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From: Bob Petersen [mailto:bob.petersen@gmail.com]
Sent: Tuesday, May 02, 2017 10:23 PM
To: Planning Service <planning@losaltosca.gov>
Subject: Written comments for 1378 Garthwick Ct project

Dear planning division,

I am looking forward to our new neighbors moving in and wish them all the best in their house building. My feeling is that we should support upgrades and remodels as long as they reasonably fit into the neighborhood and do not impact neighbors' views and privacy.

For this remodel, since I am not deeply familiar with the plans, I am comfortable that the planning division will be able to determine whether each of these is true. What I request is that we verify that the neighbors on the left and right do not have obstructed views and the second floor does not reduce their privacy. The neighborhood currently is mostly one story homes of around 2000 square feet, and most of the few two story homes are carefully architected to appear smaller and not impede their neighbors. I would like to see us preserve those aspects of the neighborhood and not set a new precedent.

Regards,
Robert Petersen
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