

Aven, Heather M.

From: MY - mayoroffice@cob.org
Sent: Monday, June 15, 2020 12:38 PM
To: Tresa Mariotto
Cc: G.Proj.City View
Subject: RE: City View

Dear Teresa,

I'm happy to share these photos with the Planning Department and specifically the City View comments. For future comments please send them to cityview@cob.org

Thank you for sharing your concerns.

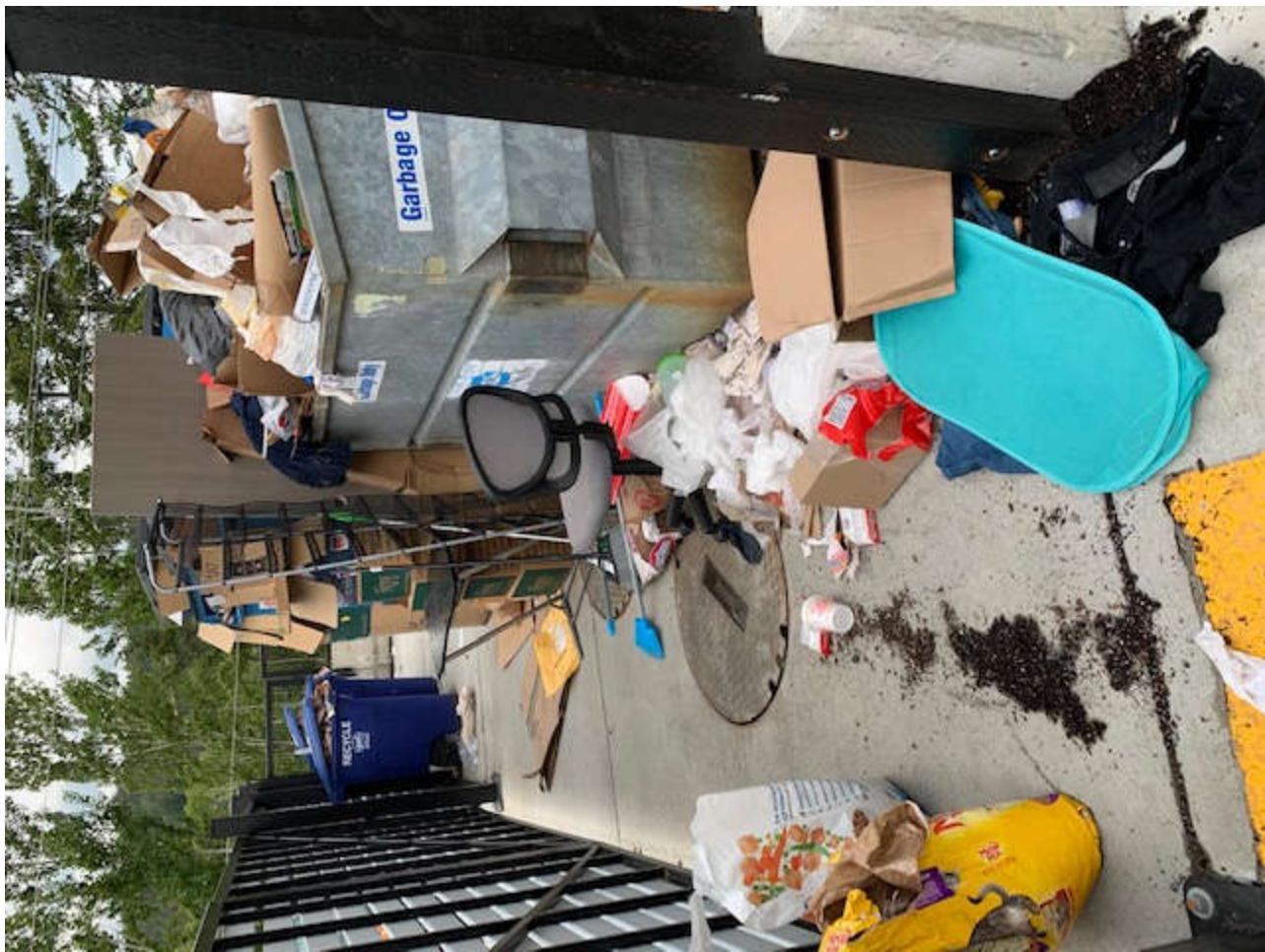
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From: Tresa Mariotto <mariocart85@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 15, 2020 9:26 AM
To: CC - Shared Department <cc@cob.org>; MY - mayoroffice@cob.org <mayoroffice@cob.org>
Subject: City View

Please don't allow this! Attached you will find the photo of the dumpster at Ashley street apartments 2 days after pick up. The second photo is following this weekend! Where there was once fields and trees in life there is Garbage this is with the Cityview will invite to our neighborhood view





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From: MY - mayoroffice@cob.org
Sent: Wednesday, June 17, 2020 1:13 PM
To: Tresa Mariotto; MY - mayoroffice@cob.org; CC - Shared Department; G.Proj.City View
Subject: RE: City View

Dear Tresa,

You are welcome to send messages to Mayor Fleetwood's office regarding this project, or on any topic you feel is important. The intention of my message, suggesting you send to the City View project email, was to ensure it is received as a public comment on the project. It didn't appear your last message had gone to that address. Your input is valuable and important. Thank you for taking the time to share your comments and photos.

Best,

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Sent: Wednesday, June 17, 2020 11:22 AM

To: MY - mayoroffice@cob.org <mayoroffice@cob.org>; CC - Shared Department <cc@cob.org>; G.Proj.City View <cityview@cob.org>

Subject: City View

I received an email behalf of the Mayor's office advising me to direct my emails to the City View email. Perhaps implying not to bother the mayor or the council. After responding I would comply I decided against it. The Mayor and Council are elected and I am a tax paying home owner. My neighbor hood is being walled in by apartments and the intense amount of garbage and disrespectful for home owners that goes with renters. They are often transient and not stakeholders. The studies on traffics done by the City View planners were conducted when WWU was not in session.

I am still waiting to read any environmental studies done. Behind our homes lies a wildlife corridor. And with the destruction done to make room for Elwood Edge. Safe green spaces are running thin.

It was windy this AM so the crap and the garbage photographed early this week has now blown all over the connecting streets and yards. Do you think any of the renters are going to pick up? Below I have inserted a picture of the crap left out by our mailboxes. This home was once owned by a dear friend and family, but one meeting with the City View people and the greedy city planners who were clearly blind to Constituents concerns, caused her to move to the county- The home was turned into 6 rental units! And guess what they do with the crap that does not fit!

Yes, I am mad. I have a right to be! Trust me I am no lunatic! I am asking you why we need more rentals invading neighborhoods especially those with no sidewalks or street lamps. I am asking why I have to walk by mountains of garbage and be mindful of speeding cars. Or cars parked in the middle of the street and blocking driveways because too many renters are crammed into a home. I am asking why we have to consider moving so my young son 19 months or

even our pets won't be killed in the street with no sidewalks. Why his wagon has to pass by junk piled on a corner!

There is no good answer! Why should our quality of life be diminished? Why not cram it all not Alabama Hill or Northshore! This is wrong and if my emails and photos make you uncomfortable... Good!

Don't send a patronizing response, save it.



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