



# CITY OF SPARKS

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## REQUEST TO ADDRESS THE CITY COUNCIL

Date 1/27/20

Agenda Item No. Public Comment

Name Marsy Kupfersmith

Address (Optional) \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip Code (Optional) \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (Optional) \_\_\_\_\_

I represent (Optional) \_\_\_\_\_

I am in attendance concerning: Comments on SSCAC

I do not wish to speak, but wish to note my position in favor \_\_\_\_\_ or in opposition \_\_\_\_\_

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Date 11-27-19 Agenda Item No. 4

Name Linda Platshon

Address (Optional) 1914 Rosemary Dr.

City/State/Zip Code (Optional) Sparks, NV 89434

Phone (Optional) 345-5589

I represent (Optional)

I am in attendance concerning: impact statement

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January 27, 2020

**Mayor Smith  
Members of the City Council**

## **IMPACT STATEMENT**

### **THE ISSUE**

Lately, more RVs, campers and large boats have appeared on Rosemary Drive and surrounding streets near Katherine Dunn E.S. Rosemary Drive is a school zone for Katherine Dunn students where many youngsters travel daily to and from school. The concern is many of these sports vehicles are parked either on the street or in driveways. **They are dangerous because they obstruct the view of drivers using this busy streets. It is also difficult for people to see the young children when backing out of their driveways.**

### **ACTIONS TAKEN**

**Casey, Code Enforcement Administrative Assistant, Joe Rodriguez, Code Enforcement Advisor, and Chere and Brian Simpson, Code Enforcement Officers** have been very helpful in having some sports vehicles removed when they obstructed the sidewalks. Some campers remain on the street obstructing traffic and **officers from Sparks PD** patrol the area to issue citations. People then park their sports vehicles in their driveways.

### **IMPACT EXPLANATION**

**Removing these sports vehicles from the streets and driveways would greatly decrease the chances of little children on bikes, skateboards and razors being struck and even killed by drivers trying to avoid these obstructions.** There are facilities where these sports vehicles can be stored for the safety of our community.

Thank you for your time in allowing me to voice my safety concerns for the children, parents and families in our community **Perhaps, in the future the code could be revised to create safer city streets or our school population and our community.**

