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While I appreciated the idea of walkable communities, I strongly oppose the addition of the walk score. It is hard enough to find property in the western region that meets all the other criteria as so many western counties are comprised of small towns and rural areas. The addition of the walk score may make it virtually impossible. Come the mountains and try to find a suitable site that is affordable and meets the walk score! By putting the walk score in place you are automatically discriminating against mountain counties. This may work for metro areas and flat lands but it is definitely going to hurt many of our western counties. Please consider removing this criteria.



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