From: <u>Lisa C. Kunz</u>
To: <u>"Shyla Patera"</u>

Cc: <u>Craig Raymond</u>; <u>Darcy Dea</u>; <u>Greg Doyon</u>

Subject: RE: Buffalo Crossing

Date: Tuesday, October 15, 2019 1:28:54 PM

Hi Shyla -

Thank you for your comments, which will be shared with the City Commission and appropriate staff for consideration of agenda item 15 at tonight's Commission meeting.

Best,

Lisa Kunz

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From: Shyla Patera <ncils.patera@bresnan.net>
Sent: Tuesday, October 15, 2019 12:54 PM
To: Lisa C. Kunz <lkunz@greatfallsmt.net>

Subject: Buffalo Crossing

Importance: High

My name is Shyla Patera . I reside at 1013 7th Avenue North West. The Buffalo Crossing subdivision and development process will impact many of our Westside neighbors and communities. I applaud the fact that the land has been subdivided and development is finally coming to the area. I am excited that development will finally begin on a timeline. I am hopeful there will finally be connectivity to the Rivers Edge Trail from the development.

However, I do have some concerns. Mixed use housing or condos are often a struggle for people who experience mobility and other disabilities. How are the developers going to address pedestrian and vehicle access off Central Avenue West? I am to understand also that there environmental concerns regarding proximity to the railroad. Have the developers and businesses who are potential developers and investors thought about railroad disasters or potential soil concerns?

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