



Great Falls Public Schools

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Cascade County Public Works Department, Planning Division
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To Whom It May Concern;

Great Falls Public Schools has received the letter requesting input on the Special Use Permit Applications for the Foothills Ranch Phase III Subdivision (Lots 8-11) located southeast of the City of Great Falls. These applications were submitted by Signature Homes LLC, to construct townhomes on each separate Parcel. The Foothills Ranch Phase III Subdivision is located within our school district boundaries. The following is a response to the information sent to the Great Falls Public School District. We have formulated the questions below to comment on the proposed subdivision.

1. Will the existing school facilities be able to accommodate the additional students?

The addition of the development will have a positive impact on the Great Falls Public School District. The additional students, who we can accommodate, fall within the Mountain View Elementary, East Middle and Great Falls High School attendance areas. These schools will be able to accommodate the additional students.

2. Do you have any other comments or requirements on the proposed subdivision as it affects the public-school system?

The school district may have to add an additional bus route or adjust an existing route to serve students from this expanded subdivision. We currently have bus service to the area.

Sincerely,

Brian Patrick
Director of Business Operations
Great Falls Public Schools