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Minturn Town Council,

I am reaching out with concerns regarding the new curb extensions throughout town. While I realize that there may be a need for additional sight lines on some intersections, the extended amount seems excessive. Did the town explore other options that do not have such an impact on businesses and residents? Could reducing the speed limit or enforcing the current speed limit be looked at as an alternative measure for pedestrian safety? Could you have slightly increased the bulb out with less impact and added lighted crosswalks to busy areas similar to beginning of town? Given that parking is a significant issue in our town, removing valuable spaces for the few businesses that we have bringing customers to Minturn seems counterproductive to our need for businesses in town. What measures have been discussed or implemented to support the current local businesses( and residents) affected by the reduced parking, as well as space to receive deliveries? How many parking spaces were eliminated for this project? Has there been an increase in traffic accidents that has attributed to the need for these extensive bulb outs? Can you direct me to the dates where these discussions are located in the minutes as well as resident input gathered by council?

The current white delineators significantly impact Minturn's unique character, taking away from its charm and do not create a welcoming atmosphere to town. Their presence goes beyond just being completely out of place. If these extensive bulb outs are required then what will be the permanent solution be to these delineators? Is the plan to remove them in the winter and replace in the summer?

While I realize the Council's goal is to improve safety which is important to all residents it may be necessary to look into potential alternatives that don't have significant impact on parking that affects businesses and residents as well as a solution that better aligns with Minturn's character.

I look forward to hearing form you,

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