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Comment Letter I-75

Near Supervisor Cox:

It sure does seem like I wrote a very similar letter just a few years ago regarding the Merriman Mountains development. So, here it goes again. The reason a majority of the residents from Twin Oaks Valley, Madelon Meadows, Champagne Village, San Marcos, Buena Creek, Fallbrook and plenty of others do not want Newland Sierra here is because this is a rural community. San Diego Planning + Development Dept. did not even know what the General Plan for this area was. ^{at the San Marcos meeting} You can always build more houses but you can't replace natural areas that are some of the prettiest in the nation, if not the world, and have existed for eons. Of course, we state the same facts that we did the last time, but what do we know--we only live here. The fire danger is extremely high, traffic congestion will be unbearable, infrastructure improvements Newland Sierra proposes will only mean we will have twice the traffic.

Oh, and there is the small matter of the remarkable array of wildlife who also call this area home.

We cannot pretend that we are not destroying valuable wildlife corridors in our quest for more and more material wealth for a small segment of the population; i.e. real estate developers. But there is too much money to be made.

We can't eat, drink or breathe money. We will see you at City Hall like we did last time.

Sincerely,
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