Subject 2nd Avenue in Ketchum, Idaho

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Please respect the following sentiments I hear often from Ketchum and Blaine county residents: TOO MUCH ALL AT ONE TIME", LESS IS MORE" and, for Life and mental health wellness: "SLOW DOWN!", "ENOUGH"!

Please immediately take action and redirect Northbound Ketchum traffic to all four available roads to stop the danger on 2nd Avenue.

- 1. Elkhorn Road
- 2. Hwy 75 to Gem St. To Leadville Ave.
- 3. Serenade Lane to 3rd Ave. to SV road
- 4. Lastly, Serenade Lane to Second Ave.

Following are dangerous and safety concerns regarding 2nd Avenue as was also mentioned in Ketchum council meeting in Spring, 2024:

Logging trucks
Confusion of 4 way steps and 2 way steps

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Bumper to bumper traffic

Close call accidents frequently

Semi Trucks

Fire Engines, ambulances, police cars

Cement trucks

Tree ServiceTrucks

Dump trucks

Moving Vans

Service vehicles

Landscape trucks with equipment trailers

RV's pulling secondary cars, trailers, etc.

City Buses

Huge groups of people hanging on private property waiting for buses.

Trash left all day and night on private property.

City sweeper vehicles

Sprinter vans on all four corners blocking views

Large groups of tourists/pedestrians without rental cars walking around the neighborhood often all wearing black.

Dogs off leash, dogs on leash

Seniors and children with walkers/wheelchairs, strollers, etc.

Bicycles, E-bikes, Scooters

UPS and delivery trucks

Food delivery semis

Runners, joggers, walkers

Massive parking and business activity at a very broken post office.

Residential and other business parking and activity all along 2nd Ave.

Children playing in numerous play areas around 2nd Avenue Snow removal issues and trucks soon

The above traffic was never intended for a condensed neighborhood in a rural small town of Idaho.

These dangerous concerns are non-stop.

Warning, Two more proposed years of Hwy 75 issues require dire attention.

Additionally, how many residences, condos, beds, etc. are in this SW Ketchum neighborhood?

Always, please keep a close and keen eye on the bait and switch tactics used in Ketchum!!!

Thank you for your immediate help regarding these concerns.

Best Regards,

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