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Proposed stacked TownHouses 60 Trussler Road

I have lived in this neighbourhood for the better part of 25 years - 9 specifically on Rauch Court (off of Penelope). I drive down Trussler daily. These units are going to create even more congestion in this area. Since the apartment buildings have gone up, I have seen a marked increase in the number of accidents at the roundabout at Highland and Ira Needles. I work from home and sit next to a window where i can see them. Trying to turn left off of Penelope onto Ira Needles is already nearly impossible. Going down Trussler doesnt help much either. Not to mention the devaluation of the properties that back on to that lot. Further, building stacked cereal boxes for people to live in is infuriating. This is NOT the path to more affordable housing that is healthy for people! It just allows builders to cram more people into small spaces and make more money! It would be nice for once to see politicians actually work for citizens to make the city a better place than CONSTANTLY serving the interrests of big business. Maybe work on abusive landlords and improving tenants rights. This would go a long way to correcting the housing crisis in this region. I feel these units are self-serviing to politicians so they can say they have done something to address the housing crisis when all they have done is further lined the pockets of the builders and landlords who will purchase these cereal box units.

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