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TO: Mr. Jack Delius, Director  
Parks & Recreation Department

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FROM: President of Lincoln Homes and Bolton Hills Homes  
Area Block 14-Northwest Perry Homes Service Center, EOA

RE: RECREATION

In reference to an article in the Atlanta Constitution by Alex Goffin, around April 1, 1967 concerning additional play-lots in the city, much of the Northwest area of Atlanta, bounded by Ashby Street, Bankhead Highway, and Bolton Road seem not to be considered. Last year this same area was given little consideration. It seems that those who cry the loudest are quickly satisfied by (small amount of spoon feeding) tokenism.

This readily can be seen by the vast amount of play-lots that were established in the Vine City and Summerhill-Mechanicsville areas.

We are urging you to take an open view of the lack of recreation in our community. There exists vacant land around us. This land could certainly be useful to the children. As concerned parents and citizens, we wish for you to deal with this problem immediately. For your department to be considering only one play-lot in the Perry Homes Housing Project is unrealistic.

CC: Mayor Ivan Allen, Jr.  
Rep. William Alexander  
Sen. Leroy Johnson  
Mrs. Eliza Paschal

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