

From: [Jeffrey Janis](#)
To: [Todd Tucker](#)
Subject: FW: south of boise sub divisions
Date: Tuesday, March 15, 2016 2:01:44 PM

Todd,

Here's another one sent last week.

Thanks,

Jeff

From: Donald Miller [<mailto:donaldmiller@boisestate.edu>]
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2016 5:09 PM
To: MayorBieter
Subject: south of boise sub divisions

Honorable Mayor:

Years ago I had a rather heated discussion with a certain member of "compass" about building a south of Boise to west of Caldwell connector to handle the flow of traffic on I84, I believed then and still do today that it is a solution to relieve congestion. Her response to me was "Well that can not happen because then developers would want to develop the land out there" . To which I replied " not if the city and county said NO"

I believe that this is one of those times when the city needs to say "NO" very loudly and made it very clear that 'NO ' is what you mean. I have watched this valley be sliced and diced into a little version of Los Angeles, Ca and I think its time to stop building more crappy subdivisions just to increase the tax base. All the services will require large upgrades to keep up and the tax payer will foot that bill. And who ,Pray Tell ,is going to rebuild the roadway system again to get all those commuters from there cozy little bungalows to work in downtown Boise?

What may pass for the norm in So-Cal is not what the citizens of ADA county or Boise need or want at this time. I grew up here, went to grade school , Jr High at (old) West and Borah so I know what once was and it bears little resemblance to what is now.

Years have passed since the old guard of Boise wanted growth to be subtle and controlled so that they could always come home to a quieter and gentler Boise for the weekend.

Dear Mayor please 'Just Say No' to development south of Boise

Thank You for your time

Donald Miller