From: <u>Michael Behrendt</u>

Subject: Parking ordinance - email from Carol Birch **Date:** Tuesday, April 23, 2019 5:19:43 PM

To the Planning Board,

Please see the email below from Carol Birch.

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----Original Message----

From: Francis Birch [mailto:frankbirch17@comcast.net]

Sent: Tuesday, April 23, 2019 5:08 PM To: Karen Edwards; Michael Behrendt Subject: parking in neighborhoods

Dear Michael and Karen,

I was really upset and confused by this peculiar proposal to what seems to me like increasing student parking in the neighborhood. If anything, we need fewer cars parking in our neighborhood.

I thought all of those apartments downtown were built to decrease the influence of the students in the neighborhoods and to attempt to preserve our sense of neighborhood.

Turning neighborhoods into parking lots certainly defeats that purpose.

And, of course, what will happen to the property values?

I am totally against that proposal and do hope it is defeated.

Thank you for your consideration,

Carol Birch 17 Garden Lane