## **Eric Cooper**

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**Sent:** Thursday, January 9, 2020 2:35 PM **To:** 'ecooper@townofcanandaigua.org'

**Subject:** concern-creation of a dangerous traffic pattern-Development on Ashton Place

Hi Eric,

My name is Jim Thompson. This is a follow up email based on our meeting prior to Christmas concerning the development that may be occurring on Ashton Place. I live on the corner of Ashton Place and West Lake Rd. My address is 3380 West Lake Road. The problem is that if Ashton Place gets developed further a dangerous traffic situation will occur. This will be due to various conditions. The first condition is I can only back out of my driveway because of the property lines and an existing deck. The second condition is that the traffic traveling north on West Lake Road travels at high speeds. This combined with the hill makes it difficult to see the approaching cars. The third condition is the traffic that exits from Ashton onto West Lake Road often doesn't stop completely. If the cars do stop and if I happen to be backing out at the same time hand signals are often used trying to communicate with the other driver as to who will go first. This creates confusion and an increase risk of an accident. These problems will intensify if Ashton Place is developed because there will be an increase in traffic flow in that area. I would also like to be notified of the progress and status of the development and of possible meetings in the future.

Thank You,

Jim Thompson