## Cleveland, Julie

From: Martin, Al

**Sent:** Thursday, May 15, 2008 3:29 PM To: 'herman@physics.wisc.edu'

Cc: Cleveland, Julie

Subject: RE: development at former Marathon Gas station site

I'll see that the Commssion gets this . Al

----Original Message----

From: herman@physics.wisc.edu [mailto:herman@physics.wisc.edu]

Sent: Thursday, May 15, 2008 9:14 AM

To: Martin, Al

Subject: development at former Marathon Gas station site

## Hello,

I received an e-mail about a meeting next week about the above mentioned issue. I live about a block away from the former gas station and used to buy cigarettes there. Obviously it is a good location for car & foot traffic.

It seems to me if a "walk/in, takeout" food operation is planned in addition to gas sales you better have two people working at the same time.

It could get really busy sometimes. And I'll bet the gas selling ends up requiring people to pay inside first or with a credit card.

Back to food sales, I'm not sure what kind of food is referred to, but I think the idea of selling "food" at a convenience store is a bad idea.

The food will probably not be very nutritious or wholesome. We don't need any more of that kind of food in this neighborhood. Gas & soda, snacks, okay.

## M. L. Herman