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Subject: Davidon Project

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Dear Petaluma City Council Members,

I'm writing in support of a NO vote on the Davidon project.

The Final Environmental Impact Report for this project identified a number of critical issues that cannot be mitigated. Here are just two of those:

- 1) The Vehicle Miles Traveled (VMT) for the project cannot be mitigated by Davidon nor the city. If the City approves this development, it is sending the community a clear message that worsening traffic and increasing greenhouse gases are acceptable and in direct contradiction to City guidelines for meeting climate change and sustainability goals.
- 2) The project area has been identified by the City as a very large wildland urban interface (WUI) and Very High Fire Hazard Severity Zone (VHFHSZ). Houses will be built in this area. According to the City, a population of 2,466 is at risk from wildfire. Have we learned nothing from the wildfires of the past few years?

Please vote no on this project.

Best Regards, Greg Beddow