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Dear Planning Commission,

First, I commend the developers for listening to the Planning Commission and community feedback regarding the number of homes and the single-story updates to their most current design development submission.

Second, an item that many of us on Michael Way feel extremely passionate about, the trees, specifically the **Pecan #59**. Is there any way the developers can consider a design that would allow for this historical and magnificent protected tree to remain?

From the superimposed map that we made (see below), tree #59 does not interfere with the road plan or any housing footprint. The Pecan tree #59 is especially significant to both properties behind it (1801 Michael and 1805 Michael) and we would like to do anything possible to keep this tree as part of the proposed development. In addition to the wildlife that use this tree, there's no way any tree mitigation efforts could make up for removing a historic tree of such size, age, and beauty. Both residents at 1801 and 1805 Michael Way are eager proponents of saving this tree.

As it relates to 1805 Michael Way, can the developers explain why they want to remove the **Oak tree #63**? This is another protected tree that we were told could not be harmed during our build and we made significant efforts to keep it safe during our construction. It provides needed shade and privacy to our property, especially if new homes were to be built behind us, and it seems far enough from the proposed road to not create a problem for the new community (it's nearly touching our fence).

Thank you for your consideration,  
Alexis Shoemate and David Peterson (advocates for saving #63 and #59)  
1805 Michael Way

David and Lynn Mouser (advocates for saving #63)  
1801 Michael Way

