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TO:	Mayor Foy and Council
FROM:	Pam Hemminger, Chair, Parks and Recreation Commission
RE:	Development Application: Wilson Assemblage
DATE:	November 18, 2004

At the November 17, 2004 meeting of the Parks and Recreation Commission, the Commission voted (4-3) to recommend that the Council approve the Special Use Permit for the Wilson Assemblage development with the stipulation that the applicant provide all of the required recreation area on site. The Commission believes that the applicant should work with the staff to ensure that the recreation amenities provided are improved active recreation space.

Mr. Blalock, Mr. Brooks, and Ms. VandenBroek dissented, recommending that the applicant should be required to meet the active recreation requirement through a combination of improved recreation area on site and payment in lieu. They noted that the payment in lieu funding component would have a greater community benefit, perhaps at Cedar Falls Park.

The Commission appreciates the opportunity to review development applications.

<u>Present</u> Pam Hemminger, Chair Terri Tyson, Vice Chair Terry Blalock Cory Brooks Faith Nager Pete Schwartz Diane VandenBroek <u>Absent</u> Bob Broad Paul Caldwell Jerry Neville Andrea Rohrbacher