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Shannon Malik Jarmusz

From: Jeff Pruyn
Sent: Sunday, August 25, 2019 9:05 PM
To: Joyce
Cc: Carie Anne Ergo; Shannon Malik Jarmusz
Subject: Re: Haymarket

Joyce:

Thank you for reaching out regarding Haymarket Center's plan to purchase the Holiday Inn-Itasca and convert it to a not-for-profit drug treatment facility.

Your thoughts are important to me. And while making your thoughts known via e-mail is a good first step, the Plan Commission cannot consider your comments unless you submit your thoughts directly to the Plan Commission at its official public hearing for Haymarket's application.

According to Illinois law, the petitioner (Haymarket) has a right to have its proposal considered by Itasca's Plan Commission and the Village Board. Haymarket's application is scheduled to be considered at the September 18th Plan Commission meeting.

During the public hearing portion of the Plan Commission meeting, members of the public will be given an opportunity to learn about and provide comment on the proposal. I encourage each and every interested resident to attend the Plan Commission meeting, so that their comments become part of the public record. The Plan Commission may only consider comments documented during the official public hearing when it makes a recommendation to the Village Board.

The Village has established a dedicated page online to update interested residents and businesses as Haymarket Center moves through the review, public hearing and zoning approval process. If you would like to be notified when new information is available, please visit the Village's web site (www.itasca.com) and click on the Haymarket page to sign up for updates.

Mayor Jeff Pruyn
Village of Itasca

Sent from my iPad

> On Aug 25, 2019, at 3:34 PM, Joyce <[REDACTED]> wrote:



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- > I oppose Haymarket mental health facilities I frequent the springbrook
- > nature path with and without my grandchildren If the village oks this
- > I will not be using it and frankly this will negatively impact my
- > enjoyment of walking in this town PADS often has individuals hanging
- > around the church and I have found individuals lying on the sidewalk Is this what are village
- look like in the future?
- > Are these individuals monitored with their comings and goings?
- > I do not live here to have children exposed to Abnormal behavior if so
- > I would have stayed in Chicago There's enough crime and fear in a
- > metropolitan area DO WE NEED to ADD to IT in our small town??
- > Thank you for reading
- > Joyce Keane
- > What are the benefits the town would gain?
- > Sent from my iPhone

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Village of Itasca

Sent from my iPad

> On Aug 3, 2019, at 3:07 PM, Al Webb <[REDACTED]> wrote:

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> Greetings,

> As a parent, soon to be grandparent , and proud citizen of Itasca I want to express my concern for the proposed Haymarket facility. I put two boys through Itasca schools as well as Lake Park and know firsthand the drug problems and crime that consumes teens in Dupage county. To deny the fact that the drug problems start at Peacock as well as all primary schools in Dupage and carry on through adulthood is naive. We don't need anymore negative influences on our children as well as vagrants and panhandlers every time we want to go to the post office or take Metra to work. We spend enough money keeping Dupage emergency workers supplied with Narcan. I will be there on September 18th to voice my opinion and the people of Itasca expect you to back us up. Please do everything you can to stop this facility from being built.

> Thank you,

> Respectfully,

> Al Webb

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> On Aug 30, 2019, at 4:08 PM, Evelyn [REDACTED] > wrote:

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> Good afternoon Mayor Pruyne. I'm sure you're a busy man so I'll get right to the point. I'm a resident of Itasca and I'm concerned about the proposed Haymarket purchase of the Holiday Inn and the conversion into a substance abuse and mental health facility. I'm sure you've heard from many of Itasca's residents who oppose this and probably some who don't.

> I want to go on record as disagreeing with this venture in Itasca for the following reasons:

> The town is too small to support and sustain such a large undertaking of a facility of this size and nature.

> We don't have enough resources to sustain the needs of such facilities and also take care of the taxpayers needs at the same time.

> Real Estate taxes would have to increase to even come close to sustaining this facility. Our taxes are already too high.

> Our first responders would be sorely taxed trying to keep up with the demands a facility of this size and nature would generate. Our residents who would be paying for all those 911 calls, would be receiving the short end of the stick when First responders are attending to Haymarket. Based on the numbers of 911 calls reported and many others that are not, at the smaller facility situated in Chicago, Itasca's facility would be so much bigger that it's unimaginable how those calls would increase for Itasca.

> This facility would be located extremely close to child centric, public sections of Itasca. The nature of the facility is such that it attracts the criminal element into the community. Anyone saying differently has not researched the data that's out there or met someone who has first hand experience with these elements.

> Itasca's best interest is not being considered and neither is the best interest of Haymarket patients.

