# Think traffic in concord Is bad now?

Just wait until the township supervisors allow development in Beaver Valley.

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\*View looking south on 202 from Route 1

\*View looking south on Route 1 towards 202

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# What the Proposed Development Means to You

THE RESIDENTS HAVE NOTHING TO GAIN AND EVERYTHING TO LOSE, WHILE THE DEVELOPERS HAVE EVERYTHING TO GAIN AND NOTHING TO LOSE.

#### DEVELOPING BEAVER VALLEY IS WRONG FOR CONCORD

- The development will add more than 1,000 residents to our township overnight as well as thousands of additional automobiles crossing our township each day.
- The planned big box store will bring thousands of non-residents into our township every day.
- This will cause a significant increase in traffic congestion on Rt 202, Rt 1, and secondary roads.
- 202 will require a very expensive widening in order to accommodate the increased traffic. Local and state tax payers will fund this.
- There will be an increased need for services like police, fire, sewer, and infrastructure maintenance.
- The state police are already overburdened and will be unable to handle the additional pressure this will bring. Will we need our own police force?
- The development will add hundreds of students overnight to our already overburdened school district.

#### WHY YOU SHOULD CARE ABOUT OPEN SPACE

- Beautiful places make Concord Twp a desirable place to live and help support property values.
- Great hiking and biking trails are a city's largest asset. Compare this to central park in New York City.
- It's the last large piece of open space in Concord Twp. Do we want it destroyed on our watch?
- Destruction of natural resources and wildlife should be of great concern for everyone.
- > Open space defines the identity, mood, and character of our community, according to Concord's own open space report.
- Your grandchildren might like to hike and bike on unspoiled trails one day.
- Other townships\* adjacent to Concord Twp have extensive trail systems of their own. Concord Twp has none. If we acquired the Woodlawn wildlife preserve, it would be our first. \*Thornbury Twp has Martin Park and Bonner Park; Middletown Twp has Darlington Trail and Rocky Run Trail.

#### Learn more at:

- > savethevalley.org
- beavervalleyconservancy.org

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## **Upcoming Events**

-August 10: Open Space Music Fest (purchase tickets online at savethevalley.org or at the gate for \$5 more)



-More events at savethevalley.org

IF YOU WANT OPEN SPACE YOU HAVE TO VOTE FOR IT.

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