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From: Ben Redbeard <benredbeard@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, March 6, 2020 5:00 PM
To: Marissa Davis <mdavis@townoflyons.com>
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Hello Marissa,

I'm writing as a citizen in Lyons in support of the Summit Housing proposal. My wife and I were able to take in two friends during the flood whose homes were affected; one of them lost their home entirely and has struggled badly to return to the community she and her young daughter love. As long-time residents of Lyons we are close with several business owners in Town who lament regularly the difficulty getting enough entry-level employees locally, since there is so little workforce housing available.

Lyons was always a diverse community of people from different economic levels, and was the better for it. Having a meal at Gateway or Linda and Jeanne's Cafe would mean sitting next to folks in Carhartts as well as in Dockers, and it made us a stronger community. Having permanently affordable housing like the Summit Proposal would do so much both to make our community whole after the floods, and also to enhance our economic vitality by attracting people to fill critically-needed jobs locally.

Please support this proposal. We've tried unsuccessfully once already to bring affordable housing back to Lyons; we can't afford to let this opportunity slip away.

Regards,

Ben Rodman
Happy bees and home brews
in Lyons, CO