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Donald Pilmer
Chair
City of Aurora Planning and Zoning Commission
44 E. Downer Place
Aurora, Illinois 60505

Regarding: Casefile Number: NA20/1-23.005 – PA/A/RZ/CUPD

Opposition to Annexation Agreement for 5.4 acres located at the southwest corner of Liberty Street and North Eola Road for Car Wash Pro Designers Development

Dear Planning and Zoning Commission Members:

Aventine Associates is the owner of Aventine at Oakhurst North, a Class A, 464-unit apartment community located at 2800 Pontiac Drive in Aurora. Aventine at Oakhurst North is located directly across the street from the proposed car wash.

Aventine Associates is vehemently opposed to this proposed zoning change. Oakhurst North and the surrounding community consists of highly valuable homes, a school, parks, a church, and athletic facilities.

The proposed car wash is out of character with, and is a far inferior land use, the highly attractive Oakhurst North community. The proposed car wash will materially and negatively impact property values and the character of the neighborhood.

Should you have any questions, I may be reached by email at <u>jcohen@haymanco.com</u> and 248-879-7777 and 773-316-2138.

Sincerely,

John Cohen

Senior Vice President

The Hayman Company, as authorized signer for Aventine Associates