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Dear Neighbor,

Thanks to the many of you who participated in the October 3rd and December 12th Plan Commission hearings. You made a substantial formal record with which to move forward.

The next steps in the “Nelson Meadow” process are two meetings of the Village Council on:

Tuesday, February 14th
Monday, February 20th

Please save the dates, arrange for a sitter, and plan to be there – and speak up!

In preparation for the meetings, it is very important that you *personally contact your elected officials this week* – before the meetings. The total number of citizens who contact them matters, and your voice counts!

1. Meet with each of your elected officials, write a personal letter or an email, or make personal telephone calls – follow up if you can
2. Express your love for our neighborhood and your hope that the proposed “Nelson Meadow” subdivision can be improved with neighborhood input
3. Explain in your own words specifically how the currently-proposed subdivision plan (a) compromises the public safety and welfare and (b) threatens the character of the existing neighborhood
4. Describe what particular improvement you would like to see – and why
5. Specifically ask for their support and vote!

Please send copies of any correspondence to these three Village officials:

(1) Village Manager Cara Pavlicek, (2) Deputy Village Manager Dave Fieldman, and (3) Planner Jeff O’Brien. Also please send a copy to me.

If you would like assistance in drafting, typing, or even copying your letters, please feel free to ask me.

Thank you for your help and support!