

Submission time	First name		Email	Do you live in this town?	Answers	Feedback	Photo
2026-01-06T22:13:39.922Z	Key			Yes		Thank you. *****	
2026-01-06T01:57:25.084Z	David			Yes		refuge, and sanctuary for people and wildlife within a jungle of concrete, asphalt, heat, traffic, and over development. No number of jobs will make this ok. If you want Hello, I'm writing to vehemently oppose the conversion of any part of Enterprise South Park to anything, much less industry. This is a crown jewel of the area, a retreat, jobs, open more schools, hire more teachers, improve existing infrastructure and roads.  Keep our City in a Park!	
2026-01-06T00:33:12.692Z	John			Yes		I go here all of the time to walk, run, ride bikes, take my dog on a walk, etc. I ride the mountain biking trail that is within the area in question as well as the trails adjacent to this allotment. This nature park is genuinely one of the best parks I've ever been to and I am lucky to have it so close to my house. It is a sanctuary and should be left alone. Re-zoning this land will inevitably result in it being developed eventually and should be voted against at all cost.	
2026-01-06T00:29:49.392Z	Bailey			Yes		devastated to see the area surrounding it developed. There are few places for the community to go to truly be engulfed in nature. Chattanooga is a national park city; Expanding industrial zoning next to a nature park is contradictory to what the community of Chattanooga needs. I live 3 minutes from enterprise nature park and will be leave our parks and surrounding areas alone.	
2026-01-05T02:15:11.794Z	Evander			Yes		No changes to Enterprise South. You are taking from this community and giving it to a community that already has green space and farms. Sell McDonald Farm and develop it instead.	
2026-01-05T02:07:25.376Z	Johnathan			Yes		No changes to Enterprise South. No one is going to use McDonald Farm. No one likes to travel to Sale Creek. It's too far. No factory furnaces polluting our parks and homes.	
2026-01-05T02:03:29.489Z	Amber			Yes		I find it unacceptable to alter Enterprise South in anyway considering you haven't redone a playground at Booker T or the Harrison Center to give our young kids green space. You can't build playgrounds in wealthy areas and then consider taking from the poor families outside of the city like this. Enterprise South is a staple in our family as a safe green space for us as the facilities the county has let go in our area can not and do not serve us due to their disrepair. Keep factories out of our park.	
2026-01-05T18:48:17.207Z	Dear Donna			Yes Yes		Protecting our wild spaces and preserving our connections to the natural landscapes is more important than profit and industry! Let the people keep their parks, their trees, their fresh air. Let the animals keep their homes! We are all relying on people at the helm to make decisions that shape society for its greatest good and resist the greed that undermines community.	
						Please save this beautiful area. Chattanooga is known for its outdoor spaces, and this one is hugely important.	
2026-12-31T20:41:26.857Z	Sandy			Yes		I OPPOSE lifting LIFELONG protections on any Enterprise South Nature Park land. Permanent means permanent. Not, changing the definition when you want to destroy priceless nature land and the quality of life for thousands of people and animals. We, the public, say NO!!!  Thank you for your time.	
2026-12-31T00:17:41.791Z	Andrew			Yes		Under no circumstances should we entertain a land swap or any reduction of the protections of the Enterprise South Nature Park. This park is an essential resource for the health and well being of our community. Reducing it to open for more industrial development would be a massive step in the opposite direction.	
2026-12-30T21:51:06.758Z	Renee			Yes		purposes without interfering with our beloved park and without bothering our homes which back up to the property of ESNP. It's accessible to apx 180,000 or more I oppose removing any federal protections from ESNP. I oppose selling off any ESNP property. There is plenty of accessible industrial land to be used for industrial residents from at least three nearby counties, Hamilton, Bradley and Catoosa. They , use the park for recreational purposes, educational programs and then those visitors spend money in our county while they are here. There is a lot of history associated with ESNP including a cemetery with well over 200 graves where African American residents rest and most likely former slaves.	
2026-12-30T21:36:52.751Z	Philip					As our county continues to grow in the coming years we need to pay careful attention to preserving what make our area so special. We are have an area of magnificent natural beauty that half a century ago was one the worst polluted around. Why spend all of this time money and effort to preserve the land just to put concrete over it.	
2026-12-30T10:45:37.241Z	Michelle			Yes		I lived in HC for almost a decade when I graduated from high school. This nature park needs to be protected!! How can Chattanooga be dubbed a national park city if they destroy what little greenery Chattanooga has left?! That's backwards and wrong. Leave this land alone it is NOT for sale!!	
2026-12-20T16:40:05.487Z	David			Yes		Leave the green spaces alone for future generations to enjoy.. It would seem their would be a lot existing zoned commercial / industrial that could be cleaned up and it infrastructure improved to generate interest for companies to come to Hamilton county..	
2026-12-29T14:07:06.934Z	Justin			Yes		I am against the land swap proposal. At the least, the protected Enterprise Nature Park should permanently remain as is. It is by far the more accessible parks of the two (myself included within minutes of Ooltewah/ Hunter Road. with the quickest access to mountain bike trails). It is an impressive park we should be proud of as an area. Driving over Exit 9 on I-75 is a particularly beautiful vista of the area ridges and untouched areas and should remain as such. The VERY clear motivation for people to move to Chattanooga/Hamilton County are the natural areas/outdoors opportunities. Thus, there should be no reason that both areas are protected and better creativity used for improving industry in the area. Much of the cityscape of Chattanooga/Hamilton County is unique from that of much of the rest of the country. Please do not ruin an untouched area that is close to many of us in East Hamilton county and make it like generic American commercial urbanization. I am for industry as a mechanical engineer, but in a responsible/thought provoking manner.	
2026-12-29T00:24:52.048Z	Michelle					I am FOR preserving ALL of Enterprise South as it has been set aside for. Leave it be. I am also FOR preserving McDonald Farm as well. I am against losing even 1 inch of Enterprise South for anything. It needs to stay as a conservation and Recreation as it was intended.	
2026-12-28T00:52:32.591Z	Dear Stacey			Yes Yes		For once, let's stick with the commitments that have previously been made to the people of this county. Places like ESNP are a true asset to the county in terms of making this a place people want to live, work and raise their families.	

2025-12-27T23:30:55.593Z	Tamara		Yes		How many different instances and ways do the citizens of Hamilton County have to say NO	
2025-12-27T21:12:11.191Z	Georgia				I oppose lifting federal deed restrictions for Enterprise South Nature Park.	
2025-12-27T20:11:41.790Z	Pam				I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-12-27T18:16:21.191Z	Sharon		Yes		I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land!	
					Please do not allow this land to become unprotected and raped with development.	
2025-12-27T18:30:50.294Z	Don		Yes		I COMPLETELY oppose this deed swap and the lifting of ANY protections on ANY portion of the land that comprises the current Enterprise South Nature Park. I am not against development; however, I am completely against any changes allowing industrial development of ESNP land. This is especially true when other land for industrial park development is readily available that keeps ESNP totally intact. Do not do this deed swap.	
