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Good morning

Committee of adjustment meeting scheduled for September 17th. - application Nos B 2024-024 and A 2024-077

Elizabeth Wheatcroft

I believe what is being requested is to use the land that we the residents on Overlea drive currently use as part of our backyards, to convert into a parking lot. If that is the intent, I strongly oppose the submission.

Although this land does not belong to the residents, historically it has become a part of our homes, to which we use. A fence was put up not separating this land but including it as part of our backyard, and I have insured this land under my own house insurance.

The plaza does not need additional parking, and the location being behind the plaza, which is not visible to the road or security, I fear will become used for nefarious purposes at night.

Furthermore, right now the view from my backyard is simply the back of the plaza. There are no shoppers, or traffic. My backyard is quiet so I can enjoy the space. By implementing this space into a parking lot, it will significantly affect my ability to use the backyard.

This will depreciate my house value I believe significantly for all the above mentioned reasons. I oppose this decision

Thank you

Elizabeth Wheatcroft

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