

November 3, 2022

To the Harrisonburg Planning Commission regarding the request from Martha Ann Miller for rezoning of our Resident District from R-2 to R-3C. (1067 Smith Avenue)

We live on this street at 1081 Smith Avenue and are very much opposed to this since it will increase the density and traffic on our street which is already somewhat crowded and congested. Persons already sometimes pull off and park along our driveway and drive up into our parking area to turn around, and have even parked on our property. This is very objectionable for us. We have not called in about this, but we should have. We need less congestion on our street, not more!! We wish you would come out and look this over. We believe you will see that it is NOT appropriate.

We paid a large amount of money for our place here so we could be in a quiet area, and we cannot believe that a new person could just come in and take that away from the neighborhood.. (Would we be reimbursed for the extra we paid?!

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Rawley & Esther Shank".

Rawley and Esther Shank

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