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Subject: FW: The Gasser Foundation - No Place Like Home

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## [EXTERNAL]

The NIDA, (The National Institute on Drug Abuse), has issued a list of Rules and Regulations for Residential Treatment Programs for those addicted to drugs and alcohol. These rules include, but are not limited to:

- 1. Mandatory attendance to all therapy, work study, and group programs. These programs are to be conducted in-house by appropriate professionals.
- 2. Complete abstinence from all drug and alcohol use.
- 3. 24/7 Professional in-house staff, with the exception of a full-time medical professional.
- 4. Residents must have permission to leave the premises, give their destination and return at the specified time.
- 5. A full time designated person to administer drugs as needed.

No Place Like Home does not meet these, and several more basic standards for housing persons of risk, those addicted to alcohol and drugs, or the mentally unstable. This does not only pose a threat to the surrounding neighborhood, but does not meet the treatment standards for their residents.

We of the Southeast Neighborhood Association, strongly oppose this facility.

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