

March 16, 2018

USDA FS Carson Ranch District
1200 Franklin way
Sparks, NV 89431

Attn: David Drake

Subj: Washoe county School district land transfer

The process used by the FS has been corrupted and needs to start a new.

The EA does not include many very important elements: Public and student safety, traffic flow (the impact on the fire station responding to emergency situations. When someone in my neighborhood calls 911 to request help for a heart attack or report a fire, delays in response due to a traffic tie up is unacceptable). Water drainage is critical to prevent flooding down stream. Loss of night sky views are one of many reasons we chose to live in this area. The FS must follow all the provisions of ELGA and FSH and reject the WCSD application to land transfer.

The FS must restart the entire process including the EA and in doing so require the WCSD to resubmit their application including all plans and documents required by ELGA and FSA.

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