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To: "forted@cityofmerced.org" <forted@cityofmerced.org>
Sent: Mon, Jul 29, 2024 at 2:34 PM
Subject: Walking Bridge

Sending this email in regards to the walking bridge at the end of West 25th St where street dead ends and where the bridge crosses over Bear Creek. I was recently out walking and attempted to walk over bridge but had to stop and turn around due to all the rotten boards(that you walk on along with Safety rails) not only are all the boards in dire repair and all need replacement there are missing boards along with boards that are no longer held together by the spike nails. The bridge isn't safe for anyone to walk upon and needs to be shut down. Thank you

Have a nice day
Neighbors of 1300 block
Of West 25th St.

Also noticed that where the city closed bike path the structures have been removed and heavy traffic is back using it as my home backs up to the bike path which is still having bank slides in other areas now

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City of Merced Council Members

City of Merced

678 W 18th

Merced, CA 95340

I am enclosing a copy of the signed petition requesting street light installation for the area of 500 to 600 block of E 21st Street in Merced, CA.

These streets are a safety issue for the area. I know of another petition that is being started for the area from G Street to 600 Blocks of E 21st Street. I have spoken with the individual that is handling that area. I was contacted after the last senseless death of a 15-year-old bicyclist who was hit and killed because of the lack of proper lighting on East 21st Street.

I have also been asked to speak regarding another issue: The speeding, racing and running of the controlled streetlight intersection at Glenn and E. 21st Street. This issue also needs to be addressed.

Please take our concerns seriously.

Concerned Citizen,

Sharyl Elgin

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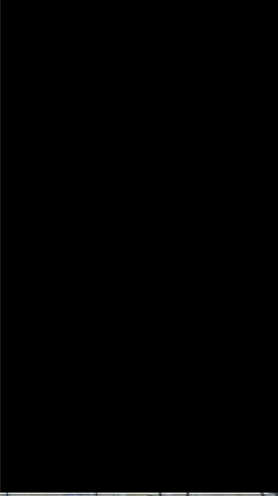

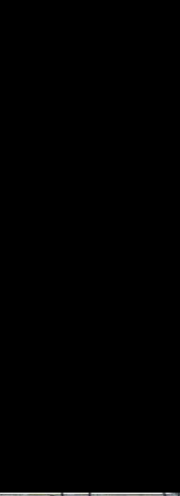
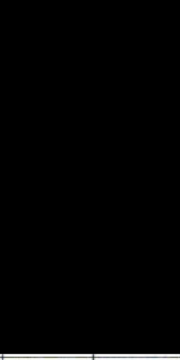
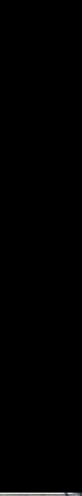
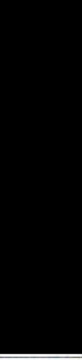
Cc'd: City Manager and Mayor Serratto

Petition for Street light installation 500 to 600 block E21st St Merced, CA

Petition Summary: Install Street lights in the area of the 500 to 600 block of East 21st Street Merced CA 95340 To help illuminate the area and reduce criminal activity.

Action Petitioned For: We the undersigned are concerned citizens who urge our leaders to act now to install street lights in the area of the 500 to 600 block of E21st St Merced CA.

Date	Signature	Printed Name	Address	Comment
7/22/24	[REDACTED]	LUC NOEL	[REDACTED]	
7/22/24	[REDACTED]	JAY SOUSA	[REDACTED]	
7/22/24	[REDACTED]	Elizabeth Sousa	[REDACTED]	
7-22-24	[REDACTED]	Shawna Mattos	[REDACTED]	TYI
7-22-24	[REDACTED]	Pedro Nuno	[REDACTED]	
7-22-24	[REDACTED]	Luis WASQUEZ	[REDACTED]	

Date	Signature	Printed Name	Address	Comment
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7/22/24		Sharon Wilson		
7-22-24		Sandra Westfall		

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7/18	[Redacted]	ARMANDO BARRUELO	[Redacted]	Our house has been broken into 2x. We need better
7/18	[Redacted]	Melissa Banuelo	[Redacted]	our vehicle was Totaled at night. ITS TOO DARK!