
Kudos to Kruger

I just wanted to give Harold Kruger a little pat on the back for his article regarding the Gold Village problem in the foothills. He is absolutely correct in questioning the ability of the CSD to provide water and sewer services for an additional 5,000 homes. Yuba Highlands is a bad idea. Period. End of story.

It may jeopardize Beale Air Force Base, we aren't sure because the reports aren't finalized yet. It will certainly stress the Spenceville wildlife area to a

point where it will no longer be a place to get away. It will be filled with spandex and Lycra clad bikers, hikers, and joggers who never knew Spenceville existed until they bought their homes. It is not Bidwell Park, it is a wildlife area and should remain such. The traffic problems haven't been addressed.

The roads in Yuba County are not the best but try putting 5,000 or more commuters into the mix and lets see what happens. Fire protection is another valid concern. I suppose they could always just pump their raw sewage on the wildfires to save their homes. These are just a few of the valid concerns that Yuba County needs to answer before they allow this exploitation of the foothills. Don't let this become the latest in a long list of bad development decisions. The rewards just don't outweigh the costs. Remember It Flows Downhill.

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