Argument in Favor of Measure

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Ensuring a sufficient and affordable water supply for Hesperia residents/is essential. Actions by

state and regional authorities have hurt Hesperia's ability to use the water rights that have been

purchased over the years to support Hesperia residents. Because of these drastic changes, it is

vitally important that development be carefully planned. This Measure would keep residential

density at a manageable and sustainable level while at the same time protect the rights of property

owners. Residential development directly affects water availability in all communities.

Residential development has had positive impacts by providing quality housing for Hesperia

residents. However, higher density development negatively impacts Hesperia's ability to provide

adequate and sustainable water, fire, and police services to our residents -- most importantly water.

Because higher density developments create an even greater demand for water, an unplanned

approach to higher density development will lead to increased water rates for current Hesperia

residents as well as a difficulty in purchasing enough water rights for the community in the future.

Careful planning for the future will help to ensure that Hesperia continues to be a community that

is balanced and responsible in its approach to growth and development.

Larry Bird

Hesperia resident

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