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My name is Joshua Brigl. Im a resident of Coburg in the Coburg Crossing neighborhood. We have lived in Coburg since 2018 and have seen the many changes Coburg is going through and many of its needs. I also understand the importance of the water projects and road projects and the lack of planning and funding that puts the town in an unfortunate need to deal with these situations at once. There is no point in repaving many of the roads if they would be torn up to run new waterlines that keep breaking. Ideally coordination of replacing waterlines and repaving roads would be best. The council has some unique planning challenges.

We did receive an information packet that discusses the additional costs of the water project from when first planned and I believe the cost is near double initial quotes. While I agree on all the water work that needs to be done, I do not agree it needs to be completed with costs as inflated as they are. Funding should be redirected to essential projects first to prevent bleeding of funds for repair work. Parts of the project that see less of an inflated cost should be done next. Lets wait a couple years and see how the economy moves before increasing rates again to pay inflated costs.

Thanks,

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