



Fw: Highway 49 bridge project
The BOSFOUR to: Cynthia C Johnson
Sent by: Brenda J Bailey

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ponderosa_manager to: bosfour

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Supervisor Briggs,

This e-mail is to convey my support of a pedestrian/bicycle friendly solution to the current Highway 49 bridge project in Coloma, currently up for your review. The volume of pedestrian and bicycle traffic this bridge sees makes a solution that considers these users an imperative.

Ponderosa Resort is situated on the North end of the bridge. In 2010, we hosted approximately 58,000 campers, many of whom walk throughout our community frequenting the valley's businesses and parks. Similarly, an irresistible photo opportunity exists for tourists who stand at the railing in the center of the bridge snapping photos of rafters and kayakers passing by on the river underneath.

I represent only one of many businesses whose customers' safety depends upon adequate consideration in this important issue. I recognize the difficulty that exists when weighing real costs vs. potential benefits and the tremendous care and diligence you exhibit in making these difficult decisions.

Please count my vote for the installation of a bridge that is appropriate considering its users.

Respectfully,

Dominic Pugliese
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jen calvin to: bosfour

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Hello Supervisor Briggs,

I have learned of a possible redesign of the Hwy 49 bridge in Coloma. It sounds like it may get narrower and lose any room for bicycle or pedestrian traffic.

I am opposed of any restructuring that would cause this safety issue.

Please reconsider this plan.

Sincerely,
Jennifer Calvin
Lotus resident



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Pat Stow to: bos4

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Cc: Tim Madden

Dear Supervisor Briggs,
On behalf of several Coloma/Lotus residence we are expressing a concern over the planned retrofitting of the 49 bridge. Due to heavy use not only by the community but tourist accessing the State Park and the amenities in the town of Lotus we feel it is vitally important to provide pedestrian and bicycle access over the bridge. Removing the sidewalk will not stop the amount of foot and/or bicycle traffic that goes over the bridge. It will just compromise the safety of those who will continue to use it. We are hopeful the board recognizes the importance of our concerns and will vote to keep non-motorized vehicle safety a priority.
Thank you for your consideration.
Sincerely,

Pat Stow, Tim Madden, Chris Madden, Drew Madden, Pat Lahey, Logan Sibbet, Tesa Sibbet, Zach Byars, Finn Anderson, Taven Anderson, Terry Anderson, Tommy Anderson,
Kary Danielson, Britt Farquharson, Erin Eakes