

February 26, 2010

Michael Tambrina President, Ridgetop Commons HOA 4162 Timber Log Way Fairfax, VA 22030

Re: Ridgewood – Townhouse Traffic Impact Analysis

Mr. Tambrina:

Based on our January 28th meeting with you and the other members of the Ridgetop Commons Board of Directors, we took the liberty of engaging a traffic engineer to research the impact of proposed townhouses at the Ridgewood project. We asked the Vettra Company to run trip generation computations for two scenarios: first, the project as approved with a large office component and smaller retail and residential, and second, the proposed townhouses that we have recently discussed.

I believe you will be pleasantly surprised with results of Vettra's analysis. To briefly summarize, the proposed townhouse option will greatly reduce traffic generated by this site. This is especially apparent during the morning peak hours, when there is more than a ten-fold reduction in trips when compared to the approved office. Overall, daily trips are reduced by 1880, in other words an 87% reduction in traffic from the approved condition.

I have enclosed copies of Vettra's memo and supporting analysis for the rest of the board members. We are available to attend additional Board meetings as you see fit. Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

Pétér J. Olechnovich Project Executive KETTLER Inc.

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