

PLEASE SHARE WITH OTHERS

Support the Jesuits!!!

Thank you for all your calls and emails of support. It means a great deal to us. This decision, if we are not granted the petition, will hinder our ability to further our ministry at St Mary's and to live out our call as Jesuits. If this does not pass, it means that only four Jesuits would be able to live together.

If you would be willing, it would be greatly appreciated if you were to do the following:

1. Contact the members of the Ann Arbor Planning Commission: planning@a2gov.org;
2. Contact the City Council members of Ward 2:
 - a. Sally Hart Petersen: SPetersen@a2gov.org or [\(734\) 996-5569](tel:7349965569)
 - b. Jane Lumm: JLumm@a2gov.org or [\(734\) 677-4010](tel:7346774010)
3. It might also help to share your views with the Ann Arbor mayoral candidates:
 - a. Sabra Briere: [734- 995-3518](tel:7349953518) Sbriere@a2gov.org
 - b. Steve Kunselman: [734 975-4604](tel:7349754604) SKunselman@a2gov.org
 - c. Sally Hart Petersen: (already listed above)
 - d. Christopher Taylor: [734 834-3600](tel:7348343600) CTaylor@a2gov.org
4. Pray that God's Spirit will continue to work through all of this.

(Here's a group email for your convenience—just copy and paste): planning@a2gov.org; SPetersen@a2gov.org; JLumm@a2gov.org; Sbriere@a2gov.org; SKunselman@a2gov.org; CTaylor@a2gov.org.

Here's a draft of something you might say or write (you might also refer to the attached 2 page "FAQ's about the Jesuits' petition for a home"):

My name is _____ and I live in Ward ____ (or address in Ann Arbor). I am calling/writing in support of the Jesuits' petition to receive a special exception use so that they can live at 1919 Wayne Street. I have known the Jesuits for _____ years and believe they would not only be good neighbors but also continue to contribute to the well being of Ann Arbor as they have for the past ten years. (Offer any personal anecdote you think appropriate.)

I also ask that you change the date of the Planning Commission public hearing and vote so that all members of the Planning Commission can be present to hear and vote on this very important issue.

Again, I ask that you please vote (or encourage the vote) in favor of the Jesuits' petition.

Thank you very much.

Also, and even more importantly, would be to ask you to come to the next City Planning Commission meeting scheduled for **Tuesday, June 17 at 7:00 pm at City Hall** (or the possible revised date to be determined). We need as many people as possible to show the Planning Commission how much support there is for this petition of the Jesuits.

If you are a member of the Oxbridge Neighborhood Association and/or live in Ward 2 and are willing to support the Jesuits' petition, please contact Fr Dan Reim, SJ at: dreim@smspnewman.org.

Please forward this email to others.

Thank you very much.
God's Peace.
Fr Dan Reim, S.J.