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Submission Cover Sheet

Draft Variation 345 - Mawson Group Centre: Zone changes
and amendments to the Mawson Precinct map and code

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From: Cate McDonald
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Cc: [President WVCC](#)
Subject: Planning for Southlands (Mawson)
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Dear Committee

I am emailing to provide my views on the planning for Southlands Draft Variation 345.

I feel it is vital to retain the southern and eastern surface carparks because parking availability is central to the centre's convenience and function. The southern carpark is also frequently used by families supporting their children's sports on the adjacent ovals. These carparks are already at their maximum capacity as on many occasions it is difficult to get a park. This shopping centre is not only used by local residents it is frequented by many South Canberra and Tuggeranong residents on their way home from work.

It is also important identify open spaces within the centre and maintain the open courtyard and alfresco eating. I hope all issues are taken into account prior to finalising the Plans for Southlands.

Kind regards

Cate McDonald

Local Resident