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To the Shoreline City Council

I have been to two meetings on the 185th street station. The only reason I found out about the meetings is because I noticed a flyer posted on the fence of the Ridgecrest park about the play area remodel, went to some meetings and subsequently joined the Ridgecrest Neighborhood Association. I spoke both times about the traffic increase that will occur on 10th Ave. where I live and surrounding streets on the south side of 175th. However the north side of 175th will see the worst traffic & the housing height limit changes. Most of these people don't know how the proposed zoning changes are going to affect them. To my knowledge the city has not sent notices to the affected residences except the monthly city news flier. It only seemed to have vague information regarding meetings about the two stations. It did not say how these two stations will affect our community. The flyer seems to have only positive information about the city, nothing regarding any problems or specifics. At the last meeting woman spoke about the parking garage that will be built that will hold 500 cars which she says is half as much as is needed. If she is right then there are going to be a lot of people looking for parking on surrounding streets within walking distance to the station. The city council listened to those who had concerns and yes, they were business like but did not seem to be concerned with the speakers concerns. These are the citizens of this city. I understand that, like it or not, growth is coming, that this is a complicated and large project and it is difficult to foresee & foretell the future but there are some consequences that can be seen today. This information regarding traffic, rezoning, etc. the stations will bring to the city should be distributed to all Shoreline residents in an individual mailing before the council makes it's decision.

I would appreciate your consideration,

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