



# Letter to the Editor

## Schuetz Parkland petition is on-line

I have made two presentations regarding the Schuetz Parkland. I will make a third presentation in the E.D. Locke Public Library Community Room at 7 p.m., Thursday, Jan. 11, 2007.

I invite all the residents of McFarland to attend. This issue is critically important to McFarland's future, and the current administration is leading us in the wrong direction.

I ask you to do two things: go to [www.forwardmcfarland.info](http://www.forwardmcfarland.info) to learn more about this and other issues facing our village, and attend my presentation on Jan. 11. You can also sign a newly-established on-line petition in favor of the Schuetz Parkland.

There is a link to this petition at [www.forwardmcfarland.info](http://www.forwardmcfarland.info). Click

on the "Schuetz Parkland" tab, and you will find the petition link.

There are many of us who believe the current administration's refusal to exercise the option to purchase the Schuetz Parkland is not in the best interests of McFarland residents.

It is not the kind of thoughtful, forward-looking decision residents expect of their elected officials. It is the goal of my presentations to assist you in making your own thoughtful decision.

The discussions at each presentation have been lively and enlightening. I hope you'll come on Jan. 11, bring your friends and neighbors with you, and take part in a grassroots democracy movement that's growing larger every day.

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