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Citizens of Volente.....

Please read the letter to the Commissioners, who ever they are...and look at the original survey..for the P & Z to think about sending the same survey 11 years later....does not make sense at all.....the original survey was done to create the Comprehensive Plan....which has not been updated since 2004..and it really needs to be updated and we need to create a new survey to reflect the here and now....11 years later we send the same one..most of the questions already have developed ordinances, so to ask the same questions is redundant....do they really want to know what the majority think 11 years later ask the right questions...

And the cost of the survey is part of our comprehensive plan and and we have it, look at our checking account...that is an excuse not a reason...we have Survey Monkey or a system that is compatible already in place at the city office...Ken Beck was going to get rates from them to create, send to our residents and then send the analysis....before it was yanked from him and his Committee.....the cost was inexpensive and I can almost guarantee it is going to be less expensive than hiring an Engineering firm like Freese and Nicols....They are not even a community survey company...Survey Monkey is.. we should do a survey every 5 years...so why not use a company that does it for communities all over the US..and the city councils since 2004 have failed you and me by not complying with the Comp plan they created..

The survey should be asking all of you the residents what are you happy with, what your not happy with, what you want or would like to see happen in the village over the next 1-5 years.....Also what you expect from your City Council ...we are in a serious drought what is the council doing to help us get water... I have not seen a thing on any agenda from them on what they are going to do about water in Volente.....The original survey was created to form the Comprehensive Plan that we have used as our guideline to create our Village and what have you received from the survey?????...we know how high you can build, how close you can build your house, how to put in your driveway, we know all this...and to even think about using the same old out of dated survey is just a waste of "my tax dollars" The questions on the original survey pertained to what was happening then... As you know Mark Scott asked the P & Z to consider all or part of our survey and I asked that Ken's committee be a part of the Citizens committee to help with the survey and Allison and her committee never asked Ken or his committee to be a part of the survey team...and part of the Comp Plan stipulates on Page 1-2 in Why Plan, states that over time as the community continues to develops in a manner which reflects the objectives and values of community decision-makers, citizenry, and property owners...the Comp plan should reflect what is best for the Village of Volente as perceived by citizens and property owners within the community, have any of you been asked by the P & Z for your in-put, suggestions or questions on what you would like to see on the survey.....Maybe your not a community decision maker, citizenry, or property owner.....not sure why Allison thinks we need to rush and get the survey done ASAP since it only been 11 years....

Please take time to read the questions on the survey and you tell me what you think of the how the questions were asked..."the group from Volente" wrote the questions and from that came our Comprehensive Plan and ordinances we have today...are you that happy with our Village leaders...I am really surprised that Allison is asking you the residents to go along and accept sending the

original 2004 survey out again...if you don't think we need a change then you really need to look long and hard to what is being done to you and your property.. I expect a lot more from our council.. Please come to the P & Z meeting tomorrow and let your voice be heard...

Original post by Allison Thrash from Volente (2 replies):

It's been previously posted here, but just a reminder to all that your Planning & Zoning Commission has its regular meeting/hearing tomorrow night at 7:00 p.m. down at City Hall. It would be great ... Jul 7 in General to your neighborhood

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