

## Petition to Lyons Mayor Hollie Rogin and Lyons Board of Trustees

We oppose the changes to the RiverBend PUD-C regarding amplified music outdoors for the following reasons:

- This is a very unique property surrounded by a rock amphitheater that ricochets sound to the nearby residential neighborhoods, causing great distress to residents and wildlife.
- The eagles did not nest in Lavern Johnson Park in 2014-15, correlating with when RiverBend last had amplified outside music. Many wild animals use the neighboring property to access the riparian corridor and will be disturbed by year-round amplification.
- There was good reason that the BOT already determined this venue to be different from other venues in 2016, and it was restricted to acoustic music outdoors for the protection and sanity of nearby residents.
- This will not be just live music but often DJs announcing and playing the same wedding music, night after night, year after year. Currently there is no enforcement of noise ordinance violations.
- Other wedding venues in town restrict amplified noise to inside sound-proof structures (Lionscrest and The Farmette), and neighbors are satisfied.

Please sign below to show respect to neighbors and local wildlife. Please do not allow amplification of sound outdoors at 501 West Main Street.