

Johnson, Thad A

From: Bill Condon <bcondon@lamar.com>
Sent: Wednesday, April 10, 2024 4:42 PM
To: Butler, Geoffrey H
Cc: Chronister, Lisa M; Welch, Sarah; PL, Subdivision and Zoning; Mark Stonecipher; Ward7; Ward8
Subject: SPUD-1613 - Formal Protest

You don't often get email from bcondon@lamar.com. [Learn why this is important](#)

Geoff,

Good afternoon!

In light of what Lamar Advertising was informed by Councilmembers Stonecipher and Nice at the City Council meeting held on Tuesday, April 9th during the final hearing for PUD-1949, please let this email service as Lamar Advertising's intent to formally protest SPUD-1613. We were informed by council in the meeting that the city will no longer allow this type of off-premise signage within a SPUD rezoning. Lamar Advertising agrees with the city's staff report dated April 11th. In addition, the proposed signage on the property violates state and federal laws.

I apologize that I can't attend the meeting in-person due to a scheduling conflict. Please let me know if you have any questions. Thank you!



Bill Condon / Senior VP / Territory Manager
bcondon@lamar.com / Cell: 405.210.1256

Lamar of Oklahoma City

Office: 405.528.2683
123 NW 50th Street Oklahoma City, OK 73118
lamar.com/Oklahoma City



Johnson, Thad A

From: Johnson, Thad A
Sent: Monday, May 6, 2024 12:45 PM
To: Johnson, Thad A
Subject: FW: daisymay1962@verizon.net

From: City of OKC <info@okc.gov>
Sent: Monday, May 6, 2024 9:37 AM
To: Planning Admin <PlanningAdmin@okc.gov>
Subject: daisymay1962@verizon.net

Message submitted from the <City of OKC> website.

Site Visitor Name: Deborah Vine-Smith
Site Visitor Email: daisymay1962@verizon.net

To whom it may concern:

I am shocked to of have read that Oklahoma City is not only building Legends Tower at 126 stores above parking and retail, but a host of other buildings not once mentioning in the article that Matteson is adhering to Bird Safe guidelines such as [DesignGuide_Standards_for_Bird_Safe_Bldgs.pdf](#) (sfplanning.org) and [birdsafebuildings.pdf](#) (darkskysociety.org). Meanwhile, allowing it's LED signage's is adding unnecessary Light Pollution that harms more than just migratory birds, but trees and other wildlife, not to mention blocking us all from viewing shooting stars, milky ways, and more. One Billion Birds Die From Building Collisions Every Year. Scientists In Oklahoma Are Using Radar To Find Solutions | KOSU
Does Oklahoma City use the "Astrophile Series" for street lighting as mentioned in this article Meacham: Crossroads LED reducing light pollution with new approach (oklahoman.com)?
Oklahoma Dark Sky Parks & Places | Stargazing & Astrotourism (go-astronomy.com)

Other Resources to peruse:

Live bird migration maps - BirdCast

Lights Out - BirdCast

What is light pollution? | DarkSky International

PAG-033-En.pdf (iucn.org)

IDA guidelines <https://www.darksky.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/03/IDA-Criteria-for-Community-Friendly-Outdoor-Sports-Lighting.pdf> .

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=H0BdHYhj58c> Jane Slade and Light Pollution

FYI: Not long ago I reached out to the Conference of Mayors and Governors asking they ALL Take the

Pledge to address Light Pollution!!!! Now I ask that the City of Oklahoma not allow only Not allow LED signage on the Legends Tower, but to request that Matteson's structural design be Bird Safe!!!

Respectfully,

Deborah Vine-Smith

From: Charles Everett <itkilvu@netscape.net>
Sent: Thursday, May 23, 2024 1:16 PM
To: Planning Admin
Cc: info@aoarchitects.com
Subject: Legends Tower

[You don't often get email from itkilvu@netscape.net. Learn why this is important at <https://aka.ms/LearnAboutSenderIdentification>]

It would be peak Murica to have a tower standing 1,907 feet constructed in the heart of Tornado Alley, just waiting to be blown down by an actual tornado.

Charles Everett, Bridgewater, NJ
908-552-8032