

From: Lisa Steinhauer
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To: [Plan Commission members]; district1@cityofmadison.com
Subject: Jeffy Trail Extension

Dear Plan Commission,

I was unable to make it to the Plan Commission meeting last night but am disappointed by the news of your decision at the meeting yesterday to recommend that the Jeffy Trail extension move forward.

The majority of the people living in our neighborhood do not want the Jeffy Trail extension. Extending the street will create a dangerous through street that will damage pedestrian connectivity within the neighborhood and lessen the enjoyment of the natural landscape that is such a wonderful gift right now. Our neighborhood is beautiful and lucky to have the natural areas that we have now. The City should be proud of that and keep it that way.

I realize that some of you want to use Jeffy Trail as a through street, but your benefits of a through street seem far less valuable than the benefits that we currently have from our landscape. For a project that is not supported by so many neighbors due to the loss of landscape it would cause and the safety issues it will create, it seems like a waste to continue discussing this item over the years.

At the very least, if the extension goes through a stop sign and speed bump or other traffic calming measure should be to Jeffy Trail where it intersects Flagstone to prevent speeding.

Please reconsider your position next Tuesday and vote to remove the Jeffy Trail local street extension from the NDP.

Thanks you,

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