

October 25, '67

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Mrs. Charles F. Schmidt

470 Franklin Rd. N. E., Atlanta, Georgia

Dear Mr. Aldredge:

In lieu of my conversation with you last Monday - I too felt compelled to put in writing our feelings regarding rezoning petition # 7-67-101-FC, the NE corner of Franklin & Roswell Road.

It is indeed a pity that the Old Salem apartment developers could not leave well enough alone! If they had any love for their beautiful city, they too would contribute their part by beautifying said corner instead of turning it into another asphalt jungle! One only has to look up & down Roswell Road to see what has taken place there last few years. You will have to agree, there are many areas that leave much to be desired. If sound planning isn't put into effect immediately, it will not be long before Roswell Road will turn into another Coney Island!

It is sad that "some" business  
adventurers are looking for  
capital gains — at the expense  
of others, with no consideration  
given to the homeowners! They  
care less — for as in this  
case, The Tennessee Oil Co., hearts  
are not involved in this  
community as those who  
live within. The who  
live in this neighborhood are  
mightily proud of it — and as  
homeowners<sup>and</sup> taxpayers, we are  
continuously improving our  
property — not destroying it!  
Our only desire is that those  
who will be developing it  
further — will feel the same  
way. That's not asking  
for much.

As we travel throughout this  
land of ours (which is extensive),  
everyone we meet makes  
reference to Atlanta as —  
"Beautiful Atlanta!" The  
too hope those responsible  
for her future — feel likewise.

Sincerely,

Mr. <sup>and</sup> Mrs. Chuck Schmidt

Copies sent to:

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Mrs. Edith Henderson, Atlanta Journal