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To: Council <Council@losgatosca.gov>

Subject: Public Comment - Los Gatos Town Council Agenda, 11/7/23, Public Hearing, Item 17, Proposed increase in building density on Oka Road

[EXTERNAL SENDER]

Honorable Town Council,

I am writing to voice my opposition to the proposed increase in building density on Oka Road. Increasing the building density on Oka Road is a dangerous proposal. Oka Road only has a single point of entry/exit for traffic. In the event of an emergency, residents will be trapped. This problem is not considered by standard traffic calculations and cannot be remedied by traffic measures or signal settings.

A proposed increase in building density on Oka Road was already rejected by the Los Gatos Town Council in recent years because of this potential for dangerous conditions. I request that the current Town Council reject the proposed increase in building density on Oka Road, and reiterate that existing zoning should be maintained long-term to avoid dangerous conditions.

Best Regards,
Chris Cowan
Homeowner, Oka Road neighborhood

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