

Dear City Council Members:

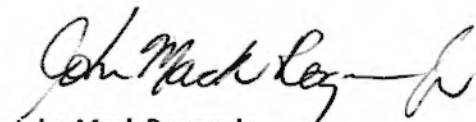
Please vote NO on the request for rezoning property at 1110 Loberg Lane Jonesboro, AR 72401 for Chris Ishmael. As you know, rezoning should only occur in extreme circumstances. The 1.36 acres at 1110 Loberg Lane Jonesboro, AR 72401 is adjacent to the Scenic Hills Subdivision, Oaklawn Cemetery, and Grace Memorial Garden. Mr. Ishmael was fully aware at the date of purchase that this property is zoned R1. If you vote yes, you are placing scenic and historic resting places for the citizens of Jonesboro at harm.

I know that a large majority of our council members have family and/or friends that are laid to rest in Oaklawn Cemetery and Grace Memorial Garden. As a council member and American citizen, please perform your duty and make an informed decision. Go to the top of the hill at Oaklawn Cemetery and observe our American flag waving in the wind and notice the numerous monuments surrounding our flag. Now, read the writing on the monuments- you will see veterans laid to rest who have fought in WWI, WWII, Korea and Vietnam. Also notice how clean and serene our cemeteries in this area are.

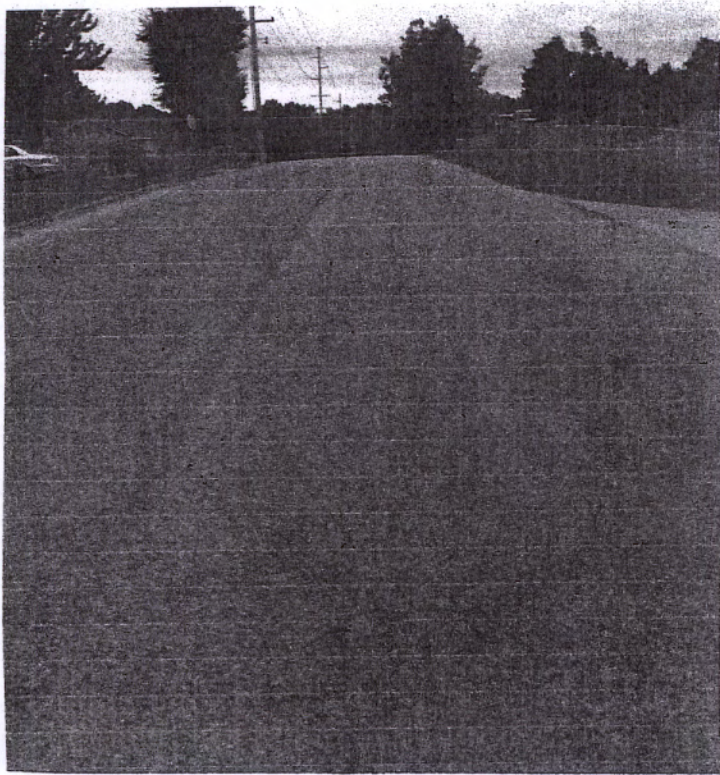
Council members, if you vote yes, you are saying yes to more traffic, noise, litter, vandalism, and crime which will consume these sacred places. You are also saying yes to destroy beautiful trees and vegetation in this area resulting in flooding and erosion.

Thank you to our city employees who work so hard to clean, mow, and maintain Oaklawn, Grace Garden, and other cemeteries in this area. If your council members vote yes, you will work even harder! Citizens of Jonesboro, you will soon see your tax dollars rise in order to maintain these areas because of Mr. Ishmael's proposal while he reaps the benefits.

Vote No!



John Mack Rogers Jr.



On road @ property
Looking south

Looking north