	Stacey				Chattanooga Tennessee Please keep Enterprise South Nature Park just the way it is - forever. I hike there 2 to 3 times a week.	
2025-12-26T16:18:10.952Z	Carrie		Yes		Please do not develop or alter any of Enterprise park! It is the only safe nature area for family and pets alike. And it truly is a sanctuary in the bustling city with so many people moving in. Please save our park and do not touch it!	
2025-12-26T14:37:52.220Z	Elan		Yes		Please find other land and leave Enterprise preserved in its complete nature for years to come. This park is a sanctuary of peace for families and very easily accessible. McDonald Farm is so far away. Enterprise is a park that many people stop by on their way home from work. We want to see it expand, not shrink. This will be a stain on Wamp forever - as a decision that goes against the interests and desires of the locals here. Find other land.	
2025-12-26T10:23:18.221Z	Matthew		Yes		Enterprise South nature park completely changed the ability for residents on the side of the greater Chattanooga area to access nature trails. It led to an increase in bike sales, running sales, etc The loss of that park would have a notably negative impact on the quality of life for anyone who lives in that area. There next closest alternatives are raccoon mountain or the ocoee whitewater center trails. Also forever means forever. Our government officials needs to understand what that means and stop coming up with "creative" ways to bend and break our laws to suit their personal whims	
					I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land.	
2025-12-26T00:35:44.113Z	Amanda		Yes		Maintaining the integrity of these protected areas is essential for biodiversity, climate resilience, and the well-being of our community. I urge our local representatives I would like to go on the record to state my opposition to the removal of protections from any land currently designated under ESNP and decision-makers to uphold these protections and look for sustainable solutions that do not involve encroaching on our natural heritage.	
2025-12-25T12:31:04.847Z	Berney		Yes		The McDonald Farm land needs to all be preserved and no land in the Enterprise South Nature Park forfeited for any other development. The misleading phrasing of maintaining all existing recreation is not enough. The language here is distasteful and disrespectful of the people. Industrial development around parks is not the way to grow Chattanooga or how we want to be represented.	
2025-12-25T04:40:14.548Z	Dani		Yes		The language here is intentional misleading and distasteful. The Mc	
					I oppose lifting restrictions on ANY Enterprise South Nature Park land for any reason.	
2025-12-24T21:28:33.833Z	Terry		Yes		No means no! Bait and switch scenario	
2025-12-24T19:58:54.193Z	Alex		Yes		find a proper solution to expanding industrial land for economic growth, you would come to find that taking over previously appropriated parks that everyone in this It's absolutely unnecessary to repurpose any of the Enterprise South Nature Park for industrial purposes. If the county spent more than the minimal amount of effort to county (and many more in the surrounding areas) enjoys is not the answer. And that's not taking into account the ecological and historical destruction that slapping a bunch of warehouses and roads in the park would cause. Spend more time and effort to avoid- and maybe even (gasp) take less of a profit for selling out the people, land, nature, history, and future of the Chattanoogans of Hamilton County.	
2025-12-24T18:10:53.817Z	Zackary		Yes		I oppose any sale of, or development on ESNP lands. There is plenty of other areas to develop. Leave this one alone	
2025-12-24T17:08:16.985Z	Chris		Yes		I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land! This is not right, we are better than this.	
2025-12-24T15:48:31.193Z	Lisa		Yes		I am opposed to changing any restrictions on development in and around Enterprise South	
					I strongly oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land. My family uses the bike trails regularly and want the park preserved for generations.	
2025-12-24T10:21:01.402Z	Abbey		Yes		I adamantly oppose the release of any Enterprise South Nature Park land for industrial use. There is other land available for this use. Protect this resource.	
					Please don't develop on our public land. It is my favorite place to go.	
2025-12-24T02:11:51.119Z	Jacob		Yes		I oppose any removal of public land from use. Particularly for industrial development and oppose any development of Enterprise South Nature Park.	
2025-12-23T21:47:46.572Z	Dick		Yes		I am firmly against the land swap that would take land from Enterprise South Nature Park. A contract gave it to us to be used for a nature park forever. Honor this contract.	
2025-12-23T19:52:44.053Z	Emily		Yes		I oppose the lifting of protections for Enterprise South Nature Park so that a land swap may be made.. It was given to Hamilton Co to be used as a nature park forever. This is a contract that must not be broken.	
					I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	

2025-12-20T01:13:03Z 2025-12-22T13:12:39.308Z	---Richard			Yes	Enterprise South Nature Park should be left alone. Many in the community, including my family, use it on a regular basis and do not want to see development there. My young kids, 5 and 3, love the park and the opportunity it provides them to ride their bikes and hike the trails. The wildlife we see as well. Please leave it untouched.	
2025-12-21T13:12:39.308Z	Bryson			Yes	Please do not develop Enterprise South Nature Park. The Nature Park and its trails are much more valuable in this part of the county.	
					I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land	
2025-12-21T03:14:00.870Z 2025-12-20T16:20:22.985Z	--- Madelyn			Yes	hiking, walking, cycling, and mountain biking without trespassing or impeding traffic. McDonald doesn't do any of this. People spent a lot of time and sweat equity Do not destroy Enterprise South Nature Park. I live much closer to McDonald farm but ESNP is much more useful. ESNP allows us to get outdoors and enjoy nature, building and maintaining these trails, don't pave them over.	
					I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land. Please do the right thing.	
2025-12-20T01:20:31.880Z 2025-12-19T17:08:12.030Z	--- Launey			Yes	10's of thousands of people each month. It is home to countless outdoor enthusiasts and events. McDonald farm is and was a waste of money. Likely the purchase The county is trying to rectify the horrible financial decision called The McDonald farm by bringing in revenue by destroying Enterprise South. The park is a gem, used by benefitted some lawmaker financially at our expense. Are we a National Park City or a National Laughing Stock.	
					I strongly oppose any development of Enterprise Park	
2025-12-18T16:08:04.598Z	Stephany			Yes	Those protection agreements are forever, not at the County's convenience. Develop industry elsewhere - aren't there many brownfields that need to be redeveloped?	
2025-12-19T03:00:17.070Z 2025-12-19T00:58:09.538Z	--- Becky			Yes	"I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land	
					I oppose any taking away of the land of ESNP for any use other than being a protected park as it has been forever designated.	
2025-12-18T03:16:14.070Z 2025-12-18T13:52:59.047Z	--- Jerry			Yes	This should be a protected resource period or running out of them fast period Hamilton County should lead the way on green space and commerce, but not at the expense of green space	
2025-12-18T02:45:45.370Z	James			Yes	I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-12-18T02:43:36.065Z	Eileen			Yes	I oppose lifting any restrictions on public land especially Enterprise South.	
					Vote NO to Enterprise South transfer of deed restrictions to McDaniel Farm. Keep our public lands public!	
