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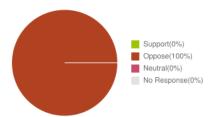
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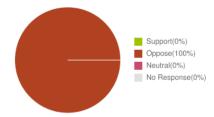
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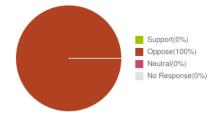
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David Loken

Location:

Submitted At: 2:11pm 09-14-22

Reiterating my comments to Supervisor Burgelis:

I have to reiterate in the strongest of terms that demolishing the Coggs/Schuster building and putting a surface lot (here or anywhere) on Vliet would be just about the most foolish action the county could possibly take there. This block is one of the most physically intact remnants of Bronzeville before the freeway gutted it, and it's literally just

across the freeway from the rapidly re-developing Deer District.

Beyond the financial implications for the county, nothing would do more to kill any growth further west than putting multiple blocks of surface parking there in addition to the loss of a nice historic building that could probably see some excellent adaptive reuse (see the Schuster building on MLK). Some other residents make an excellent point about the county being able to lease space as opposed to this plan in a much more cost effective manner which also preserves this structure (and ultimately the entire city block) for revitalization instead of hammering the final nail in its coffin with a parking lot.

If the county goes through with this demolition and construction of a surface lot they'll have totally lost my faith in county government.