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General Public Comment - Group 3

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From: Ron Burd <rpburd@gmail.com>
Sent: Sunday, February 26, 2023 9:39 AM
To: PAD LRP Housing Element; sbcob; Supervisor Das Williams; Hartmann, Joan; Bob Nelson; Lavagnino, Steve; Laura Capps
Subject: Glen Annie and AB 672

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Dear County of Santa Barbara Staff:

I am writing in support of preserving Glen Annie golf course (Glen Annie), and not rezoning it for housing, as is being proposed under AB 672. Glen Annie is one of only two affordable golf courses on Santa Barbara's south coast.

I could go on with all the great reasons, like remaining an open land fire barrier, that it currently uses reclaimed water from UCSB that will not be acceptable for housing, the benefits and other fundraisers held at the golf course and Rancho San Marcos Golf Course having already closed, but I won't.

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From: Elizabeth Estes (kitties2@charter.net) Sent You a Personal Message
<kwautomail@phone2action.com>
Sent: Saturday, February 25, 2023 10:04 AM
To: sbcob
Subject: Support fossil-free new buildings for Santa Barbara County!

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Dear County of Santa Barbara,

I support taking climate action and making new buildings sustainable and carbon-free!

New all-electric buildings will improve people's health by reducing toxic air pollution; combat climate change by reducing greenhouse gas emissions; and improve housing affordability by saving construction costs and lowering utility bills.

A study for the LA Dept of Water and Power finds that "all-electric new construction results in savings of \$130-\$540 per year relative to a gas-fueled home over the life of the equipment."

All-electric buildings are less expensive to build and less expensive and healthier to live in.

Thank you for maintaining Santa Barbara County's environmental leadership.

Sincerely,

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From: Daniela Aguirre
Sent: Monday, February 27, 2023 11:09 AM
To: sbcob
Subject: General Comment

-----Original Message-----

From: Cheryl Rogers <cherplan6714@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, February 24, 2023 1:58 PM
To: Laura Capps <lcapps@countyofsb.org>
Subject: Hello from Cheryl Rogers re Housing Element Update

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Hello Supervisor Capps:

Congratulations on your election. I look forward to working with you in the future as I have worked with your mother over the years.

My present issue is my wish to comment on the County Housing Element. Could you please share my comments with the whole Board as I couldn't find the general contact email.

While I am fortunate to have comfortable housing I have always been concerned about others and have been working for affordable housing while a resident of Massachusetts where I served on a housing commission for 4 years and while a resident of Santa Barbara where I served on the city housing commission.

I believe that the update to the Housing Element which will be setting the goals, policies, and programs for the next 5 years is a great opportunity for the County to establish a plan and set the mechanisms in place to achieve more and better housing for all income levels.

I prepared the Housing Element in the 1990's for the City of Los Angeles and that was before all the recent State housing legislation which is cracking down on jurisdictions to provide sufficient and affordable housing for the expected population increase.

The County must identify potential housing sites and utilize any excess County-owned properties which can be made available for future development including school sites no longer needed. One must just look at the national expected demographics to acknowledge what housing will be needed in the future. We are experiencing a lower birth rate and a higher number of older citizens. That offers some guidance on readiness for future housing as well as school needs.

I do want to say that I believe that we should protect agricultural areas from development as obviously we are the breadbasket of the nation.

Critical to the provision of affordable housing would be county funding to be identified and made available for the future.

I am so very impressed with your background and I know that you will be an asset to our community. Thank you for your service.

Cordially,

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From: Julie Fisher (JisFishing4U@yahoo.com) Sent You a Personal Message
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Dear County of Santa Barbara,

Santa Barbara needs to approve a 10 year phase down of gas and fossil fuel energy supplies (including NOT using black or grey hydrogen which uses oil to produce it). Santa Barbara should switch to Solar, Wind, Tidal, and Wave energy. Look to Scotland and Texas, both of which are kicking California's butt when it comes to clean energy conversion.

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