

Dear City Council Members,

My name is Brian Jarrells and my wife, Nicole, and I live in Lowertown.

We feel that Lowertown is a vibrant place and love the ability to walk to the Farmers' Market, restaurants, and the Xcel.

We are excited about the new baseball stadium and believe it will be a positive addition to the neighborhood. However, we also have concerns that the construction will eliminate parking crucial to sustain the Farmers' Market. As you know, the elimination or reduction of nearby parking would likely reduce patronage as people tend to avoid activities that are inconvenient.

I am not familiar with all of the details of City's plan, but would hope that any potential negative impact on the Farmers' Market was considered and addressed during the planning stages. If not, I would encourage the Council to explore the issue and adopt a plan addresses all of the stakeholders.

Regards,
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