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Dear Mr. McGuigan,

My name is Andrea Dearlove and my family lives at 430 Virginia Terrace. I am unable to come to the hearing this evening, although I think my husband (Paul Dearlove) will be able to attend.

I wanted to provide input since I am unable to attend in person.

There are many issues presented by having only the 400 and 500 blocks of Virginia Terrace with unlimited parking options for teachers and students -- the safety of a heavily crowded street being first and foremost.

But rather than address each item separately, my overall thought is that the challenge of West High School teachers and students needing places to park close to the school is a SYSTEMIC issue that should involve a much wider audience -- the school, the city, surrounding neighborhoods -- and a neighborhood-wide solution. This is not an issue that the 400 and 500 blocks of Virginia Terrace can solve - although it seems as if this challenge has fallen to us since all of the other blocks surrounding the school have changed their own parking limitations.

I hope that the city will choose to look at this from a much wider perspective and come up with a more comprehensive solution that can meet the needs of both neighborhood residents and West High School teachers and student who commute.

Thanks so much for taking this into consideration.

My best,  
Andrea Dearlove