

Mel Owen

From: Clifford D Ferris [cdferris@bresnan.net]
Sent: Tuesday, April 07, 2015 3:00 PM
To: Mel Owen
Cc: Mel Owen; Tim Sullivan; tchesnut@co.albany.wy.us; hrichardson@co.albany.wy.us; Peggy Trent
Subject: City Parks and Recreation Master Plan

Dear PTR Master Plan Ad Hoc Committee,

Please honor the request of the Albany County Commission and Albany County Planning and Zoning Commission described in their joint letter to you dated March 17, 2015.

Sincerely,

Clifford D. Ferris
5405 Bill Nye avenue
Laramie, WY82070

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Mel Owen

From: Larry Irving [l_irving2u@icloud.com]
Sent: Tuesday, April 07, 2015 2:55 PM
To: PTRmasterplan
Subject: Request!

Dear PTR Master Plan Ad Hoc Committee,

Please honor the request of the Albany County Commission and Albany County Planning and Zoning Commission described in their joint letter to you dated March 17, 2015.

Sincerely,
Larry and Lois Irving

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Mel Owen

From: Edward C. Cassidy [Cassidy@uwyo.edu]
Sent: Tuesday, April 07, 2015 2:34 PM
To: PTRmasterplan
Cc: Mel Owen; Tim Sullivan; tchesnut@co.albany.wy.us; hrichardson@co.albany.wy.us; Peggy Trent

Dear PTR Master Plan Ad Hoc Committee,

Please honor the request of the Albany County Commission and Albany County Planning and Zoning Commission described in their joint letter to you dated March 17, 2015. Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely, Ed Cassidy Albany County

"If it is not right do not do it; if it is not true do not say it." Marcus Aurelius

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Mel Owen

From: Tom Nissen [tnissen@trihydro.com]
Sent: Tuesday, April 07, 2015 2:26 PM
To: PTRmasterplan
Cc: Mel Owen; Tim Sullivan; tchesnut@co.albany.wy.us; hrichardson@co.albany.wy.us; Peggy Trent
Subject: Albany County Commission and Albany County Planning and Zoning Commission Meeting

Dear PTR Master Plan Ad Hoc Committee,

Please honor the request of the Albany County Commission and Albany County Planning and Zoning Commission described in their joint letter to you dated March 17, 2015.

Thank you.

Sincerely,
Tom Nissen

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Mel Owen

From: Arnold Lee Willems [AWillems@uwyo.edu]
Sent: Tuesday, April 07, 2015 2:19 PM
To: PTRmasterplan
Cc: Mel Owen; Tim Sullivan; tchesnut@co.albany.wy.us; hrichardson@co.albany.wy.us; Peggy Trent
Subject: City's Parks and Recreation Master Plan Ad Hoc Committee

Dear PTR Master Plan Ad Hoc Committee,

Please honor the request of the Albany County Commission and Albany County Planning and Zoning Commission described in their joint letter to you dated March 17, 2015.

Sincerely,

Arnie and Wanda Willems

Arnie Willems
5517 Bill Nye Avenue
Laramie, WY 82070
307-745-8250
awillems@uwyo.edu

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Mel Owen

From: Rsmarti [randis.martinsen@gmail.com]
Sent: Tuesday, April 07, 2015 2:14 PM
To: PTRmasterplan
Cc: Mel Owen; Tim Sullivan; tchesnut@co.albany.wy.us; hrichardson@co.albany.wy.us; Peggy Trent
Subject: Support for Commissioner's request

Dear PTR Master Plan Ad Hoc Committee,

Please honor the request of the Albany County Commission and Albany County Planning and Zoning Commission described in their joint letter to you dated March 17, 2015.

Sincerely,
Randi Martinsen

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Mel Owen

From: Don [djboilermaker@gmail.com]
Sent: Tuesday, April 07, 2015 2:11 PM
To: PTRmasterplan
Cc: Mel Owen; Tim Sullivan; tchesnut@co.albany.wy.us; hrichardson@co.albany.wy.us; Peggy Trent

Dear PTR Master Plan Ad Hoc Committee,

Please honor the request of the Albany County Commission and Albany County Planning and Zoning Commission described in their joint letter to you dated March 17, 2015.

