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To Whom It May Concern --

Many legitimate reasons have been raised in objection to this project. There is little or no argument that all of the following will be negatively affected by the development of this hotel:

- parking; the project does not accommodate its own needs, so it will take it from the neighborhood
- noise; the project can only increase the noise in this quiet neighborhood
- traffic; Winslow is already literally bursting at the seams
- light; a 24-hour hotel facility can only create more light pollution
- water & sewer; additional burdens for an already-overtaxed system
- character; fundamental, irreversible change to the nature of the neighborhood

All of the above come at the expense of the local neighbors like us.

The larger question is whether we as a community are willing to cede the small-town nature of Winslow in this residential neighborhood to the drumbeat of progress. Once this project has stuck its toe in the door, others will follow. Indeed, if successful, the likelihood of many projects like this inn the coming years is 100%.

City Hall approving this project is City Hall saying "We're OK with this neighborhood not being like this neighborhood any more in the future."

We join the many local residents in answering this larger question with a resounding "No!"

Respectfully submitted,

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