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Los Angeles Planning dept.

Maya Zaitzevsky

200 North Spring Street

Los Angeles, Ca 90012.

Regarding; ENV-2002-2148-EIR; SCH 2002091018 Canyon Hills project - DEIR comments.

Dear Ms. Zaitzevsky;

My wife and I feel the need to write to you with regards to this proposed housing development. We bought our home in 1965 and have always enjoyed living in this neighborhood. There was a time that deer would come to our doorstep. Over the years more homes were built in the neighborhood but there was still enough open space where people and animals were able to co-exist. To date there is still a lot of wildlife here with sightings of coyotes on a daily basis, but also raccoons, possoms, snakes and many more.

When we heard about the planned development, we became very alarmed. It is bad enough that this out of state company is allowed to build 87 homes in an area that really should not be touched in the first place, but granting them permission for 280 homes, would be outrageous.! Just think of the pollution, the noise, the destruction of the many oaktrees, the increased traffic, the animals, we could go on and on.

This developer should abide by the law, just like us regular citizens and not be allowed to bypass them. My wife and I are asking you **not** to grant permission to construct 280 homes.

Sincerely.

Don Gushman

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