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Dear Mayor Weatherly and Apex Town Commissioners:

I am writing on behalf of the residents of New Hill to express our disappointment at the action taken by the Town of Apex last week with regard to requesting that Cary delay the vote to condemn private property for the Western Wake Regional Waste Water Treatment Facility.

A group of New Hill citizens attended the Apex Town Council meeting on Tuesday, June 21, 2005. Those citizens were told that the Town of Apex would send a request to Cary for a 30 day delay on the vote. Those citizens trusted that the Town of Apex would act in good faith. That trust has been abused.

Instead of forwarding a written request to the Town of Cary, Mr. Weatherly chose to have a telephone conversation with Mr. McAlister. I believe this was a conscious act? Mr. Weatherly had to be aware that by failing to make the request in writing, it would not override the letter he sent (dated June 3, 2005) agreeing to the site selection and allowing Cary to move forward.

I would be curious to know on what data Mr. Weatherly based his decision to agree to the site selection on June 3, 2005. Did he read the reports? The information set forth by the engineers (in Technical Memorandum 8.0) conducting the site selection clearly shows that at least three sites on Progress Energy property are more suitable than the site selected by the Town of Cary acting as lead agency for the Western Wake Partners. Did Mr. Weatherly examine the data and ask how a site in the center of New Hill became the preferred site (in Technical Memorandum 8.1)? If so, what data did he examine, as there is no public data available bridging the recommendations in TM 8.0 and TM 8.1?

Sincerely,

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