August 24, 2015

Dear Plan Commission Members:

I am writing in strong support of Dog Haus University and their proposed new location at 502 South Park Street in The Ideal. I have been a happy and satisfied client of their East Johnson Street location for over two years now.

Nate runs a wonderful, much needed business. He and his staff ensure that all the dogs are happy and well taken care of during the day. The existing East Johnson Street location is extremely clean and tidy. It is also located in a densely populated urban area, yet there are no problems with drop-offs and pick-ups. They have never had any complaints from neighbors regarding noise. I have never once encountered any dog waste on the premises. The staff at Dog Haus University are very conscientious, caring and community-minded.

The City of Madison is continuing to build more apartment buildings in the greater downtown area that are geared towards "young professionals." These are exactly the types of people who would utilize a doggie daycare, most especially one located in the lobby of their home.

Granting them this conditional use for a second doggie daycare location would be a most wonderful asset to the neighborhood and make for lots of happy dogs & owners!

Thank you for your consideration,

Julie Cleveland