Sincerely,

Donald L. Jarvis

43 Snowy View Rd

Laramie, WY 82070

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Mel Owen

From: Henry Richter [hrichter@trihydro.com]
Sent: Tuesday, April 07, 2015 2:09 PM
To: PTRmasterplan
Cc: Mel Owen; Tim Sullivan; tchesnut@co.albany.wy.us; hrichardson@co.albany.wy.us; Peggy Trent
Subject: Albany County Commission and Albany County Planning and Zoning Commission Meeting
Importance: High

Dear PTR Master Plan Ad Hoc Committee,

Please honor the request of the Albany County Commission and Albany County Planning and Zoning Commission described in their joint letter to you dated March 17, 2015.

Sincerely,

Henry Richter

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Mel Owen

From: Marianne Viner [lctaz@yahoo.com]
Sent: Tuesday, April 07, 2015 3:12 PM
To: PTRmasterplan
Cc: Mel Owen; Tim Sullivan; tchesnut@co.albany.wy.us; hrichardson@co.albany.wy.us; Peggy Trent
Subject: Parks, Trails, and Recreation Master Plan

Dear PTR Master Plan Ad Hoc Committee,

Please honor the request of the Albany County Commission and Albany County Planning and Zoning Commission described in their joint letter to you dated March 17, 2015.

Please remove all maps, text and references to private property outside the City limits in the master plan. People have ALREADY assumed this plan has passed and that they have legal right to trespass on my land!!

Sincerely,

Marianne Viner

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Mel Owen

From: ecylvick@aol.com
Sent: Tuesday, April 07, 2015 3:31 PM
To: PTRmasterplan
Cc: Mel Owen; Tim Sullivan; tchesnut@co.albany.wy.us; hrichardson@co.albany.wy.us; Peggy Trent
Subject: Letter to the PTR Master Plan Ad Hoc Committee

Dear PTR Master Plan Ad Hoc Committee,

Please honor the request of the Albany County Commission and Albany County Planning and Zoning Commission described in their joint letter to you dated March 17, 2015.

Sincerely,
Frank & Judy Cylvick
P.O. Box 173
25 North Fork Road
Centennial, Wyoming 82055

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Mel Owen

From: Jo Ann B. Davis [jodavis2007@gmail.com]
Sent: Tuesday, April 07, 2015 3:39 PM
To: PTRmasterplan
Subject: Master Plan Ad Hoc Committee

Dear PTR Master Plan Ad Hoc Committee,

Please honor the request of the Albany County Commission and Albany County Planning and Zoning Commission described in their joint letter to you dated March 17, 2015.

Sincerely,

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Jo Ann

Jo Ann B. Davis
P. O. Box 2194
Laramie, WY 82073
1-307-760-2788 (Cell)

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Mel Owen

From: Keith Kennedy [agrimind@wyoming.com]
Sent: Tuesday, April 07, 2015 3:41 PM
To: PTRmasterplan
Cc: Mel Owen; Tim Sullivan; tchesnut@co.albany.wy.us; hrichardson@co.albany.wy.us; Peggy Trent
Subject: Master Plan

Dear PTR Master Plan Ad Hoc Committee,
Please honor the request of the Albany County Commission and Albany County Planning and Zoning Commission described in their joint letter to you dated March 17, 2015.
Sincerely, Keith

Keith Kennedy
459 Roger Canyon Rd.
Laramie WY 82073
Office 307.223.0010
Cell 307.631.1739
agrimind@wyoming.com

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Mel Owen

From: Jere C. Hamilton [hamjc@bresnan.net]
Sent: Tuesday, April 07, 2015 3:49 PM
To: PTRmasterplan
Cc: Mel Owen; Tim Sullivan; tchesnut@co.albany.wy.us; hrichardson@co.albany.wy.us; Peggy Trent
Subject: Master Plan

04/07/2015

Dear PTR Master Plan Ad Hoc Committee,

My wife and I respect the work you have been doing for those of us in the county and close to the Laramie City Limits. We have an additional request. We ask that you please honor the request of the Albany County Commission and Albany County Planning and Zoning Commission described in their joint letter to you dated March 17, 2015.

