Good evening, Mr. Mayor and the men and women of the council,

My name is Trevor Rademacher, and I am a resident of Castle Rock. Thank you all for allowing me the opportunity to write. I also want to congratulate you and thank you for buying and preserving Lost Canyon Ranch. I was very excited when it was announced that the town purchased it. It is a very beautiful and unique piece of land as I'm sure all of you that have been there know by now. Growing up I lived behind one of the pastures on the ranch. I got to know the rancher that lived and worked there and I spent a lot of time on the ranch Riding horses, taking hikes, and just being out in nature. I even got my horses from that ranch. I just want to make a comment and ask something of the dedicated people working on this property. All I ask is to somehow keep the history, heritage, and to preserve the land. Lost canyon ranch has a long rich history that is rooted in the western heritage of this town. I also ask to preserve the land for the people of this community. It is a very beautiful piece of land that needs to be shared. Thank you again for this opportunity to write and again congratulations and thank you for saving this incredible land.

Trevor Rademacher