

Subject **Community Meeting May 18th**
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Good afternoon

I'm a 'bit late to the party' in relation to the proposed new development and it is really only as a result of the 'flier' drops in our letterbox and a chat to a lovely lady involved with the community association yesterday (sorry - don't know her name), that I have become aware of the extent of the development proposal.

Like many others, I have concerns, in particular in relation to the traffic movements and likely significant increased congestion en route to Motueka and Richmond/Nelson.

Given the emphasis on climate change and the clear focus yesterday in the first emission reduction plan on reducing carbon emissions caused by motor vehicles, I am hoping that the Climate Change Minister, James Shaw, has been made aware of the development proposal, which appears to 'fly in the face' of addressing climate change, particularly in an area where locals often need to travel to their workplace, teenagers to Colleges, and there is no readily available public transport. I am hopeful that the local Green party representative is aware of/intends attending the meeting tomorrow.

Thank you for your time/effort in bringing this to our attention.

Kind regards
Kaye Taylor
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