Sincerely,

Jere' & Linda Hamilton
Sherman Hill property owners

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Mel Owen

From: Nathan Vasek [natevasek@gmail.com]
Sent: Tuesday, April 07, 2015 4:12 PM
To: PTRmasterplan
Cc: Mel Owen; Tim Sullivan; tchesnut@co.albany.wy.us; Heber Richardson; Peggy Trent
Subject: Master Plan Ad Hoc Committee

Dear PTR Master Plan Ad Hoc Committee,

Please honor the request of the Albany County Commission and Albany County Planning and Zoning Commission described in their joint letter to you dated March 17, 2015.

Sincerely,

Nathan Vasek

ALL CITY OF LARAMIE ELECTRONIC CORRESPONDENCE AND ATTACHMENTS MAY BE TREATED AS PUBLIC RECORDS AND SUBJECT TO PUBLIC DISCLOSURE

Mel Owen

From: Pat Engler-Parish [ptenglerparish@gmail.com]
Sent: Tuesday, April 07, 2015 4:12 PM
To: PTRmasterplan
Cc: Mel Owen; Tim Sullivan; tchesnut@co.albany.wy.us; hrichardson@co.albany.wy.us

Dear PTR Master Plan Ad Hoc Committee,

Please honor the request of the Albany County Commission and Albany County Planning and Zoning Commission described in their joint letter to you dated March 17, 2015.

Sincerely,

--
Pat Engler-Parish
307 761-0391

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Mel Owen

From: Monica Snook [monica@wyosnooks.com]
Sent: Tuesday, April 07, 2015 4:20 PM
To: PTRmasterplan
Cc: Mel Owen; Tim Sullivan; tchesnut@co.albany.wy.us; hrichardson@co.albany.wy.us; Peggy Trent
Subject: Master Plan - Committee Meeting

Dear PTR Master Plan Ad Hoc Committee,

Please honor the request of the Albany County Commission and Albany County Planning and Zoning Commission described in their joint letter to you dated March 17, 2015.

Please remove all maps, text, & references to private property outside the City Limits. The essence of this committee was for planning on CITY OWNED property. Let's keep it that way. Refusal to remove these items may be very costly in the courts to resolve later.

Very Sincerely,

Monica Snook (County Resident)
3901 Fort Buford Lane
Laramie, WY 82070
307-760-0784

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Mel Owen

From: Karen D. Singer [KSinger@uwyo.edu]
Sent: Tuesday, April 07, 2015 4:28 PM
To: PTRmasterplan
Cc: Mel Owen; Tim Sullivan; tchesnut@co.albany.wy.us; hrichardson@co.albany.wy.us; Peggy Trent
Subject: master plan

Dear PTR Master Plan Ad Hoc Committee,

Please honor the request of the Albany County Commission and Albany County Planning and Zoning Commission described in their joint letter to you dated March 17, 2015.

Sincerely,

Karen D. Singer
2326 Sky View Lane
Laramie, WY 82070

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Mel Owen

From: Mr. Stacy Snook [stacy@wyosnooks.com]
Sent: Tuesday, April 07, 2015 4:38 PM
To: PTRmasterplan
Cc: Mel Owen; Tim Sullivan; tchesnut@co.albany.wy.us; hrichardson@co.albany.wy.us; Peggy Trent

I have appeared before the Ad Hoc committee many times, requesting that non-city-owned property located in Albany County be removed from the Ad Hoc Committee maps and plans. I now ask the Ad Hoc committee to honor the request made by the Albany County Commission and Albany County Planning and Zoning Commission, via a letter sent to you, dated March 17, 2015.

Thank you,
Mr. Stacy Snook

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Mel Owen

From: Leslie Miech [lmiech@farmersagent.com]
Sent: Tuesday, April 07, 2015 4:51 PM
To: PTRmasterplan
Cc: Mel Owen; Tim Sullivan; tchesnut@co.albany.wy.us; hrichardson@co.albany.wy.us; Peggy Trent
Subject: Master Plan

Dear PTR Master Plan Ad Hoc Committee,

Please honor the request of the Albany County Commission and Albany County Planning and Zoning Commission described in their joint letter to you dated March 17, 2015.

