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RE: College Heights Cannabis Application

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Good Morning All,

We are strongly opposed to the opening of a Cannabis Outlet at the location of Lot #1, District Lot 754, Cariboo District, Plan BCP7518, located almost directly across from the High School, College Heights Secondary School, on Domano Blvd. This outlet is also very close to the elementary school, on Southridge Ave.

What are you thinking? Do we not have enough drug induced problems with our young people already? How can you even consider this idea? It is well known that marijuana is very destructive to the young mind which doesn't fully mature until the late twenties. And this is sending the notice to young people that it is perfectly alright to start on a path to other drugs and perhaps a dangerous lifestyle.

Your notice of public hearing and Council consideration appeared in the Citizen edition of 11 June, when the formal deadline for written submissions was 9 June. Since you have chosen to waive the requirement for a public hearing rather than wait until one can be held, we ask that these comments be included with Council's agenda for the meeting at which the application will be considered.

Respectfully, Judy Simms and John DeGrace 8072 St. John Place