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Hello!

Please see the public comment below regarding Samoa Pacific Group. I am not sure what agenda number this will be, as the agenda has not yet been posted; please let me know if this is an issue!

“Dear Esteemed Members of the Board of Supervisors:

My name is Lark Doolan, and I would like to comment on the matter of Samoa Pacific Group’s Development Agreement, to be heard at Public Hearing scheduled for December 8, 2020 at 9 a.m.. I am the Superintendent-Principal of Peninsula Union School District, which serves children in the impacted area. As such, I have a vested interest in the safety of our community, particularly its youth.

Samoa is a small town and sees a great deal of pedestrian/foot traffic. When school is in session, students regularly walk to and from school on streets that lack basic safety precautions. Recently, a crosswalk was installed across from the school, and I commend that action. It’s a good step toward increased safety in our town.

I would like to request that the Board consider adding the installment of sidewalks and crosswalks in the town of Samoa, particularly along the main street, to the proposed Development Agreement between Samoa Pacific Group and the County of Humboldt. With the increased car traffic that will come from the suggested Development, sidewalks will do a lot to mitigate the potential for accidents and hazards around town. I feel that this is a high priority for our community and is especially impactful in regards to the safety of children in Samoa.

Thank you for your time and consideration.”

Thank you!

--Tatiana McDermond
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