## March, 9 2025

## Dear Merced Planning Commission,

We are writing to express our strong opposition for the proposal to re-zone the commercial property at 1380 Yosemite Ave Merced, CA from currently low-density office spaces to medium or high-density residential use. This change would significantly disrupt the character of our predominantly retired, upper class community where residents value peace, privacy, and a quiet lowdensity environment. The introduction of a higher density residential development into our neighborhood would result in increased traffic, noise, and overcrowding. All of which would negatively impact our quality of life. Our community is home to individuals who have invested in this area for its tranquility and exclusivity. The proposed change threatens to undermine the atmosphere we have worked hard to preserve. Furthermore, such a development could lead to a decrease in property values, as a high-density residential area typically does not align with the preferences of potential buyers who are drawn to quiet, more spacious neighborhoods. The loss of our community's character would be detrimental to both residents and the overall appeal of the area. While growth is important, we believe it should be carefully considered and implemented in a way that preserves the integrity of existing neighborhoods. The proposed rezoning is not in the best interest of our community, and would disrupt the peaceful, upscale environment that defines this area. We urge the planning commission to reject this rezoning proposal and preserve the current zoning, which better aligns with the character and values of our neighborhood. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

The residents of Oakmont Estates



Upon short notice of the proposed change to the zoning on 1380 Yosemite Ave from commercial to medium and high density residential, we were unable to contact all residents of the Oakmont Estates. Attached is a list of signatures from the people whom we were able to contact in our neighborhood who strongly oppose the change.



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