**Linda Platshon  
1914 Rosemary Drive  
Sparks, NV 89434**

**Cell (775) 345-5589**



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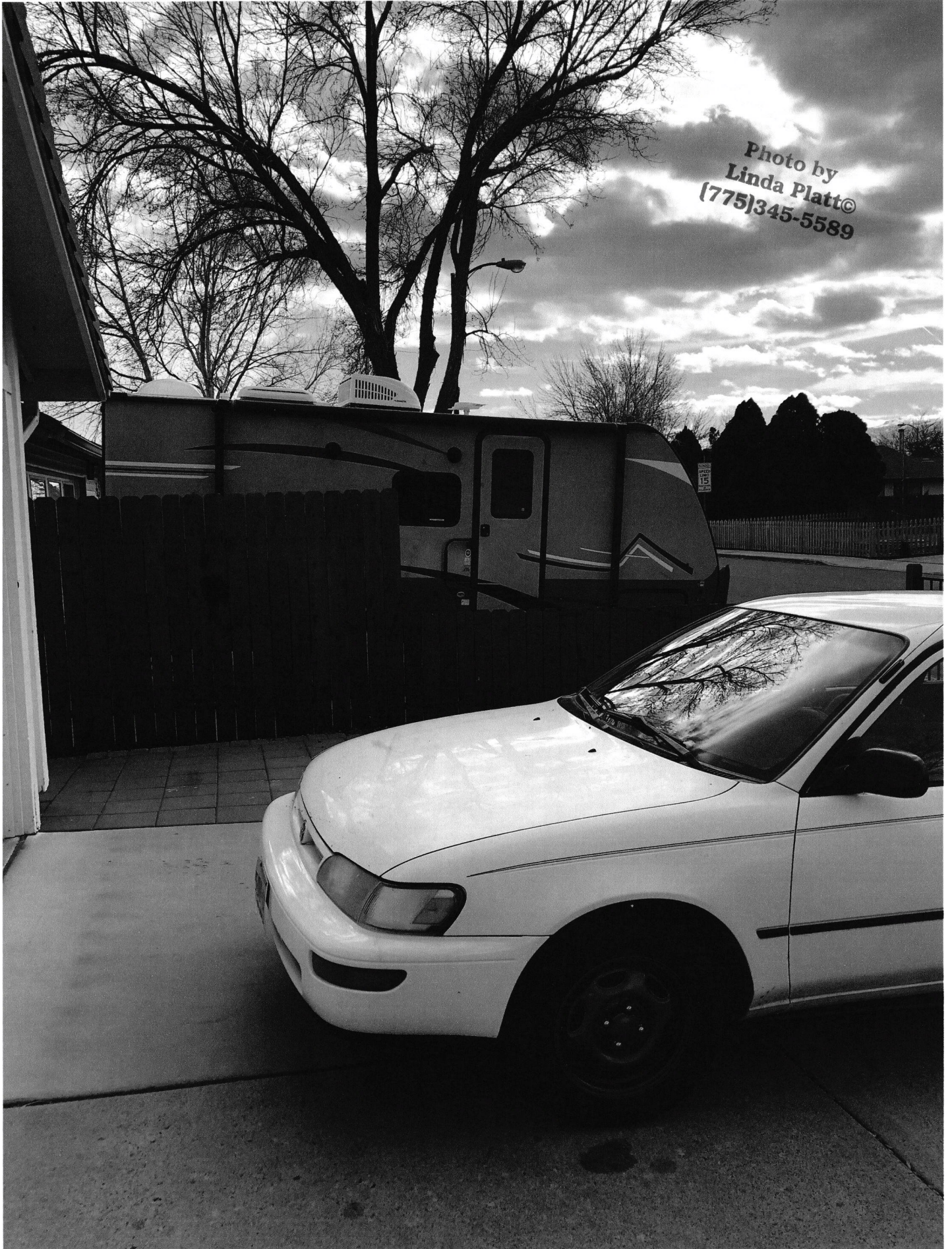




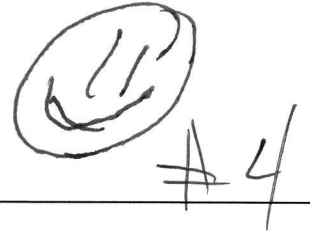
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Name Grant Denton

Address (Optional) \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip Code (Optional) \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (Optional) \_\_\_\_\_

I represent (Optional) Kernan Det

I am in attendance concerning: \_\_\_\_\_

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Name Ranci Vigna

Address (Optional) 10613 Panther Creek Dr

City/State/Zip Code (Optional) Sparks, NV 89434

Phone (Optional) 775 351 3227

I represent (Optional) Sparks Pop Warner

I am in attendance concerning: Karma Box

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Name CARY DEMARS

Address (Optional) 3730 KINGS ROW #406

City/State/Zip Code (Optional) RENO NV 89503

Phone (Optional) 775 544 8058

I represent (Optional) VAREP, STOPDROPPUSH.ORG

I am in attendance concerning: KARMA BOY PROJECT

I do not wish to speak, but wish to note my position in favor \_\_\_\_\_ or in opposition \_\_\_\_\_

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Name Robin Delaney

Address (Optional) 520 South Rock Blvd.

City/State/Zip Code (Optional) RENO, NV 89502

Phone (Optional) 775.470.0444

I represent (Optional) Henry Schein Inc.

I am in attendance concerning: Karma Boxes in Sparks

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Name Bin BRANDT

Address (Optional) \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip Code (Optional) \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (Optional) \_\_\_\_\_

I represent (Optional) \_\_\_\_\_

I am in attendance concerning: KARMA BOXES

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Name Laura Thorwarth

Address (Optional)

City/State/Zip Code (Optional)

Phone (Optional) 610-724-8426

I represent (Optional) NV Census 2020

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