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Luke, Scott,

Unfortunately, Bruce Baker is the only decent council member speaking up on behalf **OF** residents regarding the water treatment plant and the Uplands corruption project.

The "new" City Council got elected to circumvent the last bunch from approving the Uplands and from approving the Water Treatment Plant. Unfortunately, we got a bunch of hypocrites and liars in this newest batch of city councilors.

Why bother to show up to City Council meetings, when the only thing going on is the city council people prostrating themselves and sucking up to any and all:

1. Developers
  2. Out-of-State hedge Fund Investors
  3. Municipal Bond Investors looking to rape the residents with another expensive and inefficient "water treatment plant"...
- etc.

The only council member showing ANY respect to the residents happens to be Bruce Baker!

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(By the way, I just submitted my paperwork to be a candidate for Westminster City Council...the present city council, except for a couple of people...SUCKS!)

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Well, a second reading for the water treatment plant “designers/consultants”... is that what is on the agenda, or has that vote already gone through?

I think most Westminster City Council members (and mayor) have put more thought and interest in finding their favorite pizza place than in discerning what would make a “NEW” and multi-million dollar water treatment plant necessary or viable. That is really a shame. More than that, it is completely irresponsible, as well as being unethical and probably even criminal. After all, handing out multi-million dollar work contracts to favored firms in an uncompetitive format is one of the most corrupt and criminal things that a city official can do.

I still can’t believe that a consulting firm can be paid to review its own work and then decide to give itself another multi-million dollar contract to do even more work.

This is like saying that I want pay myself to give myself a job performance review, and then based on the favorable review that I give myself, I want to, then, go after another job that pays me around \$17 million, with the intention that I will then be available for all updates and addendums for any future work to the tune of 10% on another \$400 million or so.

Just plain disgusting.

The designers/consultants are not even offering great or even good results...just expensive, land-intensive, and run-of-the-mill solutions for MEGA BUCKS.

PATHETIC!

And probably criminal!

Sincerely,  
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