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Hi George and PRAC members,

I am writing to express my dismay at the potential loss of one of Juneau's most rare treasures...a tennis court! One of the things that helps keep me in Juneau is the ability to play tennis. I pay tennis membership fees at the racquet club, in spite of the fact that we have gone from 6 courts to two courts and now have to scramble to get a tennis court amidst the pickleball players.

I think it's wonderful that so many embrace pickleball, a healthy albeit injure-prone sport. However, just Because p-ball uses a net does NOT mean they need to use tennis courts when they can erect nets chalk lines on any of the many concrete surfaces in Juneau.

Please, please, please have some consideration and provide at least 3-4 outdoor courts in Juneau who those of us who play tennis.

Thanks for what all you do with what I know can be a thankless task and for the hours you invest. I just hope that we are able to keep going one of my favorite things and one of the reasons that helps keep me in Juneau.

Cheers!
Sally Saddler

Sent from my iPhone