2025-12-18T02:38:27.191Z	Eileen			Yes	Public lands should remain public. There should be no land swapping or rezoning or selling any land from Enterprise South that has designated PUBLIC.	
2025-12-18T03:00:46.040Z 2025-12-18T14:55:06.393Z	--- Stephany			Yes	DO NOT destroy one of the most beautiful gems of Hamilton County and Chattanooga - Enterprise South Nature Park. What's the next park, playground, wilderness area, or natural habitat to be desimated?	
2025-12-16T04:25:23.206Z	Kathy			Yes	I support keeping the perpetual deed that formed ESNP and not allowing development at the Park.	
2025-12-15T18:41:14.787Z	Debra			Yes	"I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land."	
2025-12-15T16:18:06.509Z	Alison			Yes	I oppose lifting protections on ANY ESNP land!!! We need this space. You can't keep taking away all the land.	
2025-12-15T12:59:18.871Z	Aileen			Yes	I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land. Perpetuity means forever. There are plenty of places to build. Leave this site alone.	
2025-12-15T12:07:47.042Z	Carol			Yes	I oppose any development of the protected land in the ESNP.	
					I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land. There are plenty of other places to develop. Leave ESNP alone.	
2025-12-17T02:43:40.240Z 2025-12-17T20:26:49.940Z	--- ariel			Yes	I'm against lifting any of the current protections on ESNP. The boon from this proposed industrial park wouldn't be enough to unpollute the land when they're done with it. The land would heal, but I wouldn't be here by the time it did.	
2025-12-14T12:26:49.940Z	Ellen			Yes	I absolutely oppose lifting any protections on ESNP land!	
					I oppose lifting protections on ANY Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-12-14T17:46:08.307Z 2025-12-14T17:36:37.519Z	--- Monica			Yes	ESNP - a park that was supposed to be protected in perpetuity. I am concerned about the lack of transparency with the community in the planning for this deed swap. My I am not in favor of the deed swap. The deed swap is not needed to protect McDonald Farm. I do not believe that a deed swap would maintain all existing recreation at questions are: How will this qualitative data be analyzed? Will an expert be used to do a thematic analysis? How will the public know what comments were submitted? I am sending my county commissioner a copy of my submission.	
2025-12-14T16:29:25.186Z	Kendra			Yes	Please preserve all of Enterprise South Nature Park! It is a gem for our community and needs to be preserved.	
2025-12-14T16:03:47.698Z					I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land!	
2025-12-14T15:40:31.088Z	--- Cole			Yes	I oppose lifting restrictions on any ESNP lands.	
					I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land. Removing protections for the environment for profit is dishonorable.	
2025-12-14T15:05:11.540Z	Verena			Yes	Parks should be preserved for everyone to enjoy now and in the future. Once you allow a change on one, there is no stopping for the next park. Please preserve our parks!!!	

2025-12-14T13:44:06.290Z	Jonathan		Yes	<p>land. I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP</p> <p>Allowing the distribution of protected land undermines land protection programs and sets a dangerous precedent. The particular area around ESNP already lacks opportunities to enjoy nature and habitat for wildlife.</p> <p>There is plenty of land available that is underutilized and already developed. This issue already has available solutions.</p>	
2025-12-14T09:47:56.072Z	Brice			I oppose lifting protections on any Enterprise South Nature Park land. I enjoy the mountain biking and hiking there among the old bunkers. I used to live in a house in the Flagstone subdivision. I'd hate to see a factory so close to that neighborhood.	
2025-12-14T09:47:56.072Z 2025-12-14T04:25:36.308Z	Jim		Yes	<p>ESNP is a true local gem that has built a reputation in the region. People come from Atlanta even, to enjoy the roads and trails there. The idea that all the thought and work that has gone into to making EANP what it has become by earmarking land somewhere else, can be replaced or reproduced, is only an idea that could come from those who don't use or appreciate the incalculable cultural and economic value we enjoy today from ESNP.</p> <p>Even those who don't make it out there as often as we once did, still are grateful that it exists and we are proud it is part of our community. We are proud to live in a community that prioritizes such a great and irreplaceable land use choice Chatt is a city with a deserving reputation for generous outdoors tourism and lifestyle, and</p> <p>ESNP is no small part of that, drawing all levels of interest and ability to a very accessible location and grounds. Macdonald fare is not remotely so accessible. It would be a massive blunder and seriously damaging to this whole area, to rezone ESNP. This is true from the direct cultural implications, and from the long term</p> <p>attraction this area and city hold regionally and beyond.</p> <p>Deals like the proposed one for ESNP invariably involve a key manipulator from out of town, typically paying local elected officials via election campaign funding- in all</p> <p>its forms. No matter how it is portrayed, that is corruption at its heart. It is also a way to make bitter enemies in the community. Most folks don't want to enter politics and all we ask of those courageous folks who do, is please don't screw us over, and maybe even look out for all of us sometimes.</p> <p>This proposal is definitive in both of these requests from your constituents.</p> <p>Please do what is right here, and preserve this important location that we have in ESNP, to help maintain and strengthen one of the best parts of our community and</p> <p>reputation.</p> <p>We DO NOT want to grow into another Knoxville - who has a reputation, deserved or not, as a far less interesting and desirable place to live and raise kids than Chattanooga. Please leave ESNP to be what it is already. You cannot simply copy that and paste it in another location.</p>	
2025-12-14T02:51:28.305Z	—Cheryl		Yes	I support keeping esnp the same.	
				I oppose lifting federal protections on any EPSN land	
2025-12-14T02:51:28.305Z 2025-12-14T02:10:07.194Z	—Aaron		Yes	<p>Thank you for your time. I am staunchly against lifting any protection on any ESNP land.</p> <p>Thank you.</p>	
2025-12-14T01:09:15.810Z	Danielle		Yes	I oppose lifting protections on <u>any</u> ESNP land. I love Enterprise Nature trials. I use them often.	
2025-12-14T01:09:28.534Z	Sean		Yes	I oppose lifting protections on ANY ESNP land. PLEASE, stop!!!!!!	
2025-12-13T23:55:33.590Z	Nicholas		Yes	I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land.	
				I strongly oppose lifting any protections for ESNP Land.	
2025-12-13T23:50:02.311Z	Jordan		Yes	I believe that all of the land at both Enterprise South and McDonald Farm should stay preserved for conservation and recreation. Please do not develop either plot. I do not wish for my tax dollars to support any kind of development for commercial, industrial, or residential use on either of these plots of land.	
2025-12-13T23:49:00.802Z 2025-12-13T23:28.17.848Z	—Holden		Yes	Under no circumstances do I think our city or county would be served well by changing the deed restrictions. Changing the ESNP would benefit a wealthy few at the expense of our local wildlife, and I would think that unconscionable to any elected official who represents Chattanooga, the first State Park City.	
				I oppose this strongly.	
