

Public Comment for Upcoming Commission Meeting

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**Comments:**

What has happened to the once lovely idea of COMPROMISE? Those that hate the horses should really try to get along with the ones who accept them as part of the lifestyle in particular parts of Placitas. That's community - at least as it once was here in Placitas before our population increase. The old Placitas is gone. It was quite lovely. To redeem some semblance of a sense of community, however, it's possible to COMPROMISE: Commissioners, please work with P&Z, the Sheriffs Department, and any other appropriate office to exert influence on NMDOT District 3 to put up at least 10 highly reflective road signs alerting drivers that wild horses may be in the area and to watch out for them. The speed limit can remain at 45mph from mile marker 4 all the way into Placitas Village. An ordinance must be enacted to fine any driver who hurts a feral horse (designated as wildlife here legally) to pay a fine of \$1000. This information must be on the reflective road signs. People won't pay attention to their driving unless there are consequences posted --- seems, unfortunately, hitting people in their pocket books may be the only way. We know that the horses bolt if spooked. Drive carefully and don't spook them. We are, hopefully, the intelligent factor in this equation, so let's be intelligent about it. COMPROMISE!