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To: Regional Housing <Housing@scag.ca.gov>
Subject: Opposition to increased housing units in Yorba Linda

To whom it may concern,

I have raised my family in Yorba Linda for the last 25 years. We were drawn to the family-oriented, semi-rural lifestyle. This is a small community and is mostly built out, with approximately 65,000 residents.

I want to help those who need a home, and do so through giving to the philanthropies of my choice, making decisions about how best to use the money my wife and I have earned.

To learn that Yorba Linda's housing allotment requirement was raised from approximately 200 units to over 2,000 units in the course of one meeting and one vote is preposterous. It's not feasible, and it would not truly help those who need it. Yorba Linda has no large employers (perhaps Costco?) and poor access to employment centers, along with few bus routes to employment centers.

Not sure how unreasonable decisions like this are made without public input, but it is wrong. Please reduce the number of required housing units back to what is sensible--just over 200.

Thank you.

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