2025-12-13T23:22:48.480Z 2025-12-13T23:22:36.480Z	—Van		Yes	I oppose lifting protections on any ENSP land. We are already seeing extensive habitat loss in Chattanooga and losing portions of ENSP would only further add to the loss of habitat and green space. Our city leaders are so focused on growth and economic development (which I understand) but we cannot lose sight of how important the natural beauty of our city is. We don't need more shopping centers!	
2025-12-13T22:46:53.057Z	Isabella		Yes	I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land.	
				I am opposed to lifting the protections on ESNP lan.	
2025-12-13T22:14:31.874Z	Sarah		Yes	<p>breeds creativity etc.....</p> <p>Please just leave enterprise park alone! We don't need more businesses, houses, apartments, factories etc.... We need nature! It brings people together, it calms, it leave. It. Alone.</p>	
2025-12-13T19:14:38.817Z	—Linda		Yes	<p>SAVE AND PRESERVE THESE GREENSPACES! LEAVE THESE PLACES ALONE!!!!!! ENTERPRISE NATURE RESERVE AND MACDONALD FARM SHOULD NOT BE THREATENED BY LAND GRABBERS. THEY SERVE THE COMMUNITY IN THE MOST HEALTHIEST WAY!!!! PLEASE LEAVE THESE PLACES ALONE!!!</p>	
				Please don't allow the restrictions to be lifted on the Enterprise Park land! It should stay a nature park and not be industrial	
2025-12-13T18:12:14.020Z	Tamir		Yes	<p>I do not support this land swap and I am insulted that my representatives would try to pass this as a public good. Enterprise South Nature Park was supplied to the public</p> <p>in a deed which makes this issue clear as day.</p> <p>"These restrictions and covenants are binding on the Grantee, its successors and assigns; shall run with the land; and are forever enforceable." ...</p> <p>"The property shall not be sold, leased, assigned, or otherwise disposed of," the deed says, "except to another eligible governmental agency that the Secretary of the Interior agrees in writing can assure the continued use and maintenance of the property for public park or public recreational purposes." If we want to preserve McDonald Farm, someone else's private property, let that be a separate deal. Sure seems to me like the developers of that</p>	

					property have already marked off what they want to leave as greenspace in their 'Carmel Gateway' project. I do not care about how this proposed land swap might influence their decisions or future ones, because I expect it doesn't. We do however already have a park that we are bonded to as a community and this proposal is an attempt to back out of our commitment to that land.	
2025-12-13T17:49:54.213Z 2025-12-13T17:38:04.087Z	==== Jack		== Yes		This is not for the good of Hamilton County. It is a way to erase the terrible purchase of the McDonald Farm. Mayor WAMP is looking only at dollars. The guidelines for Enterprise South were laid out and must be followed. Unfortunately he must think he is President and can make the rules up to suit him!	
2025-12-13T16:13:36.698Z	Micah				I oppose lifting any protections on ESNP Land. It's a national park city, act like it.	
2025-12-13T16:13:32.586Z	Rachel		== Yes		I entirely oppose this plan to industrialize our parks. Both must be left alone, STOP HARMING OUR ECOSYSTEM.	
					I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land.	
2025-12-13T14:13:32.586Z	==== Matthew		== Yes		I oppose any acreage of ESNP being industrialized. It was protected in perpetuity as green space and should (obviously) remain so. Let us have nature and peace in the woods. I ride my mountain bike there, I take my children hiking there.	
					Do not touch our protected land, please	
2025-12-13T14:13:02.042Z	Lisa			== Yes	or windfall of money... rather give us a reason to trust you, by upholding what should be forever protections, by protecting green spaces and by preserving what makes I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land. We expect elected leaders to represent us the people - not industry, not a small group of people, not a short term benefit this area such a popular place to be. No more greedy growth!	
2025-12-13T13:47:40.031Z 2025-12-13T13:47:40.031Z	==== Mindy		== Yes		thousands of people who enjoy the outdoors. The reason people move to Chattanooga is because of it is a nature lovers paradise; water, hiking, rock climbing, are all It is despicable that anyone would think of taking this beautiful land and ruining it for our children and our children's children. How greedy can people be? This is used by within a 30 minute drive from anywhere in Hamilton County. This will be ruined if Enterprice is taken for roads. When will it stop? Snow Hill Road and Hunter Road are already so dangerous because of "growth". "The conservation of natural resources is the fundamental problem. Unless we solve that problem it will avail us little to solve all others." – Theodore Roosevelt.	
					I oppose lifting protections on ANY ESNP land. This land must stay as protected land as promised in perpetuity.	
2025-12-13T09:38:54.053Z	Alex			== Yes	perimeter. The proposed plan is not only going to ruin the beauty of the best trails, but it is also completely contradictory to the concept of a protected land. This is not I very strongly oppose the proposed lifting of protection over the ESNP land at South Enterprise Park. I regularly visit this park and use the paved trails all around the acceptable to Hamilton County residents, and I am one of many in my neighborhood who completely refuse this proposal. How about we use something that is actually a blight on the city, instead of a boon?	
2025-12-13T09:04:31.417Z	Desmond			== Yes	If any of existing enterprise park is sold off I will be change my voting from the incumbent's to whoever is running against you. As well as advocating and supporting many others to join. Please take these comments seriously.	
2025-12-13T02:20:01.527Z	Trystan			== Yes	something else. Protect both pieces of land you rat. ESNP land is used by many residents and just because you fat rats can't leave your house or don't touch nature I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land. What are you even thinking? How disgusting of a person do you have to be to bulldoze nature under the guise of protecting other than a golf course, especially you Mayor Wamp, you won't even go to a real golf course, its too scary so you go to albatross virtual golf course. Grow the fuck up and realize that nature is the only thing that makes everyone's land valuable and Chattanooga worth while. If you bulldoze nature parks you are going to cement yourself as one of the biggest pieces of shits in Chattanooga. Why would you want this to be your legacy? Its embarrassing any of this has to be said.	
	Edward				I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP lands. Chattanooga's access to nature is one of the iconic and amazing things about this city.	
2025-12-12T22:23:16.919Z	==== Justin		== Yes		Permanent Protection means just that PERMANENT PROTECTION! Leave South Enterprise Park as it is! It's a safe and beautiful place to walk and enjoy nature!	
					I strongly oppose removing any protections to the land for Enterprise South. Think Perpetuity.	
