Bee Cave City Council faces an unprecedented level of public outcry at local car dealership Covert's plans to build a facility on Highway 71 between Nitro Swim and the Falconhead West entrance - west of Bee Cave.

On Tuesday the 12th a large group of local protesters spoke against the preliminary plat being approved by City Council, a plat which was rejected.

Groups are being formed to fight against the development on the grounds of aesthetics and traffic issues - primarily out of the Falconhead West and Homestead neighborhoods.

Significant coverage can be found on the BeeCaveBee on Facebook page HERE , on the protester's Facebook group page and via a petition page being organized at change.org
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When contacted, Falconhead West developer stated that he was "opposed" to this development and when asked "In view of the road safety issue would you be prepared to entertain connecting a "frontage road" linking Covert (if approved), Nitro and Golf and Guitar to Vail Divide?" he replied - " Absolutely not and already turned them down awhile back. Let them and the other business you mentioned spend over a million dollars making safety improvements to SH 71 such as a continuous center turn lane, acceleration lane and deceleration lane like I voluntarily did for Falconhead West at the intersection of Vail Divide. Even with that a car dealership with a brightly lit site next to a residential neighborhood is not compatible and should not be located abutting the neighborhood. The Coverts need to move on."