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Take care,

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Subject: In Support of the Hotel Project

Hello ~

I am writing to express my support of the hotel project on Main Street.

I have been a resident of Lyons since 1991 and I've seen a lot of businesses come and go in Lyons. I believe there is a momentum building in Lyons now that could be very good for our business community and therefore good for the people who live here too.

Lyons is now a destination for weddings as well as music, art and farm to table events. People also come here for numerous outdoor activities and events. This is a fantastic! People are coming here to have fun and spend meaningful, quality time with their friends and families. What an excellent industry (for lack of a better word) for Lyons. People come here to have fun.

But at the end of the day they go somewhere else to spend the night. We lose them. They don't eat dinner here. They don't shop here. They don't eat breakfast here. They don't notice that there's a florist, a tattoo artist, a dentist, a stoneyard, a museum, an acupuncturist, a massage therapist . . . you get my point.

I think it's important that we support this momentum. We have a real chance to build a solid business base that will enhance the businesses that are already here. THAT'S A BIG DEAL. DON'T LET THIS OPPORTUNITY SLIP AWAY. It's a good, clean industry for our town. I would love to walk around Lyons and see restaurants and shops full of people visiting Lyons, having fun.

The people trying to develop the hotel have already cleaned up an area of town that was unsafe and unattractive. And they are doing this at their own expense. They came to Lyons, saw a need and a way to make an impact. Let them help Lyons have a thriving business community. It's a great opportunity.

Thank you ~

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