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To: Planning and Zoning; Perillie, Michelle; Young, Mary; Ezzes, James; Wong, Elizabeth; Newman, Josh

Cc: Mandell, Matthew; Tait, Chris; Purcell, Kristin

Subject: Text Amendment 846 and 222 Hillspoint ZBA Decision

Date: Sunday, November 3, 2024 1:08:29 PM

Dear Planning and Zoning Commission and Zoning Board of Appeals,

I am writing in support of Text Amendment 846 which will allow Old Mill Grocery (OMG) to continue to use picnic tables and serve ice cream out of a cart.

I am also writing in support of upholding the P&Z decision for Retail Food establishments to allow limited liquor sales, specifically as it relates to OMG, a discussion which will continue at the next ZBA meeting this month.

OMG is a cherished and historic local business that serves many neighbors in my district. It seems as though a couple of neighbors are opposed to both of these issues, with the ultimate goal of putting OMG out of business. Their interests should not be put ahead of the many residents OMG happily serves. Hundreds of people donated to save the building, and hundreds more have written in to support the text amendment.

I fully support OMG and SVE with regard to both of these issues.

Respectfully,

Andrew Bloom

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