Desiree Adair

From: Kevin Glasheen

Sent: Tuesday, December 19, 2023 2:41 PM

To: DeWitt Gayle **Cc:** Desiree Adair

Subject: Re: Rollingwood Pickleball

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Thank you. We will include your email in the record.

Kevin Glasheen 806-789-0734

> On Dec 19, 2023, at 2:32 PM, DeWitt Gayle

wrote:

> Dear Councilmembers:

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- > I understand that the issue of pickleball at former mayor Logue's residence on Hatley Drive is being discussed at this week's Council meeting. I am a periodic participant of both tennis and pickleball at Mr. Logue's house. There are 4 temporary pickleball courts on the tennis court on the property. The pickleball nets are removed for tennis play. All of us (both tennis and pickleball players) are friends and enthusiasts (most of us over 60 years old I am 73) who are looking to get exercise and have social occasion with our friends. There is no club, there are no members, dues, fees or any other commercial endeavors with this group just a bunch of friends getting exercise. We are simply active seniors who are trying to stay in shape and continue to be active as long as is possible. Many of us would not be able to afford a tennis or commercial pickleball club if we were not able to play at the tennis court on Hatley Drive.
- > To address the neighbor's concerns, we are actively moving to pickleball paddles that are sound-muted. We are also researching sound baffling possibilities for the fencing around the court. We have agreed to park only on the south side of Hatley Drive, and not in front of the property of the neighbor to the east. We have moved the schedule back to no earlier than 8:00 am, about the same time the landscapers in the neighborhood begin to run their equipment. In short, we are willing to do anything within reason in order to continue to play, and get along with all of the neighbors.
- > I urge you to support our ability to play. We are willing to do whatever we can to accommodate the concerns of the neighbors, Thank you for reading this.
- > Respectfully yours,

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> DeWitt Gayle

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