## To Tulare City Council

My name is John Doyer and I am writing this letter in support of the Woodside Homes proposed project at the intersection of Morrison and Tulare Ave. I have been a Woodside Homes employee for 8 years now and have not found a builder who takes as much pride in how we build our homes, develop the communities, and provide safe communities as well. I am not only an employee of Woodside Homes, but I am also a resident of this City for over the last 23 years, and I have worked in the area in question for years. With the approval of this project not only do we get a great builder but we also get a long-needed traffic light and improvements at this intersection, at the expense of the builder rather than the tax payer. I believe this is a win-win for all as we help to address the traffic safety issues with a better controlled environment. We have had way too many accidents at this location due to the poor conditions related to the absence of traffic signal. This project is well thought-out, takes into consideration the traffic related to the project and adds 2 traffic lights one at the intersection of Morrison and Tulare Ave before we even build and another later at Mooney Blvd. and Seminole (new street that will go through) at later date, for which the builder will be bearing the expense. In conclusion this is a good project for city growth and revenue for city of Tulare

Sincerely

John M Doyer

Woodside Homes Customer Service

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February 4,2020

Robert Arias

2298 Channel Reef Ave

Tulare, CA 93274

To: Tulare City Council,

I am writing this letter to recommend Woodside Homes to develop the property at the intersection of Tulare Ave and Morrison St. I recently moved to the city of Tulare from Salinas, CA because of my job transfer. I work For Calfire as a firefighter. My wife has also transferred to Corcoran as a Correctional Officer. We come from a busy very crowded apartment complex where we had a lot of unwanted traffic. We also had to deal with a lot of un wanted vehicles and visitors not living in the community. We had a lot of issues with people coming in and not living in the apartment complex. Also, due to the foot traffic we had a couple items stolen from our back patio. Having a apartment complex in the area will make this beautiful peaceful community go away and have a lot of issues and incidents to this community.

We are also concerned about the intercession at Tulare Ave and Morrison St. Trying to get across has been very nerve wrecking for my wife and my self. We have had a lot of close calls and have also seem a couple of them. With Woodside putting in the traffic light it would bring safety to this community and people traveling through the city of Tulare.

By having Woodside Homes continue building these beautiful homes in this community would benefit this community and also the city of Tulare.

Sincerely,

Robert Arias

February 3, 2020

Michael Mueller 2805 Harbor Island Ave Tulare, CA, 93274

Tulare City Council 411 E Kern Ave Tulare, CA, 93274

I am writing to you today to recommend Woodside Homes to develop property at the intersection of Tulare Ave and Morrison St. My family and I moved to Tulare from Visalia in October of 2018. We moved here to get closer to my wife's work, she is a teacher at Tulare Union High School. Our experience with Woodside Homes has been nothing but positive. From Debbie and Lorna in the sales office, to the project managers Mike and John, they were there every step of the way throughout the building process. And after we moved in, they addressed every concern we had promptly and with a very personal effort of attention to detail. We have been extremely happy with the professionalism that we have experienced with Woodside Homes and wouldn't hesitate to build another home with them.

A specific concern we have with that area is the intersection at Tulare Ave and Morrison St. My family and I try to avoid that intersection as much as we can because it is dangerous. With the high speed of most vehicles coming in and out of town on Tulare Ave, that intersection really does need a street light. Throw foggy days into the mix and that intersection becomes even more dangerous. Both of my kids went to school at Sundale and it took the tragic loss of a students' life to finally put a stop sign at the southeast corner of that school. We need to recognize ahead of time those areas that have that kind of potential for tragedy and act before that happens again.

In conclusion, I think allowing Woodside Homes to develop on that property would be a positive move for the city. They are a top-notch community building company that puts an emphasis on building a quality home and keeping their home owners happy.

Thank you for hearing me and your attention to this subject.

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Sincerely,

Michael Mueller

## Debbie Buckmaster

From: Melissa Jones <melissa@legacyrealtypartners.com>

Sent: Tuesday, February 4, 2020 12:54 PM

**To:** Debbie Buckmaster; John Doyer; Craig Jones

Subject: Letter

## To Whom It May Concern;

We are writing this letter in support of Woodside Homes and their desire to build an additional development as well as fund and install a traffic light at the intersection of Morrison and Tulare Avenue in Tulare, CA. As a first responder family with two young boys, we feel strongly that an additional development would continue to strengthen and improve the community close to our home. Since moving into the Woodside neighborhood, we have loved meeting and living near other families like ours who have a strong desire to keep our family and community safe. Safety is a huge factor for our family because of the type of work I do. And to see that other military, first responders, and police have chosen Woodside as their home location, says a lot about their development. Our neighbors take pride in the upkeep of their homes as well. We've found that the Woodside area we built our home in, occupies middle to upper class income families, and we are encouraged by Woodside's desire to build because it will bring in more of the same demographic. Tulare is an up and coming city. When we moved from Southern California, we chose Tulare because of the new growth we saw and the dynamic of the neighborhood. We were also familiar with Woodside's excellent reputation, their amazing customer service, and the quality of their homes. In addition to the new development, we love that Woodside is dedicated to the safety of the community because of their willingness to install & fund a traffic light at Morrison and Tulare Ave.

This light is of up most importance to us. We drive through this intersection daily and our 6yr old's school bus stop is at that very intersection. The presence of the proposed traffic light will not only strengthen the safety of our community but also these young children who are dropped off there on a daily basis.

The fatal accident that occurred just last week at this very intersection, is a prime example of how dangerous this intersection has become. What makes this accident even more worrisome, is that it happened in the middle of the afternoon on a weekday. It wasn't a result of drunk driving in the middle of the night, or inclement weather. It was due to speeding. And what scares us, is that it could of been our son's bus, a young family, or anyone from our community that could have been involved. With Morrison now becoming more of a thoroughfare for Alpine Vista school and Mission Oak High School, we are experiencing more traffic. It only makes sense to install a traffic light at this intersection to protect those driving daily on this route. It will without a doubt increase the safety of our family and those here in the community. This is why we are in full support of Woodside's desire to install a light at this location.

Thank you for taking the time to listen. We hope you will support this development and continue to increase the safety of this community.

Sincerely,
Firefighter/Paramedic Craig Jones & Melissa Jones

# Jackie Davenport

From:

Jack Jacobson jr. <jackjacobsonjr53@yahoo.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, February 4, 2020 11:23 AM

To:

Jackie Davenport

Subject:

City Council

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Jack and Debora Jacobson Sent from my iPhone

On Feb 4, 2020, at 11:03 AM, Jackie Davenport < Jackie. Davenport@woodsidehomes.com > wrote:

Hi Jack, You can just send it to this email, thanks!

Jackie Davenport Community Advisor CA DRE # 01505862 Spanish Oaks Community 3031 Cape Canyon Avenue Tulare, CA 93274 Phone: (559) 329-5272 <image001.png>

# **Jackie Davenport**

From:

Yesenia Grijalva <y\_grijalva@msn.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, February 4, 2020 11:14 AM

To:

Jackie Davenport

Subject:

Support for new development

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Best wishes,

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## **Debbie Buckmaster**

From:

John Doyer

Sent:

Tuesday, February 4, 2020 1:01 PM

To:

**Debbie Buckmaster** 

Subject:

FW: Support for new development

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From: Jackie Davenport < Jackie. Davenport@woodsidehomes.com>

Sent: Tuesday, February 4, 2020 12:24 PM To: John Doyer <JohnD@woodsidehomes.com> Subject: RE: Support for new development

John,

Please see email below, thanks

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