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Sent: Thursday, October 23, 2014 4:53 PM
To: Howerton, Leslye
Subject: BethesdaMasterPlanComments/SacksNeighborhood

Ms. Howerton, I am a resident of Sacks, residing @ [REDACTED] for the past 7 years and hopefully for many,many more. I have lived in the County for more than 40 years.
I'll make it simple, I want to preserve our neighborhood as is period. If zoning changes occur as they will I want the County to take that into account.

There has been talk of the need for more open space in Bethesda and the need for a park @ the end of our street @ Woodmont Ave. I would only agree to such an arrangement if Leland became a cul de sac @ Woodmont Ave., thereby closing Leland as a super highway which it is presently.

There is plenty of open space just south of Sacks & also East of us on Elm, plus the Trail which the Purple line is about to ruin.

Suggestion, send the Purple Line to Bethesda Medical to connect with Metro; make it a dedicated bus route from Silver Spring & save the taxpayers millions.

Personally, I am sick an tired of bureaucrats deciding to make changes to justify their jobs when they are not wanted by the people who are affected. Case in point, more open space in Bethesda. Stop the over-building of high rise & the problem is solved.

We love our neighborhood,as is, please leave our "quality of life" be.

Thank you for your time,

Jay Martin, [REDACTED]