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Good morning,

I am a resident of The Groves at Whittier. I wanted to submit comments and a request to the city council to oppose the CUP request made to permit a church to operate at 11750 Whittier Blvd.

I believe there was not adequate public outreach conducted by the applicant and city planners regarding this project. Our community was never notified of the public hearing process for this CUP case and we are incredibly disappointed that a vacant commercial lot zoned for mixed-use is planned to be taken up by a church, despite the presence of about 4 other churches within the vicinity. I believe this commercial lot could be put to more suitable uses by a different retail business, one that would add much more productive, lively, and positive activity within the area- one that is accessible and used by all community members equally.

I hope you will take this comment into consideration.

Thank you,

Esther Lim