

## Treasure Comments

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**From:** Andrea Mitchell  
**Sent:** Thursday, January 12, 2017 9:01 AM  
**To:** Treasure Comments  
**Subject:** FW: Treasure Meeting

On 1/11/17, 5:33 PM, "Christine Hult" <[cnhult@comcast.net](mailto:cnhult@comcast.net)> wrote:

>We are not able to come to the planning meeting on January 11 because  
>we cannot get out of our driveway with all the snow. We wanted to  
>voice our very strong concern about the lack of traffic capacity on  
>Empire/Lowell, particularly in the winter. Often it's one lane and  
>very difficult to get to our property at the top of Lowell. We cannot  
>imagine adding any more traffic to our neighborhood. We have seen  
>numerous vehicles this past week not able to come up either street,  
>slipping, sliding and eventually turning around and going back down.  
>The trash trucks have not been able to get up either Empire or Lowell  
>the last few weeks, and our trash is building up. There simply is not  
>enough capacity to add any more traffic.

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>Since the 1980s when the plan was first proposed, many more houses have  
>been in-filling the vacant lots on both streets. There is just so much  
>more housing and traffic than back then. It doesn't make any sense to  
>approve this project. It is a danger to the people already living here  
>and would negatively impact our quality of life.

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>We want the planning commission to hold firm, maintain Old Town and  
>keep our neighborhood from being inundated with excessive growth beyond  
>the capacity of the infrastructure to handle it.

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>Sincerely,

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>Christine and Nathan Hult  
>920 Lowell Ave #6