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From: Linda Turner [lpdturner@gmail.com]
Sent: Sunday, October 07, 2012 8:23 PM
To: Ravalli County Commissioners
Subject: sign ordinance

To the Commissioners,

Please add my "vote" against the new sign ordinance allowing billboards on county roads. I, like most others, live here because of the unspoiled beauty of the countryside, beauty that would be utterly destroyed by the presence of large signs on the roadsides. I am in full agreement with the Roubiks' arguments regarding the distractive capacity of such annoyances. If a billboard were to be posted on my street, it would surely alter the serene tranquility of the neighborhood. I chose to live here largely because of the absence of such unsightly and unnecessary offenses to the ambience of the Bitterroot environment. Please don't allow that to change so a few groups can call more attention to their messages. We have newspapers and radio stations for that purpose and most of us are aware of the issues already. Preserve the beauty of our valley and please vote "no" on the proposed sign ordinance.

Thank you,
Linda Turner
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