North District Citizens Planning Advisory Committee Chair: Mike Getchell Vice Chair: Teresa Moore

August 16, 2019

To:

Honorable Danny Becton Land Use & Zoning Committee 77 West Duval Street City Hall at St. James, Suite 425 Jacksonville, FL 32202

Re:

Ordinance # 2019-0493

Dear Chairman Becton:

This Ordinance seeks to rezone approximately 16.99 acres from PUD 2002-0665 to PUD to allow development of no more than 140 townhomes on the North Parcel and neighborhood commercial uses on the Southwest Parcel.

The North District CPAC has reviewed Ordinance 2019-0493 and is opposed to the PUD as presented for the following reasons:

(1) Parking spaces/unit not clear.

- (2) The 10' buffer appears to be on existing residential properties no indication of buffer on commercial site.
- (3) Front setback (20') insufficient for parking a vehicle without blocking sidewalk.
- (4) A meeting with surrounding communities has not be held.
- (5) No site plan for Parcel B.
- (6) Recreation specs are too general.
- (7) Number of townhomes too intense for such a small area. There is no indication that townhomes will have an attached garage.

This Ordinance should be deferred until the above listed items are addressed.

Respectfully sub

Mike Getchell

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