2025-12-12T21:35:51.477Z	Casper			== Yes	I think it is shameful that this land swap proposal got this far, and that you all would even consider developing this park. I minored in Environmental Science at UTC back in 2020 and I grew up here in Chattanooga. I am so grateful to have access to the natural spaces that I do. When you talk about developing this land, you are denying the inherent value of the life at the park and the things that actually make life worth living, which are not money or greed but are actually caring and loving the land and practicing stewardship and compassion. Natural corridors are vitally important for any sustainability and some animals can only live in habitats that are uninterrupted. By splitting the land into smaller sections, we increase edge effects, basically making more room for species that thrive on the edges of forests but getting rid of viable homes for larger animals that tend to stay deeper in wooded areas- the area in general gets smaller, they are more vulnerable. Where do they go in this proposed deal? We are in the middle of the largest and most rapid mass extinction event in recorded history. It is not somebody else's problem- it is my problem, and your problem, and unless we can work together it will only get worse. I'd appreciate it if y'all showed an interest in something besides your short-term financial interests. Of course in the long term, depriving future generations of a world to live in serves nobody's financial interest or livelihood. I oppose lifting protections on ANY ESNP land, and again- it is shameful that we even have to speak out against this ridiculous idea. We just went to the Garden of Lights, which I do every year, and on the entrance path they have a little placard that reads, "Let no-one say - and say it to your shame - that all was beauty here until you came." This is maybe something you can consider too!	
2025-12-12T12:15:26.982Z	Ann			== Yes	I walk or hike at Enterprise almost daily. During Covid the park sustained me. I even enjoy getting lost there. It is a precious place for many. It should not change.	
2025-12-12T23:23:57.214Z	Wanda			== Yes	Enterprise South Nature Park should not be disturbed. I am not in agreement to swap the land. There is land around Volkswagen that could be utilized instead	
2025-12-11T20:28:24.642Z 2025-12-11T20:28:24.642Z	==== Angel		== Yes		I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land. Nothing matters here except the word "permanent." This land was "permanently" set aside according to the deed. This should supersede any plan, any idea, any concept that a small number of individuals want to implement. Permanent means permanent. It doesn't mean "permanent until somebody decides to change it."	

2025-12-11T13:09:03.797Z	Rachel		Yes	I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land.	
2025-12-11T04:08:48.232Z	Kristin		Yes	I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-12-10T18:26:36.628Z			Yes	"I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land."	
	Rachael			I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land.	
2025-12-10T18:40:03.857Z 2025-12-10T13:54:52.579Z	*** Natalie		*** Yes	industry. It would be very nice to have an access road along the outside of the park, next to the highway, which would allow for less congestion along Hunter Road, but I truly enjoy every single time I end up at Enterprise South Nature Park. It is the closest nature park to me, and I would be very impacted if the park was turned into there is no reason to turn that specific space into industry when there is so much land available elsewhere. Knock down old buildings or use existing space downtown. Leave our nature park as it is. Thank you for your attention to this matter	
2025-12-10T13:33:38.071Z	Kimberly		Yes	I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
				Keep the park open and do not develop it further.	
2025-12-10T05:13:18.331Z	Catherine			please protect these spaces and do not sell for industrial use. i oppose lifting federal restrictions. protect green spaces and keep chattanooga beautiful	
2025-12-09T10:19:46Z 2025-12-09T16:09:54.618Z	*** Lea		*** Yes	our green spaces, every single person living here knows that. There is plenty of existing junk industrial land around that can be repurposed. Sometimes doing the right I strongly oppose getting rid of land at Enterprise South Nature Park for industrial development. We need more green spaces not less. Part of what makes chatt great is thing is hard and more expensive. Please do the right thing for chatt and do what the people want, not what industry wants. Thanks for your time.	
				ESNP needs to stay protected.	
2025-12-09T16:09:54.702Z 2025-12-09T13:28:37.789Z	*** Debra		*** Yes	I oppose lifting any land restrictions on ESNP. Please preserve this rare park and woodland in Chattanooga!	
				Our family moved here because we loved the area for what it is, not what you think it could be. Leave our natural areas alone (please).	
2025-12-09T12:43:06Z 2025-12-09T12:43:09:831Z	*** Pratt		*** Yes	As a professional in the conservation and stormwater industries, it is my recommendation to not lift protections to develop Enterprise South. We were promised a preserve for wildlife and native plant habitat, and breaking that promise will negatively impact the local ecology, and well as the public trust. Build elsewhere.	
2025-12-09T04:26:51.995Z			Yes	Protect our park, no land swap! Just don't touch it at all.	
	Adrian			Forever means forever. We are against industrialization of our beautiful park where a lot of families and kids enjoy and many animals live.	
2025-12-09T01:20:16.082Z	Raven		Yes	This land holds so much life and beautiful nature. People love to go here to relax, have fun, experience, enjoy nature, and the list goes on and on. Getting rid of this park would be such a huge loss to the community.	
2025-12-09T10:19:46Z 2025-12-09T19:36:20.402Z	*** Samak		*** Yes	various species on the property with UTC's outdoor classroom. We were able to see how Box Turtles moved throughout the woods, learn surveying methods for wildlife, Enterprise South Nature Park has been an amazing outdoor space for hiking, exploring, and environmental research. Throughout college, I had the privilege of studying and experience how much of a natural treasure this park is to people and wildlife alike. It is my hope that our local government will not sacrifice this land for development, and continue to conserve both McDonald Farm and "all of Enterprise South". Thank you for taking the time to consider why we hold this land so dear, for everything it contributes to our community.	
				I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land	
2025-12-09T16:35:24.841Z	Alexis		Yes	I strongly oppose lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park. Enterprise South is one of the most beloved parks in our county. It serves as an essential green space for residents, families, and visitors - a rare and vital balance to the ongoing industrial and commercial growth in the region. Preserving this land as protected natural space safeguards not only wildlife and environmental health but also the physical and mental well-being of our community. We have ample existing industrial zones and derelict properties throughout the county that could be redeveloped or repurposed without sacrificing one of the few large public nature areas available to us. Choosing to industrialize protected parkland when viable alternatives exist would be a short-sighted decision that erodes public trust and diminishes our county's quality of life for future generations. Enterprise South Nature Park should remain exactly what it was intended to be: a refuge from development, not a casualty of it. Respectfully, Alexis Hughes, DBA Strategic Development Chattanooga, TN	
2025-12-09T15:47:30.114Z	R		Yes	be protected and for our homes to be protected. There are hundreds of acres of land that can be used for industrial purposes in the industrial portion of Enterprise south. The fed govt. gifted ESNP to we the people of Hamilton county for use as a green space and nothing else. We want it left as is for the community to enjoy. For wildlife to industrial park that haven't been accessed yet but are or will be available in 2026 and that won't infringe upon the nature park. The deed is also in perpetuity which means leave it alone! Do not remove the federal protections for the park for the people who use the park and for the homeowners whose property bumps up to the park and would be greatly affected by industry being placed there.	
2025-12-09T15:44:01.299Z	Mary		Yes	politicians would try to revoke that, and build factories there. I do not want the land swap to happen, it would disrupt my life and everyone's life in my neighborhood as. This location is a street away from me. I decided to live in the neighborhood because it was so close to enterprise. It being protected land, it never occurred to me that well as lower property values. On top of that, enterprise is an amazing park that is extremely valuable as it is. I absolutely do not support this land swap.	

2025-12-08T15:14:26.310Z	eisa			Yes	Quite simply there is no responsible development of the park because the park was promised to be a park. There are so many areas already developed for and a historic assistance from tax payers already. Stop stealing from tax payers for your profit schemes and start investing in areas that are already destroyed from heavy dilapidated for heavy industry. You should utilize that. If Novonix is one of the companies you are looking to include in this park too, I can only say they quite literally got industry.	
