

Attachment A: Summary of Public Comment

There were no public comments received at the public hearing for this application on Tuesday, October 24, 2023, after proper noticing procedure. However, significant public outreach, including the public meetings outlined below, has been performed regarding this project prior to the final formal hearing and Commission approval of the application.

- 11/29/21 – Gallatin County Staff Housing Meeting
- 3/4/22 – Gallatin County Commission Meeting: Goal Setting
- 4/29/22 – Gallatin County Employee Meeting: Goals/Research Sharing
- 5/23/22 – In Person Meeting with Neighbors and Interested Parties
- 5/25/22 – Virtual Meeting with Neighbors and Interested Parties
- 7/6/22 – Gallatin County Commission Meeting: Ideation
- 8/9/22 – Gallatin County Commission Meeting: Continued Ideation

Public comments received at these other public meetings or in writing and taken into account in the project design are summarized below.

- Preference for the daycare to be located near Oak Springs Park and emphasized as a way to activate the park, connect to the existing urban fabric and create a positive “face” for the new neighborhood.
- Contribute to improvements for the existing neighborhood park(s)
- Support public pedestrian access/connectivity through the site
- Contribute to the public street network
- Provide adequate parking
- Be a good neighbor and consider an appropriate buffer and/or transition to existing adjacent neighborhoods
- Limit the height of new development to integrate with existing adjacent neighborhoods
- Mitigate traffic issues caused by dense development in the middle of the City