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Subject: "Wildlife Feeding Ordinance."

Dear Commission Members: We are writing to urge your support of the pending "Wildlife Feeding Ordinance." We have lived in Placitas for more than 40 years. For most of those years, there were no horses roaming around our neighborhood. Now horses are here every day. It's easy to see where they have been grazing due to the damage they have caused to the environment. The current drought is problematic enough without their added destruction. Moreover, protection of the environment is not anti-horse.

In addition, as Placitas becomes more densely populated, the potential for dangerous vehicle/horse encounters increases.

We see the proposed Ordinance as a well-thought out and reasonable approach to a problem in our community. Thanks for your consideration.

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