> If they want a central location then Itasca is not centered in DuPage but I think they know this.

> I fear that what is being done is gearing up to transfer some or all of the patients to the Itasca location from Chicago and that Itasca would be considered not just for DuPage but the hub for most counties around DuPage, Cook, Will, Kane, etc.

> They have to know that a small town like Itasca will be destroyed if this happens and they just don't care enough. Haymarket can and should keep looking for a town that can sustain and afford all the economic and social, negative impacts that facilities like this one generate. They need to be situated somewhere far away from neighborhoods, somewhere like industrial areas.

> I hope the Itasca Board of Trustees sees the dangers in allowing Haymarket to settle in Itasca and votes No to their proposal.

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> Thank you,

> Evelyn Murphy

DEAR MAYOR PRUYN

08.06.2019

THE WALKING DISTANCE FROM OUR TRAIN STATION

TO THE HOLIDAY INN IS ONLY $3/4$ OF A MILE.

FOR MOST PEOPLE THIS WOULD BE A NICE 20-MINUTE

WALK ON A CONCRETE SIDEWALK, YEAR-ROUND.

WHAT THAT MEANS IS THAT A LARGE "VARIETY"

OF PEOPLE IN CHICAGO COULD BOARD A TRAIN

TO ITASCA; AND THEN, TAKE A LEISURELY

20-MINUTE WALK TO THE HOLIDAY INN.

I HOPE OUR HOLIDAY INN DOES NOT BECOME

A HAYMARKET CENTER LOCATION. THANK YOU.

NORM JAHNKE

(OVER)

EXISTING FACILITIES:

CHURCHES IN ITASCA AND AREA

ALEX BROS MED CTR

MEDINAH / SHRINE'S PROPERTIES

Shannon Malik Jarmusz

From: John Public <[REDACTED]>
Sent: Thursday, June 20, 2019 10:58 AM
To: Shannon Malik Jarmusz; Tom Edwards; Salvatore Gaeta; Jeff Pruyn; Jeff Aiani; Kathy Linsner; Ellen Leahy; Mike Latoria; Frank Madaras; Dino Gavanis; clerk@itasca.com
Subject: Haymarket Center

Do you really want Chicago's drug addicts in your city? Wheaton didn't want it.

Did you know they'll have over 300 beds? How did they get so many licenses? Doesn't medicare only grant 1 license per address normally?

There employee turnover is very high - ask what the length of stay for nurses is, 2 weeks? How will they staff this location? Maybe do research on all the EEOC complaints Haymarket has received and are ongoing.

Hasn't their CEO been sick and out of the office for more than 2 months? What's going on? Why does SVP sleep in her office and then disappear all day?

What's going on with all the recent deaths there?

Do you know about all the complaints from their neighbors? That a local business set up a security camera to try to combat all the problems. The Local 7-11 gets robbed almost every week by people in the program.

Despite specific language forbidding employment of convicted felons in all insurance contracts, Haymarket employs convicted felons.



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Just thought

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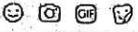


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Jackie Belluomini I don't want it in my neighborhood not with schools, pools, and a lot of other places where kids hang out. I have a two year old I don't want this crap take it some where else

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Gina Molinaro

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At the end of the day no one will commit to a comment because "they can't" but I can. Find another town in DuPage County we aren't it. I don't care if they are offering us monetary compensation for our police and fire department, keep your damn money and drug addicts which by the way bring drug dealers. It does not belong in Itasca so stop trying to jam a size 10 foot into a size 5 shoe. There is nothing you can say that justifies this crack house being brought to Itasca nothing and thats what it is a CRACK HOUSE!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!! This is a small family oriented community that will be destroyed. There is nothing you can say. Our homes, business, families and schools all suffers. The political end is irrelevant and as a community we don't care. Has any one that is in favor of this nightmare lost or witnessed someone that has been addicted to drug???????????????????? I have more than once and they are Mount Carmel Cemetary. Its an ugly disease that brings destruction blg destruction along with it. Drugs addicts will steal, lie and all costs to get what they want and this is what you want to bring into our town with our children. Safety will no longer be an option with these unstable individuals and their drug dealers walking around our town. How about this put this CRACK HOUSE in your town by your wife and children justify that crap. DO NOT TO THIS TO ITASCA, IF YOU DO CONSIDER IT FIRST DEGREE MURDER OF A COMMUNITY.



Patricia Bukowski It's not just Itasca, this whole area will become a ghetto- is this what we want for our kids - really ? We're all crazy about being environment friendly and going green, but we should be ok with turning our towns and schools into ghettos ? You people better wake up !!!!!

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