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Ms. Pam Andros Senior Planner Dane County Planning & Development

Dear Ms. Andros,

I am writing in regards to the proposed expansion of the existing mineral extraction facility at 5067 Reiner Road, Town of Burke. The City is opposed to the proposed expansion due to the proximity of approved residential subdivisions in the area, including the Village at Autumn Lake which directly abuts the existing and proposed mineral extraction facility. In addition, the facility is inconsistent with the recommendations of the City's adopted Northeast Neighborhoods Development Plan. The Plan recommends residential uses for the proposed expansion area. Finally, new residential development (Woods Farm) is imminent south of the proposed expansion area. City staff believes mineral extraction is incompatible with the existing and future residential development pattern in the area.

Thank you for your consideration.

Rick Roll

Planner City of Madison Planning Division

Cc:

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