2025-12-08T14:38:59.310Z	~~~ Daniel			~~~ Yes	<p>I have personally hiked, biked, and ran here regularly since it opened almost 15 years ago. There is no need to "swap" one for the other. Stop destroying the nature in this</p> <p>I do not believe this "land transfer" is for the benefit of any citizen of Hamilton County. Enterprise South Nature Park is used and loved by SO MANY residents in this area. "National Park City" in the name of "growth." McDonald Farm should be preserved, sure, but it is not frequented daily by hundreds of local residents and will never be</p> <p>used the same way as the Nature Park. This is only benefitting government officials and the corporations who will be destroying the land. This provides zero benefits for the people using the park, who are the people you work for.</p>	
2025-12-08T14:38:20.047Z	Catalina			Yes	I opposed lifting the protection is ESNP. Thank you.	
					I opposed lifting the protection is ESNP. Thank you.	
2025-12-08T14:27:26.091Z	~~~ Debra			~~~ Yes	This park is an inspiration to learning and teaching. Every family needs it. Every school needs it. Every senior needs it. Every family needs it as a good health, exercise and spiritual appreciation. The impact of this park is essential to living well.	
2025-12-08T14:18:21.023Z	Danielle			Yes	Please save Enterprise South Nature Park. We are loosing to much natural land that is near by for many people. Please!	
					I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land.	
2025-12-08T14:17:22.194Z	Jesse			Yes	<p>company cannot produce graphite at a pilot scale due to major problems with their technology. To meet the deliverables which they have promised, which are driving</p> <p>To destroy already existing trails and mature forest so that Novonix can continue to mislead investors and squander government funds would be a terrible misstep. This this "need" to expand is a near impossibility due to the cost and engineering challenges associated with the induction furnaces. The 2x facilities they currently have are not even close to being functional at a batch scale, much less at continuous production.</p>	
2025-12-08T14:00:24.460Z	Pamela			Yes	<p>I strongly oppose the proposal to swap recreational land from Enterprise South to McDonald Farm. I live within 5 miles and this park, and hike there often. It has been McDonald Farm is NOT a viable substitute! Just a note - It seems to me that this is a way to cover up the mismanagement of funds when the county bought the</p> <p>instrumental in my ability to keep active as I age. I have lived in this area for 60 years, and there is no place left to enjoy nature, as development has been left unchecked. McDonald Farm property to begin with.</p> <p>Do better Hamilton County!</p>	
2025-12-08T13:37:18.287Z	Shane			Yes	PLEASE KEEP ESNP IN IT'S CURRENT FORM. I utilize the park often, I trained for a half marathon here. this park improves the quality of life for Hamilton County DO NOT SWAP FOR MCDONALD'S FARM WHICH IS INACCESSIBLE AND ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THE COUNTY	
2025-12-08T13:14:52.676Z	Zachery			Yes	I strongly oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land. Hamilton County and all of Chattanooga is infested with out-of-town real estate developers destroying our city and it's disgusting and embarrassing. Act like you have spine for once in your pathetic life and AT LEAST stop these parasites from destroying anymore of our city. I won't count on it though. I know what to expect from our local government at this point.	
2025-12-08T13:14:59.040Z	~~~ Taylor			~~~ Yes	<p>hiking/biking and walking trails available that are safe. We personally have used them many times when we lived in the city. Please preserve this park for future</p> <p>Please save this land for public use. Many students and teachers use this park and its trails for educational purposes. For many of those living nearby these are the only generations.</p>	
					I oppose lifting any protection on Enterprise south	
2025-12-08T05:01:23.695Z	Kevin			Yes	<p>To whom it may concern,</p> <p>I tend to not agree with this landswap, for a few reasons:</p> <p>1. McDonald farm is over an hour away from most of Chattanooga, and does not offer nearly the level of recreation that enterprise does. 2. My understanding is that the land swap has to be of "equal and greater value", yet I have seen no indication anywhere about why this is a good swap. Simply listing acreage does not tell the full story. What is the ecological impact? How many plant species at both areas? Animal species? These things on top of the impact on recreation should all be considered when deciding whether the land swap is an "even trade"</p> <p>3. Enterprise is a haven for many families including my own, and opening it up to industrial use introduces several potential concerns. The comment website says that all recreation will remain, but all the initial plans I saw removed the best mountain bike trail in the park. This also makes to where the land on the other side of that fence</p> <p>would be industrial, which could potentially ruin the immersion and seclusion of that side of the park (the paved trail, driving loop. etc) 4. Using the land swap loop hole can potentially open the flood gates for others to find similar loopholes to take other protected land that people use and enjoy, for land</p> <p>not many people use or care about. We have to be careful about setting precedent.</p> <p>There is plenty of land in Chattanooga and surrounding areas. Why can't this business look elsewhere? Why do one of Chattanooga's best parks have to be the one thing affected?</p> <p>Thanks for hearing me out, your. Neighbor, Kevin</p>	
2025-12-08T02:48:10.589Z	~~~ Lauren			~~~ Yes	<p>I oppose lifting any protections on esnp land. Wildlife lives there. Friends live with nature in their back yards. Ferdinand piech is a calm scenic drive nobody wants to get rid of. Whoever's pockets are getting lined to sell this land is should resign. Save our parks!</p> <p>If land must be sold. The land in sale creek is much less popular by locals.</p>	
2025-12-08T02:48:10.589Z	Jessica			Yes	Please leave this area alone. Wildlife doesn't understand why their homes are suddenly gone	
2025-12-08T02:44:32.573Z	Andrew			Yes	I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land! There are animals living there, it's not "inactive land"!	
					We must protect our lands	
2025-12-08T02:40:31.667Z	~~~ Elisha			~~~ Yes	<p>cannot imagine my life without those hikes. It was the only place where I could both grieve and live in a healthy way; I watched birds, and paused as deer crossed my</p> <p>The day after my dad died from cancer, I went to Enterprise Park and walked and hiked for hours. For the entire month after, every day, I'd make</p>	

					time to go and walk. I path. I watched the land I sometimes stumbled on, and sometimes found my way to a swing where I could watch ducks. Please, this matters. I'm one of thousands. I vote in every. Single. Election. I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land.	
					I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land. I frequently utilize the nature grounds for recreation activities.	
2025-12-08T00:08:40.000Z 2025-12-08T00:51:02.393Z	==== Graham		==== Yes		Preserve BOTH Enterprise South Park and McDonald Farm. I oppose any industrial development for both.	
2025-12-08T00:36:04.198Z	Jessica		Yes		I oppose lifting restrictions on ESNP land	
2025-12-08T00:10:28.502Z	Deborah		Yes		Nature deserves to be protected, we are a national Park city so let's try to save our parks instead of industrialize them	
2025-12-07T23:57:45.930Z	Amy		Yes		Please don't take this land from the public and its inhabitants .	
