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## **Dear County Commissioners:**

This is just another scheme by the applicant to expand commercial development into the wrong places by exploiting a loophole in the "mistake" provisions prohibiting spot zoning in violation of State statutes.

CV zoning doesn't belong adjacent to established residential neighborhoods and forested areas. PGM staff time could be better spent incorporating the 2016 Comprehensive Plan into the Charles County Code.

I urge you to reject this ZMA.

Sincerely,

Ken Hastings

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