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Subject: OPPOSITION to the proposed Hayden Lake Marina Expansion
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To Whom it May Concern,

We are emailing in regards to the proposed Hayden Lake Marina expansion, we are OPPOSED. We are full time Hayden Lake residents and neighbors of the marina, 6 docks past (east) of the marina to be exact. We personally, nor anyone in our neighborhood, has been contacted by the marina for our input on this proposed project. Only 2 people have been contacted regarding this issue in 2.5 years, not very neighborly. Please be assured the response from their neighbors is NOT positive. They have shown they have no regard for the community they are a part of by not communicating with us, and the fact that the main reason for the expansion is return on investment, as stated by their operations manager in a meeting with a concerned member of our community. The impact of traffic, both boat and vehicular, is vastly underestimated. Hayden Lake is a smaller lake and both the Hayden Lake and E. Hayden Lake road are already at capacity during summer months. But the marina owners are from out of the area (CO and FL) so what do they care. We live here year-round because we want to, it's where we choose to be, where we purchased our homes and pay handsome taxes to live on this beautiful lake. We have kids and grandkids, family and friends we want to share this experience with, SAFELY and enjoyably. Are they not required to adhere to the same permitting requirements and impact studies as private parties? And what is the zoning in place where they are wanting to expand? There is already a noticeable increase in litter in the water and on the roadside over the last 2/3 years. Nothing good will come of this expansion if it is allowed to go through except for the lining of people's pockets that don't even live here or have an interest in the good of Hayden Lake and the community. Thank you for your time.

Kindly,
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