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I am very concerned with the latest efforts to maintain the RV encampments along Ventura Avenue. I reside roughly 7 miles away from the Ventura Avenue area in question and in the last couple of months, 2 of the temporary residents on different occasions, walked down to our neighborhood and attempted to tamper and steal mail from the mailboxes off of Creek Road. For reasons beyond my understanding, I was told the police simply drove the alleged thieves back to their RVs by Ventura Avenue/Crooked Palm. Please don't allow the RV encampments to remain. And don't say its displaced fire people because it isn't.

My question is where is the thought out plan to protect the tax paying residents as well? This Board of Supervisors has routinely passed laws protecting animals through the Wildlife Corridor Plan as well as our environment through the Compete Street Plan but the best you can come up with is to temporarily permit people who are already borderline infringing on parking/camping laws as it is?

Some of my Supervisors are very wary of NIMBY (Not In My Backyard) but how about promoting reasonable, safe policies rather than bandaging it with temporary permits? Why not create safe, long-term parking spots in a number of our parks? Oh right, that takes money away from the County. That also might make the County look bad to tourists. Seems as if the County has a case of NIETT (Not If it Effects Taxes and Tourism).

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