					I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land.	
2025-12-07T22:57:30.974Z	Zachary		Yes		I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land. So much for a national park city, do the right thing.	
2025-12-07T15:19:09.186Z 2025-12-07T15:19:09.183Z	==== Ben		Yes		If the mayors office thinks the enterprise South Park is "inactive" then I dare them to spend at least one night in a tent. There are tons of animals, scents and life in these woods.	
					no	
2025-12-07T14:35:28.496Z 2025-12-07T14:35:28.492Z	==== Sue		Yes		I do not support using Enterprise South Nature Park for any industrial purposes. I want to preserve the park area FOREVER!! Just as its intended purpose!!	
					I oppose lifting restrictions on any ESNP land. It's not your land to sell, it's the land of the people.	
2025-12-07T00:48:22.387Z	==== Jennifer		==== Yes		I would like to have McDonald farm preserved for recreation and conservation. (I tried to submit before and not sure it went through)	
					I agree with making McDonald farm for conserving and recreation	
2025-12-07T12:47:10.486Z 2025-12-07T12:47:10.482Z	==== Barb		==== Yes		environment conservation/farming is a wise use of that property as well especially along the Cumberland Trail view corridor; with access to the Cumberland Trail from Permanent Protection of Park Lands, ie. Enterprise South, should be permanent! I also believe saving a good segment of McDonald Farm's Land for public use and the farm buildings/future hostel/County Fair property for the Cumberland Trail Users and for hiking, biking, and horse travel!	
					Save the park.... I vote NO!!	
2025-12-08T03:40:46.403Z	John				preserve. Trying to force this as a "we can't save them both" is a false flag. You've preserved ESNP, and you've preserved McDonald Farm. Sweet, so now they should I strongly oppose this land swap. The county is treating the land swap as a zero sum game, but that's not the case. ESNP was set aside in perpetuity as a nature remain preserved forever. This proposal is a bait and switch and it stinks of corruption.	
2025-12-08T03:19:08.371Z	Thomas		Yes		Tired of all our land being sold off, I would like for future generations to have more than just concrete to look at. Very unhealthy world we're creating for future and younger generations	
2025-12-08T00:06:58.392Z	Gloria		Yes		I OPPOSE any changes to Enterprise South Nature Park. Please DO NOT lift the deed that protects ALL acres assigned ESNP.	
2025-12-05T21:55:22.026Z	Max		Yes		urge you to lead with more wisdom than you are currently showcasing and recognize the impacts that REMOVING public land protections will have on future Dear Hamilton County Leaders, only you have made this a one-or-the-other decision. The residents who you represent and who elected you deserve both green spaces. I generations. I strongly oppose the rezoning of Enterprise South Nature Park and disagree with your core logic of it being necessary. Furthermore, we can only thank our local journalism for shining light on your hidden efforts to advance this agenda in the shadows during the early stages. As this review process continues, I am confident you will find very little, genuine public support for your proposed deed swap.	
2025-12-05T17:06:18.537Z	Lee		Yes		The framing of this issue as an either/or situation is false. I don't understand why Hamilton County can't preserve the 1300 acres at McDonald Farm, maintain the existing public space at Enterprise, and find another site for the industrial park. This area has come a long way from the destruction of the industrial past, and I don't see how a few short-term economic gains outweigh that progress. This area's best assets are green spaces and public spaces. We rely on tourist money to keep the economy moving. When you start eroding those assets through industrial development, you threaten the bedrock of what's been built over the last 40 years. Public space is probably one of the main reasons to live in Hamilton County. When you start messing around with selling public space off for quick gains, you mess with the quality of life in the area, which threatens long-term growth. Adding public space should be a long-term goal, not limiting it or placing it in a false dichotomy. I believe in these principles strongly and oppose any elected public servant who thinks selling public space for peanuts in economic development terms.	
2025-12-05T17:05:37.620Z	Lee		Yes		The framing of this issue as an either/or situation is false. I don't understand why Hamilton County can't preserve the 1300 acres at McDonald Farm, maintain the existing public space at Enterprise, and find another site for the industrial park. This area has come a long way from the destruction of the industrial past, and I don't see how a few short-term economic gains outweigh that progress. This area's best assets are green spaces and public spaces. We rely on tourist money to keep the economy moving. When you start eroding those assets through industrial development, you threaten the bedrock of what's been built over the last 40 years. Public space is probably one of the main reasons to live in Hamilton County. When you start messing around with selling public space off for quick gains, you mess with the quality of life in the area, which threatens long-term growth. Adding public space should be a long-term goal, not limiting it or placing it in a false dichotomy. I believe in these principles strongly and oppose any elected public servant who thinks selling public space for peanuts in economic development terms.	
2025-12-05T17:17:25.073Z	Jonathan		Yes		I do not support development at Enterprise. It's one of the only nature parks accessible to the majority of the Chattanooga population. I currently use Enterprise Park, and I would not use it in the future if there is a large industrial development nearby (defeats the purpose of pursuing time in nature).	

2025-12-04T21:28:40.933Z	Melissa				I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.Chattanooga, Tenn.  On April 3, 2025, Chattanooga first National Park City in North America. Please STOP selling off public lands or lifting protections on public lands!	
2025-12-04T14:17:10.943Z	**** Alexa			*** Yes		
					I oppose this land swap.	
2025-12-04T12:29:32.417Z	**** Alexa			*** Yes	I am opposed to the redistricting and commercial use of the acreage at Enterprise Park. It should remain as was intended- a nature preserve and nature park!!!!	
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2025-12-04T03:01:40.932Z	**** Deanna			Yes	I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land.  I do not want any part of enterprise South park to be turned into industrial manufacturing land.	
2025-12-04T02:43:49.372Z	Amelia			Yes	Thank you for sharing this information. I appreciate the effort to communicate with the community, but I want to be very clear: this land swap is not a good idea. McDonald Farm and Enterprise South are nearly 30 miles apart—they are not interchangeable, and preserving one cannot "trade off" the loss of the other. Enterprise South is already a vital, living ecosystem for wildlife, and continued development is pushing these animals to the brink. We are seeing far too much construction and not enough true conservation. We cannot keep destroying natural habitats and then call it a fair exchange somewhere else. This proposal is not a solution—it's a loss. Enterprise South is irreplaceable, and once it's gone, it's gone forever. I strongly encourage Hamilton County leaders to reconsider this plan and prioritize protecting the land we already have, instead of sacrificing a cherished wildlife refuge for more development....and the old mighty dollar.	
2025-12-05T21:32:36.730Z	**** Babs			*** Yes	This area is already well overrun with industrial traffic and impact on the environment. Also current road infrastructure cannot currently handle the traffic. The risk is too great for detrimental impact on the local community	
2025-12-03T21:32:36.730Z	Heather			Yes	Permanently preserve the acreage at McDonald Farm and Enterprise South Nature Park!	
