

Miranda Benson

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To: Miranda Benson
Subject: Islamic Center in CS

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Miranda Benson,

My message is "**not to permit the build**" of an Islamic Center off Woodman Road in Colorado Springs neighborhood.

One of the reasons for opposition is that Mosques "call to prayer" which may be sounded pre-dawn to post-dusk hours, five times a day, and this sound would create quite a friction between the landowners in this residential neighborhood and the Mosque. I have included one example of the call here for your review <https://orangefreesounds.com/call-to-prayer-in-istanbul-sound/>.

Additional concerns are traffic, parking and the access of potentially non-US Citizens to the 14 elementary schools within 5 miles of 7610 Maverick Road, Colorado Springs, CO.

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List of Nearby Elementary Schools

| <u>School Name</u> | <u>Address</u> |
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| Turman Elementary School | 3245 Springnite Dr |
| Oak Creek Elementary School | 3333 Oak Creek Dr W |
| Monroe Elementary School | 15 S Chelton Rd |
| Giberson Elementary School | 2880 Ferber Dr |
| Monterey Elementary School | 2311 Monterey Rd |
| Edison Elementary School | 3125 N Hancock Ave |
| Rudy Elementary School | 5370 Cracker Barrel Cir |
| Columbia Elementary School | 835 E St Vrain St |
| Keller Elementary School | 3730 Montebello Dr W |
| Stratton Elementary School | 2460 Paseo Rd |
| Adams Elementary School | 2101 Manitoba Dr |
| Champions at Da Vinci Academy | 1234 Academy Blvd |
| Ascent Christian School | 5678 W Colorado Ave |
| Discovery High School | 9101 Discovery Dr |

Opposing this permit is not about religion, it should be about the incongruity of the fundamental, documented, espoused doctrine and values it promotes, in opposition to our US Constitution and Bill of Rights.

Kind Regards,

Kelly Tullos