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Acton Zoning Board of Appeals
472 Main Street
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Dear Members of the Zoning Board of Appeals:

On July 14, 2008, the Board of Selectmen received an update from Stephen Joncas, Executive Director of Common Ground Development Corporation concerning the conversion of the Towne School to affordable housing units. It is our understanding that Common Ground has filed an application for a Comprehensive Permit

Mr. Joncas informed the Board that the project will consist of 17 units and all the units will count towards the Town's 10% affordable housing goal.

The Selectmen urge the ZBA to look favorably on this application as it will convert and restore a long neglected Town treasure by providing needed affordable housing units in the community.

Once again, we urge your approval of this project.

Sincerely,

Lauren S. Rosenzweig
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Cc: Stephen Joncas, Common Ground Development Corporation
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