass, etc.)..." Caps are mine.

Access to the area where many of us reside is limited to two streets, used regularly, as there are many drivers accessing Palm from Maroa and reverse. Since apartment residents often park their vehicles on the street, parked vehicles on the streets adjacent to the proposed development could impede needed emergency vehicles.

Please respect the needs of residents in our area and require Granville to build only one-story buildings with population density matching that which exists. Your agency can consider the welfare of our many residents over the desire of the few for increased wealth.

Thank you for respecting our needs. Joycelyn Kauder