Sincerely,

Leslie Miech
1256 N 4th St
Laramie, WY 82072
Office: (307) 721-3010
Fax: (307) 721-9060

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Mel Owen

From: Kdbirks@aol.com
Sent: Tuesday, April 07, 2015 4:53 PM
To: PTRmasterplan
Cc: Mel Owen; Tim Sullivan; tchesnut@co.albany.wy.us; hrichardson@co.albany.wy.us; Peggy Trent
Subject: Request of ACC and ACPZC

Dear PTR Master Plan Ad Hoc Committee,

Please honor the request of the Albany County Commission and Albany County Planning and Zoning Commission described in their joint letter to you dated March 17, 2015.

Sincerely,

Keith and Dorothy Birks

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Mel Owen

From: Rob Garland [rgarland@cbmainc.com]
Sent: Tuesday, April 07, 2015 5:17 PM
To: PTRmasterplan
Cc: Mel Owen; Tim Sullivan; 'tchesnut@co.albany.wy.us'; 'hrichardson@co.albany.wy.us'; Peggy Trent
Subject: Support to honor request of the Albany County Commission and Albany County Planning and Zoning Commission described in their joint letter to you dated March 17, 2015

Dear PTR Master Plan Ad Hoc Committee,

Please honor the request of the Albany County Commission and Albany County Planning and Zoning Commission described in their joint letter to you dated March 17, 2015.

Sincerely,

Rob Garland
Albany County Resident /Tax Payer

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Mel Owen

From: geneborrows@yahoo.com
Sent: Tuesday, April 07, 2015 5:41 PM
To: PTRmasterplan
Cc: Mel Owen; Tim Sullivan; tchesnut@co.albany.wy.us; hrichardson@co.albany.wy.us; Peggy Trent
Subject: Support for removing maps, text and references to private property outside the City limits in the master plan

Dear Parks, Tree and Recreation Master Plan Ad Hoc Committee,

I write in support of the request by the Albany County Commission and Albany County Planning and Zoning Commission described in their joint letter to you dated March 17, 2015 that all maps, text and references to private property outside the City limits in your master plan be removed.

Thank you very much,

Gene Borrows
PO Box 969
Laramie, WY 82073

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Mel Owen

From: Stephen Paul Ford [SPFord@uwyo.edu]
Sent: Tuesday, April 07, 2015 5:46 PM
To: PTRmasterplan
Cc: Mel Owen; Tim Sullivan; tchesnut@co.albany.wy.us; hrichardson@co.albany.wy.us; Peggy Trent
Subject: City Master Plan

Dear PTR Master Plan Ad Hoc Committee,

Please honor the request of the Albany County Commission and Albany County Planning and Zoning Commission described in their joint letter to you dated March 17, 2015.

Sincerely,

Stephen and Marsha Ford
12 Snowy View Court
Laramie, WY

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Mel Owen

From: annib56@bresnan.net
Sent: Tuesday, April 07, 2015 6:12 PM
To: Mel Owen; Tim Sullivan; tchestnut@co.albany.wy.us; hrichardson@co.albany.wy.us; Peggy Trent
Subject: honor letter

Dear PTR Master Plan Ad Hoc Committee,

Please honor the request of the Albany County commission and the Albany County Planning and Zoning commission as described in their joint letter to you dated March 17, 2015.

Sincerely,

Ann Marcott

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Mel Owen

From: hamaker@wyo2u.com
Sent: Tuesday, April 07, 2015 7:21 PM
To: PTRmasterplan
Subject: request

Dear Ad Hoc Committee;

I am requesting that you follow the guidelines that the Albany County Commissioners and the Albany County Planning and Zoning Commission has requested of you concerning the Parks and Trails Master Plan.

