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From: Roger Anderson [mailto:randersn@sbcglobal.net]

Sent: Sunday, February 12, 2012 10:34 PM

To: Martin, Al; ALL ALDERS; Soglin, Paul

Subject: Grandview Commons Grocery Store

City Officials,

I have been told by many people, for and against and indifferent of the grocery store in Grandview Commons, that emailing city officials is an effective method of communicating with all of you. Since it is encouraged to do so, I hope that all of you respect and seriously consider emails sent to you from citizens regarding their opinions and thoughts.

I would have contacted you through the city web site at

<http://www.cityofmadison.com/Council/contact/>

but I know some of you are suspicious of emails coming from websites so I am emailing you directly.

I regret that I cannot attend the Feb. 15 UDC meeting in person since it seems that carries much more clout than email but I have a family obligation. I don't believe UDC or city council meetings provide childcare.

I am not affiliated with any of the developers or a paid spokesperson for them.

I believe I have covered the necessary disclaimers and explained sufficiently why I cannot attend the meetings regarding this issue, for those of you concerned for why I have not attended any.

I want to once again express my support for the grocery store in Grandview Commons. I am a private citizen of the city of Madison that thinks the grocery store would be a benefit to our neighborhood and provide an anchor for future development of the town center.

Sincerely,

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P.S. No, Ms. Johnson, I am not your constituent.