

To Whom it May Concern-

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One of the best philosophers was Immanuel Kant. Kant's philosophy most fitting now is the Categorical Imperative. With this idea, universalizability (everyone could/should act the same way), human dignity (don't just use people) and reciprocity (consider fair from all perspectives).

When one considers the Categorical Imperative with regards to the proposed 507 acres, it is simple to see it is just plain wrong.

The high density development of 507 acres would bring in thousands more people into the area. This large increase in population would have a huge strain on infrastructure such as increased traffic, overburdened water supply, excess waste water and drain on emergency services. All these factors will directly affect the environment.

Deforestation and displaced wildlife will occur. The Hudson Valley landscape will forever change in Monroe. With these

changes, an increase of flash flood will be a reality. The Ramapo River cannot handle the increase water that would flow into it.

The 507 acres in this proposed annexation is zoned for single family homes. The buyers of this property had to be aware of this zoning. The current zoning should remain.

To follow the Categorical Imperative, Monroe residents outside of KT would not act in the same way. People in the area buy homes or build homes in the given zoning. Human dignity is at risk here. Monroe will be paying for the increase infrastructure needs and there will be a loss of money to the school district. Reciprocity? Is this annexation fair for all parties? No! The only ones will benefit are the people of KT. KT is only one part of the whole town of Monroe.

Please, no annexation! Sincerely  
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