Sincerely,

Candy Hamaker

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Mel Owen

From: KEITH WOOLF [k_j_woolf@yahoo.com]
Sent: Tuesday, April 07, 2015 8:20 PM
To: PTRmasterplan
Cc: Mel Owen; Tim Sullivan; tchesnut@co.albany.wy.us; hrichardson@co.albany.wy.us; Peggy Trent
Subject: Request for honoring of City staff recommendations

Dear Parks, Trails, and Recreation Master Plan Ad Hoc Committee,

After reading the pertinent correspondence from Mr. Sullivan and Mr. Harrison, I respectfully request that the committee honor the request of the Albany County Commission and Albany County Planning and Zoning Commission described in their joint letter to you dated March 17, 2015.

Such action by the committee will be a positive step to remove any possible confusion of the future use of private property outside the Laramie city limits.

Regards,

Keith Woolf

4520 Bluebird

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Mel Owen

From: Roberta and Danny Dunlavy [berta@wyoming.com]
Sent: Tuesday, April 07, 2015 9:23 PM
To: PTRmasterplan
Cc: Mel Owen
Subject: Rec. to remove all maps, text and referents to private property outside city limits in master plan

Dear PTR Master Plan Ad Hoc Committee,

Please honor the request of the Albany County Commission and Albany County Planning and Zoning Commission described in their joint letter to you dated March 17, 2015.

Sincerely, Danny and Roberta Dunlavy

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Mel Owen

From: Diane A. Kempson [DKempson@uwyo.edu]
Sent: Tuesday, April 07, 2015 9:49 PM
To: PTRmasterplan
Cc: Mel Owen; Tim Sullivan; tchesnut@co.albany.wy.us; hrichardson@co.albany.wy.us; Peggy Trent
Subject: support for commissioner's request

Dear PTR Master Plan Ad Hoc Committee,

Please honor the request of the Albany County Commission and Albany County Planning and Zoning Commission described in their joint letter to you dated March 17, 2015.

Sincerely,

Diane Kempson kempdian@gmail.com
Pamela Clarke nightingalecowgirl@gmail.com

6822 Black Elk Trail
Laramie, WY 82070

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Mel Owen

From: Steve Grabowski [sonofarake@gmail.com]
Sent: Wednesday, April 08, 2015 12:41 AM
To: PTRmasterplan
Subject: letter from Albany County Commission and Albany County Planning and Zoning Commission

Dear PTR Master Plan Ad Hoc Committee,

As a citizen of Laramie and Albany County, I request that you please honor the request of the Albany County Commission and Albany County Planning and Zoning Commission described in their joint letter to you dated March 17, 2015. The city council members should have no designs on the property of people who cannot vote for or against them. It's un-American and unconstitutional.

Sincerely,

Steve Grabowski
1169 N. 9th Street
Laramie

ALL CITY OF LARAMIE ELECTRONIC CORRESPONDENCE AND ATTACHMENTS MAY BE TREATED AS PUBLIC RECORDS AND SUBJECT TO PUBLIC DISCLOSURE

2216 Sky View Lane
Laramie, WY 82070
April 7, 2015

Dear PTR Master Plan Ad Hoc Committee,

I respectfully request that you show deference to the Albany County Commission and the Albany County Planning and Zoning Commission as pertains to their March 17, 2015 letter to you.

It would behoove this committee to consider the following:

- This committee was charged with developing a master plan for city and city-owned property and you recognized that directive in your mission statement on July 28, 2011. The plan in its current form is in direct conflict with the purpose of the creation of this committee, disrespects the City Council's resolution and ignores your own mission statement.
- You have received numerous comments from citizens over the past two years who overwhelmingly do not want private property in the County included in this plan (unless permission is granted), as documented in draft Appendix C of the plan.
- At least 77 concerned citizens attended a public hearing before the County Planning and Zoning Commission on October 8, 2014. All but one person who made comments were not in favor of the plan for a variety of reasons, including its extension outside the City limits on to private property.
- On October 21, 2014, this committee received a petition signed by 277 Albany County citizens who made requests nearly identical to the requests in the aforementioned March 17, 2015 letter.
- As noted in the April 6, 2015 staff memorandum to this committee, the County Planning and Zoning Commission in 2011 declined an invitation to participate in the development of this plan, and you have received a very clear and strong message from the County Commissioners and current County Planning and Zoning Commission to not include private property outside the City limits in this plan. In other words, the County requests you constrain your plan to city and city-owned property.
- The staff memo also acknowledges that if this committee does not approve staff's recommendation, the concurrence question "may have to be answered in the courts." **Consider the ramifications to City-County relations should you not respect the County's requests, and due to your recommendations, the City and County engage in, perhaps, a protracted legal battle. Your actions will have long-term consequences, quite possibly negative for the City.**
- Although the County Comprehensive Plan states the desire to provide for recreational opportunities, it addresses many other aspects of county life. Its Vision Statement includes "supporting agriculture" and "recognizing property rights." "Providing recreational opportunities" is not included in the Vision Statement. Apparently support for agriculture and property rights rank above the County providing recreational opportunities.
- Specifically the Albany County Comprehensive Plan states the following:
 - "Private agricultural lands dominate the county...supporting diverse natural resources,"
 - "The Medicine Bow National Forest is a major recreational area and valuable natural resource," "and is a major source...for outdoor recreation opportunities,"

