To: McKownville Association Officers

From Don Reeb

Subject: Two Items--Quadrini and Western Ave RFP

Date: November 9, 2001

I would like you to read these and let me know what you think before I send them out.

I have no answering machine at home but at the university it is 442-4738 and my e-mail address at the university is dreeb@albany.edu. I do not tend to use either of these much anymore now that I am retired but they exist and if you cannot get in touch with me at home I can be communicated with through those.

Quadrini first. It is important to get letters to the Town Zoning Board to get the proposal changed. Please get your neighbors to write and if you can, write again or call, etc. How about someone writing to the Altamont Enterprise about the Quadrini proposal?

Next--the RFP. The RFP for widening Western Avenue is out. I have a copy and included the non-legalese part (7 pages out of about 20 pages) in your packet. Share it if you wish. This is a big issue and I think we need to make much noise--inlcding letters to the editors of the local newspapers. If that is OK with you I will do that one.

We need another public meeting to set up a planning committee to study the kinds of changes we want to occur. We also need names. When?

I will go ahead with these letters and notes and send them forth unless you tell me I should not. I want to get them out--maybe Monday?--if I hear from most of you by then. Anyway read quickly and let me know what you think. Oh--if I am being too pushy--let me know also.