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**To:** Mitchell Englander (mitch@mitchenglander.org)  
**Subject:** Important re Community Care Facilities Ordinance

Hello Mitch,

A few years ago, I sent a letter to former Councilman Smith in support of the Community Care Facilities Ordinance. This communication is to advise you that New Horizons is in support of the September 13, 2011 ordinance draft.

New Horizons has owned and operated licensed, six bed group homes for adults with developmental disabilities since 1977 and have a stellar reputation in our community. It is imperative that the City Council and PLUM committee know that the legitimate group homes support the ordinance.

Thank you so much for your attention and for your concern for the health and safety of our neighborhoods.

Sincerely,

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