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Dear Members of the Planning and Town Council:

At last night's planning board meeting, the topic of selling (or giving) a town owned parcel of land to a private developer to facilitate the construction of homes off Gerrish Drive came up. I am writing to share that, as a tax payer in the town of Durham, I whole-heartedly object to the idea of selling town assets at below market value to assist a for-profit development project. It may very well be that the right course of action is to transfer ownership of the parcel but it should be done at fair market value. Anything less gives the unsavory impression of favoring the project and could easily be construed as a mismanagement of town assets.

Thank You,

Kim Sweetman