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To: Regional Housing
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To whom it may concern,

This information was provided to me and frankly I am disgusted:

Previous issues of the "Yorba Linda Connection" have discussed the City of Yorba Linda's active involvement in the Regional Housing Needs Assessment (RHNA) for years 2021-2029 through attending meetings of to the [Southern California Association of Governments \(SCAG\)](#) and providing comments, questions, and concerns regarding the methodology process. After a year of public input on three different RHNA methodology options, SCAG staff proposed a methodology that would comply with state law and received unanimous support from its review committee, which is comprised of nearly 50 elected officials from the SCAG region. However, at the November 7, 2019 meeting of SCAG's Regional Council, a last-minute substitute motion was made, which introduced a modified RHNA methodology that would shift 75,000 housing units into Orange County. The substitute motion passed 43-19 (opposed by every Orange County representative). This modified methodology increased the City of Yorba Linda's RHNA obligation from 207 housing units to 2,322 housing units, amounting to an increase of 1,122%.

As a 15 year resident of Yorba Linda I am concerned about the continued development that negatively impacts the livability of our city. I am not opposed to low income housing it is necessary. What I am opposed to is the amount that will be required in Yorba Linda. I am also dismayed in the fashion in which the numbers were reached. The methodology was changed and approved in the classic backroom style with no input from the city leadership. Shame on you! I ask that you reconsider your approval and allow input from the leadership of Yorba Linda.

Thank you for your consideration.

Vito Mancini