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May 19, 2020, Town Council Meeting Comments - Submission #70171

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Thank you for your interest in Town Council's upcoming discussions. Please use the form below to submit your comments no later than 1 p.m. Tuesday, May 19. Comments received by that time will be forwarded to Council and included as part of the public record for the meeting, just as if you had come to comment in person. All listed fields are required.

Agenda item on which to comment*

12: Pine Canyon Planned Development - Douglas County Referral ▼

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I would like to encourage Town Council to adamantly oppose the Pine Canyon Planned Development proposal. I am so disheartened that this has now moved to the County. There are so many areas of concern previously identified including transportation impact to the Town's existing roads, incompatibility with surrounding neighborhoods, WATER, and substandard open space.

Regarding open space, in recent weeks I have been to almost every Town and County trail in proximity to Castle Rock. There is extreme crowding and pressure on ALL trails. It would be remarkable if the Town, Douglas County and Douglas Land Conservancy could approach the owner in an attempt to acquire Pine Canyon as permanent open space. Nobody is discussing the impact on wildlife. The property is home to bears, deer, wild turkeys, bobcats, raccoons and porcupines which will be lost forever to accommodate an ill conceived development.

With the impact of COVID-19 on unemployment, foreclosures will soon be a reality. How can additional development even be justified?

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