Pumpkin Patch Problem

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There's NO WAY the pumpkin patch can be at the same location this year. The recent construction on the road there will not be any street parking and last year it took me over 20 min to get out of our neighborhood because only 1 car could fit down the road. This is the road out of our neighborhood and we'll have over 100 new homes in our neighborhood by Oct, not to mention the neighborhood currently being built along Founder Road. This is completely unsafe to allow street parking. There's no way medical or emergency responses could get into our neighborhood with the current proposed street parking for this event. Rob Shelton Blvd can't be used for street parking this year like they lined both sides with last year because they redid the road with a raised median and sidewalk along the side of the road. People would be driving up onto the sidewalk to park (which they also did last year, parking along the paved trail for walking.

If the pumpkin patch is allowed to stay at its current location, street parking and filling our neighborhood with hundreds of cars blocking the way out is dangerous. This picture doesn't even show how bad it really is. The law enforcement officer they had wouldn't enforce anything and he said he was not allowed to do anything to parking violators (people blocking fire hydrants and parking right at the stop sign. He said that parking violations on these streets is not something he could enforce. So what's the point of having law enforcement there if they can't do anything to violators???

Please stop this madness before it starts again this fall and will be WAY worse due to all the new homes, new neighborhoods, road changes, and safety issues.

If they want a safe area, they should contact Dream Land where they have plenty of parking. Or one of the many breweries or locations where the fireworks were a couple years ago in that giant field. There's no reason to try and get the entire city to park at founders park. Compounding this with the sporting events they have on Saturday



morning is a nightmare.

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Respectfully,

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