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Good Morning,

I am a current resident of the Melody View neighborhood and it has been brought to my attention that a juvenile correction facility is being proposed nearby. With the governor stating this a "major step," I am shocked that the surrounding neighborhoods have been kept in the dark about this. However, this doesn't come as a complete surprise as our community lacks any representation. With our alderwoman removed from office, this appears to be a sly attempt to quickly relocate the facility with a quick vote on Friday. The previous location was opposed because the community DID NOT want this in their neighborhood. I suspect ours will have similar reservations about locating this facility near our homes. What does this facility have to offer to our local community? How will our home prices be affected? How will this drive future development? How will this affect our taxes? I'm sure these questions have been asked by the residents of the previous proposed locations and met with unfavorable responses.

Is there a way our community can get representation before this rushed vote on Friday?

Has information been provided to the community besides a news article that was published 2 days before this vote?

Why are the elected officials who DO NOT LIVE OR REPRESENT the district making decisions without community feedback?

And to be clear, I am **opposed** to this location.

Sincerely,

Jeff Fiala