

Dear Members of the Long Range Planning Committee,

I am writing in support of the study related to possible redevelopment and expansion of the Sunrise facility along N Glebe Rd. As a resident of the region, it is obvious that more housing options are needed for people of all ages, including seniors. As a resident of GlebeWood, I welcome additional investment and development in and around the area that expands housing opportunities, increases neighborhood-serving shopping and dining, and improves walking conditions. While a new facility may be larger, as a county and neighborhood, we should be planning for a growing population.

As part of the study, I ask that locations for additional signalized pedestrian crossings of N Glebe Rd be included. Currently, the distance between the nearest signals at Glebe & Langston and Glebe & 18th is approximately 2,000 ft. In many cases, that distance is too long to offer practical options and many people cross at the seven unmarked crossings between the two signals.

Sincerely,

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