- “Albany County is a treasure...Our small communities...offer...abundant recreational resources...” “Public lands in Albany County are used extensively for recreation,”
- “Albany County residents wish to retain the privacy and individuality of our own ranches and homes, and be in charge of our own destinies. We do not wish to be overburdened with regulations that inhibit our freedom to live and work,” and
- “Rural and urban residents must accept the reality that country living is not accompanied by some of the amenities of town living.”

The reality is that Albany County does not have the resources to acquire land for additional recreation, and the vast majority of private property owners in the County have no desire to accommodate proposed parks, trails and other amenities coveted by this committee. Without philanthropists donating land or granting easements, the chances for new, publicly-owned/accessed recreational facilities and land in the County are slim.

In summary, I am asking you to accept the reality that County residents have a different vision than your committee has and to ask that you devote your remaining time on this committee to make recommendations to improve or augment parks and recreation amenities currently under the City’s jurisdiction, because you owe it to the citizens you represent--the citizens of Laramie, not Albany County.

As to possible, meaningful and practical recommendations to make, you need look no farther than the lack of toilet paper in public park restrooms, in general, and to the dangerously full (and disgusting) port-a-potty at Optimist Park.

If it is not too late to consider, I would like to suggest a location for a new, small park (~6 acres). within the City limits. The land is in proximity to the Grand View Heights subdivision (which has no park), the Rec Center, the Ice and Events Center, LCCC, Basic Beginnings, the new Church of Christ, the new high school and a future elementary school. The best part is that it is already owned by the City! The legal description is Turner Tract, Block 2 Revised Lot 4.

Since the City of Laramie and this committee do not serve Albany County in an advisory capacity, I think it appropriate that this committee eliminate the following text found on pages 11-12 in Chapter 1 of the draft plan:

“The Ad Hoc Committee has recommended within this Plan that Albany County follow the guidance in their own adopted Albany County Comprehensive Plan related to Parks and Recreation issues. Throughout the Albany County Comprehensive Plan multiple recommendations are given, including two of six key Implementation Actions referencing recreation opportunities and development of an open space and trails plan. Other implementation action items such as providing for recreational opportunities, open space and trails, and that plans be developed to support these initiatives are also found in the document.

It is recommended that Albany County follow these already adopted recommendations and goals related to the development of parks and recreation amenities in Albany County. The County should also consider development of a County Parks Plan, which if developed, the City’s Plan should consider the County Plan in a 5 or 10 year update to its own plan or in conjunction with an update.”

Finally, Garfield Street is mislabeled as Snowy Range Road on page 103 in Chapter 5 of the draft plan.

Sincerely,
Kimberly Starkey

Mel Owen

From: lewshinstine@netscape.net
Sent: Wednesday, April 08, 2015 6:08 AM
To: PTRmasterplan
Cc: Mel Owen; Tim Sullivan; tchesnut@co.albany.wy.us; hrichardson@co.albany.wy.us; Peggy Trent
Subject: Zoning

Dear PTR Master Plan Ad Hoc Committee,

Please honor the request of the Albany County Commission and Albany County Planning and Zoning Commission described in their joint letter to you dated March 17, 2015.

Sincerely, Lewis Shinstine

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