From: Ted Soliday
To: Amy Lacy
Subject: Carpenter Nature Preserve
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Dear **councilor** Amy-

I am writing to ask you to vote "yes" to the bond issue for the purchase and phase one of the Carpenter Nature Preserve. I am very supportive of bringing this beautiful piece of property into our park system.
My family and I have lived in Village Walk for almost 25 years and absolutely love living in Zionsville. As you know in the past 25 years there has been incredible growth in the town.

One of the most positive things (and the most important one in my opinion) about all the changes in Zionsville is the addition of parks and trails during that time period. As a family we utilize and enjoy these parks and trails almost every day.

The Addition of the Nancy Carpenter Nature Preserve would be a wonderful addition to Zionsville.

I would ask that some additional funds be appropriated for biking and walking paths from the current rail trail system. This is important , in my opinion, to increase the number of visitors as well as those without drivers' licenses access to the park. The other positive thing, it would allow access to those people living near the proposed nature preserve biking and walking access to the rail trail and the village.

Thanks for your consideration and your service to the town of Zionsville.

Sincerely Yours,

Best regards,
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