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Subject: Lompoc Farmland

Dear City of Lompoc Officials and all fellow Lompoc residents:

I'm deeply saddened and alarmed to hear the City of Lompoc intends to build hundreds of homes on prime farmland. It is apparent there are plenty of opportunities inside our city limits to accommodate new housing. Farmland cannot be reclaimed and we suffer for it as a community and as citizens of this battered world. Enough! It is important to me and everyone I've spoken to, that this NOT HAPPEN! We are NOT Los Angeles. We do NOT want further overcrowding and destruction of what makes Lompoc beautiful and unique. NO to the destruction of farmland. NO to the unimaginable water use these new homes require. Yes to conscientious and minimal impact to our town. We are not the ARMPIT of this county. We are the salt of the earth, hard working, and heartbeat of what makes this country worthwhile. Think with your hearts. Not pocketbooks. Our children deserve it.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely, Lee A. Knodel
43 year resident.

"Always remember you are absolutely unique. Just like everybody else." 🙌 ❤️ 😊