At its March 24 meeting the Zoning Committee heard an application from the owners of a four-story home at 1524 Naudain Street seeking a variance to operate a Visitor Accommodation that would allow them to rent their entire home to others for short terms when their family is not occupying it. The City's zoning code prohibits Visitor Accommodations in RM1 zoning districts. This prohibition requires that an applicant demonstrate a specific legally defined hardship in order to secure a zoning variance from the City to use the property as desired. The Zoning Committee meeting was attended by many neighbors who expressed their opposition to the request. The neighbors cited a desire to maintain a family-oriented, neighborly street, a safe, healthy environment, and a desire to maintain social cohesion on the block. The Committee voted to oppose the application. Decisions of the CCRA Zoning Committee are communicated to the City's Zoning Board of Adjustment which has the final say on the issue. The applicants chose to withdraw their application after this process was completed.