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Subject: Record Number 217-21-000436-PLNG

Date: 23 July 2021

We wish to state our objection to the proposed plan amendment and conditional use request from Robert and Lani Vanier, Record number 217-21-000436-PLNG.

As property owners, we are aware of at least 7 major aggregate mines already in this area. Do we really need yet another one?

We believe that losing farmland to yet another 'gravel pit,' will negatively impact our neighborhood due to:

- Heavy equipment noise pollution
- Increased dust (when our area is already struggling with air quality)
- Unattractive site disrupting mountain and valley views
- Damage to roads
- Negative impact on groundwater

The community will suffer all the negative impacts with a corporation reaping the benefits.

Thank you for your ongoing efforts to keep Prineville beautiful and a place for families.