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To: [City Clerk](#)
Subject: General Public Comment regarding the proposed SRO housing development in Greenbrae
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CAUTION: External Sender

Dear Larkspur City Council public comments,

A San Francisco developer has indicated they will apply with the state to build 43 single-room-occupancy units at 1251 South Eliseo using Marin County and Project Homekey funds.

Families will *not* be welcome. This is a lifetime of housing exclusively for 43 single adults in a neighborhood where many working class families struggle to pay their rent.

This is not transitional housing to help the homeless get back on to their feet. This is permanent housing without any requirement for the residents to partake in mental health or substance abuse support services and without any requirement to work or pay rent.

This development is not meant to serve our community. It is meant to bring in and house homeless adults from other communities. There are not even 43 homeless people in Larkspur according to the official Marin county tally.

I urge the city council to become fully informed on this matter and to consider taking an official position that Larkspur prefers a development that helps local families get back on their feet, rather than provide a lifetime of free housing to single adults from outside our community.

Sincerely,
Mark Schulman
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