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To: "ross.halligan@como.gov" <ross.halligan@como.gov>

Dear Mr. Halligan,

I am writing to express my opposition to the short-term rental license application for the property located at 802 N. Sixth St.

Columbia is facing a housing shortage. Converting existing long-term units into short-term rentals further depletes the available inventory for permanent residents. This reduction in supply, coupled with high demand, has contributed to the skyrocketing rental costs we have witnessed over the past several years.

I hope that the city can prioritize the protection of affordable, long-term housing options to ensure the continued stability of our community.

Sincerely,

Mara Aruguete

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