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Dear Ms. Nelson,

Thank you for your service to the commission.

Please see attached photos of Chance Lane (10/01/19), this is the primary access for the the planned community-WTM19-001 Pleasant valley Estates.

Chance Lane is very narrow and it is my understanding from local residents that the road was blasted out of rock (see photos) and any effort at widing will be very difficult.

In addition, I have concern that the project (WTM19-001) does not meet or maintain the rural character of the area, that the density planned is to high and that the cultural heritage of the area is not being protected (Piute Tribe grave marker). I believe the quality of life for the current residents, myself included would be compromised by this project.

I respectfully request that the commission take this and numerous other concerns into into consideration when reviewing the plan. In addition to the vote by the CAB last month to deny the project.

Thank you for your time and attention on this matter.

Colleen Morissette RN 775-313-8011 Mobile <u>CMorissette@remsa-cf.com</u>



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Dear CAB,

9/12/19

My name is Mike Schuler, owner of 2215 Rhodes Road and 145 Ox Yoke Lane. We own roughly 61 acres with 2 homes. Our property is our primary residence and primary consists of raising cattle/hay. Our current home sits roughly 50 lineal feet from Caddy Creek (Hardin Creek) and 6 feet above it. We actually built it roughly 6ft higher than required by the county. See the pictures from the past few years flooding. This particular creek is the natural drainage for said proposed development.

One of our concerns for this proposed development is the existing drainage it shall use for flood waters in the hydrology report. Currently all drainage/flooding goes to south side of property through a 24" existing culvert and it eventually heads west under Rhodes Road via Caddy Creek to Steamboat Creek. The mountains to the south also fills the Big Ditch and dumps into Caddy Creek. With the proposed excess lots, this water will sheet off the hillside due to roads, rocks, roofs, concrete driveways and asphalt streets, hard landscaping ect. and NOT allow the ground to absorb water, thus increasing flooding potential to ALL neighbors along the drainage. This includes Rhodes Road, and further west to Cedar Lane (which is constantly under water). Please reference appendix B figure 2 and 3. Caddy Creek also takes on water from Toll Road to Virginia Highlands.

A proposed detention pond on the south side of property may capture some of the water but will NOT prevent the annual flooding our valley has received for the last 4 years or so. Like everyone else, the winter of 16'-17' hit our valley hard. There is NO County storm water system in our valley. Currently the County lets the water flow onto peoples' property and The Big Ditch. Supposedly an agreement exists to use the Big Ditch for flood waters however no one enforces neighbors to keep their lateral ditches open during flooding and hence many neighbors are forced to take the flood waters. We being one of them with Hardin/Caddy creek. Our valley receives annual flooding, not just the 5 or 100 year flooding the hydrology report indicates. We are becoming the sister of Swan Lake in Lemmon Valley and receive no attention whatsoever from the County. Homes WILL be flooded out in the future with the proposed 58 lots on 42.8 acres. Please check your newscasts from recent years. The county is always dropping sand and sandbags at 2 locations off of Andrew Lane and at Chance Lane so neighbors can re-direct flooding. This development is going to make it worse.

They are also using our valley as their main access and stating it gives a connection to Toll road. We can actually, in an emergency, escape over the east hills now if necessary. This development is delivering a very roundabout way of access to Toll road and bringing many problems to this valley with no benefits on an already crowded Rhodes Road due to numerous large horse barns/stables. Excess speeding is always an issue along with the numerous feral horses.

In appendix B, preliminary grading plan-sheet 4 of 7, there is a proposed concrete sidewalk on Chance Lane. This is a rural area and there are NO sidewalks in this valley! Neighbors just freely walk down the streets or ride their horses on the road. This sidewalk does NOT complement the neighborhood whatsoever.

The proposal says Chance Lane will be built to County standards. Just what are these standards? Assuming asphalt, the water will sheet down the gutter to Rhodes Road with nowhere to go. Currently when it hits Rhodes it either south, west, or north. If it goes west it's going into peoples' driveway. It can't go south because it will go nowhere and going north the slope is minimal at best and ditch erosion shall occur due to sandy soil.

Regarding Sheriff's ability to respond to our valley in a timely matter, this is FALSE. We had an incident in which one of our homes was burglarized. They didn't show up for days, after numerous calls, because they were 'Too busy fighting fires in Palomino Valley' last year, so they said.

I feel Mr. Fry and Rubicon Design Group are just dumping their drainage issues on the valley all in an effort increase the mighty profit dollar knowing the County will NOT do anything about it as prior history has reflected. They are building over the hill and then dumping into our valley. We doubt they've ever witnessed the flooding that occurs in this valley. The County knows about it but turns their head due to us being rural in nature. Fine but do not bring the effects of this type of development into our valley. If anyone requires further information, or a site visit in the valley, please let me know and I would be happy to escort a tour of drainage issues. There are also many neighbors that can supply pictures. Thank you for your attention.

Mike and Beth Schuler 775.842.5112 (cell) 2215 Rhodes Road Reno, NV 89521 <u>Mike@renoseven.com</u> <u>Beth@renoseven.com</u>

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Harry Fry Drainage Map



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