2025-12-03T18:46:00.875Z	Robert			Yes	We do not need more Industrial zoning at the expense of our green spaces.	
					NO	
2025-12-03T16:17:00.100Z	Elizabeth			Yes	We need to protect the entirety of Enterprise South Nature Park and McDonald Farm. I live in Soddy Daisy and I use Enterprise South Nature Park for hiking almost every protect them. Chattanooga was just made North America's First National Park City protecting "our most precious resources and places not only today but for Day. The community of Chattanooga and Hamilton County have been very vocal about their wishes for these lands, we don't want to industrialize them and we want to generations to come", let's honor that statement, please. It will be a shame that we get national recognition to be followed with a decision that doesn't align for what we stand for as a city and its county.	
2025-12-03T16:09:04.136Z	melissa			Yes	overbuilt for GREED !!! THIS IS NONSENSE !!!  destroying our beautiful country in coltewah!	
2025-12-03T15:41:12.740Z	Kirsten			Yes	this land is not the answer. I encourage all those responsible not to turn part of ESNP over for industrial development. I understand the need for jobs and whatnot in our steadily growing area, but I and many others in the county and beyond enjoy ESNP on a regular (several times a week in my case) basis. It would be such a tragedy to see it destroyed.	
2025-12-03T15:35:57.398Z	Margaret			Yes	Please do not take any of the land at Enterprise South. McDonald farm needs to stay as rural land. We do not need to lose any more natural land.	
2025-12-03T14:42:43.862Z	Brian			Yes	nearly daily as a way to support both my physical and mental health. It has been an incredible benefit to me. Taking green space away from the public serves no good purpose. Removing peaceful recreation space from the community does only harm. I personally use this park I strongly oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land.	
2025-12-03T11:58:23.385Z	**** Joseph			*** Yes	I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land. The land is to be forever provided for recreation, and if the government cannot protect that, a lot of trust is lost. The recreation areas are a highlight of why I live here and love this place.	
					No	
2025-12-03T04:18:38.895Z	**** Chaine			*** Yes	Preserving 1300 acres of McDonald farm, has nothing to do with Enterprise Nature Park South. It's not an either/or situation. To industrialize any part of either park is a travesty put by greedy politicians Anybody can look at the proposed plan that is being pushed affects trails, the ecosystem and beauty of the park The lame spin of the proposal is laughable and a downright lie.	
2025-12-03T04:17:59.193Z	Katie			Yes	I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-12-03T02:34:00.367Z	Rodger			Yes	I'm against any development on enterprise south. The original terms should be honored.	
2025-12-03T02:09:28.087Z	Pam			Yes	Do NOT take away our conserved areas at Enterprise Park!! It's wrong, very likely illegal, and will not be forgotten.	

					No to the Restriction release or lift for Enterprise South Park.	
2025-12-02T00:17:54.017Z	Rachel			Yes	Yes, for the preservation of more than 1,300 acres at McDonald Farm for conservation and recreation, while maintaining all existing recreation at Enterprise South Nature Park.	
2025-12-02T00:48.042Z 2025-12-02T00:55.32.360Z	Perry			Yes	Chattanooga is a national park city let's continue that. I take my 3 and 5 year old to enterprise all the time to enjoy the outdoors ride bikes and hike. Not sure what we would do without it	
2025-12-02T23:12:26.291Z	****Laken			Yes	We thought the original contract was for conservation and green space and we would like to keep it that way. I vote NO.	
					I oppose lifting restrictions on any ENSP land	
2025-12-02T22:55:32.327Z	Jacob			Yes	land with some road that is going to be filled with potholes in two years. It's obvious many of you have never walked through these areas and experienced what it's like to I am against any form of destruction of any public park, especially one was supposed to be deemed for the public forever. A trade is never equal and you will be devaluing breathe the exhaust of dozens of idling cars, all because the priority is keeping a four-lane road rather than investing in protected bike lanes or expanding/encouraging public transportation. It is disgusting that my tax dollars pay for you people to come up with these idiotic ideas. And claiming you will "permanently preserve more than 1,300 acres" rings hollow when Enterprise South was supposed to be the exact same thing. Pretty disgusting proposals from a city that wants to brag about being a national park city	
2025-12-02T21:38:06.997Z 2025-12-02T21:38:06.997Z	****Gary			Yes	I agree with the proposed transfer of deed restrictions between McDonald Farm and Enterprise South Nature Park. The concept would permanently preserve more than 1,300 acres at McDonald Farm for conservation and recreation, while maintaining all existing recreation at Enterprise South Nature Park.	
2025-12-02T19:50:33.087Z				Yes	I oppose lifting protections on ANY part of Enterprise South Nature Park!	
2025-12-02T19:47:29.184Z	Arthur			Yes	NO TO INDUSTRIALIZATION	
2025-12-02T18:42:53.791Z	****Miriam			Yes	No I am against	
2025-12-02T18:34:56.276Z	Raquel			Yes	No	
2025-12-02T18:09:29.875Z	Sara			Yes	No	
					I am against rezoning proposal of enterprise park. I vote no	
2025-12-02T17:45:10.852Z	Camille			Yes	I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land. I live right next to enterprise. My family loves the trails and taking walks together. This should stay public land!	
2025-12-02T17:36:25.652Z	Stewart			Yes	PLEASE DON'T EVER TAKE AWAY THE ATLAS TRAIL! It's what makes ESNP a Mtn bike destination. Atlas is fully 2/3 of the Mtn bike trail there, and unless you are promising to build at least 2-3 times as much equivalent, most excellent MTB trail on another county property... LEAVE ATLAS ALONE! ♦♦♦♦	
					Do the industrial development SOMEWHERE ELSE.	
2025-12-02T17:11:00.000Z 2025-12-02T17:11:18.933Z	****Karen			Yes	I am strongly opposed to the proposal to rezone any of Enterprise South Nature Park to industrial. I say NO to any proposal to rezone any portion of the park.	
2025-12-02T16:33:22.151Z	Ron			Yes	Leave the park alone!	
					I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land. This land was given to the residents as a park and not for manufacturing!	
2025-12-02T16:01:00.000Z 2025-12-02T15:07:21.172Z	****Katherine			Yes	- NO IF'S, ANDS, or BUTS about it. I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land  If industry needs property, then there are plenty of vacant commercial properties available. Stop destroying the main reason folks actually move to Chattanooga.	
					I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land!!	
2025-12-02T15:07:47.077Z 2025-12-02T09:08:47.155Z	****Moishi			Yes	I am in favor of the proposed deed swap. I think it's an acceptable solution to a difficult problem. We MUST protect the beautiful property of McDonald Farm that makes the north end of the county so unique and desirable. The deed swap might not be ideal in everyone's eyes but it seems like a sound and viable solution to many.	
2025-12-02T04:47:08.901Z	PATRICIA			Yes	I oppose this deed swap and oppose lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
					I think it's a start, But I also think mcdonald's farm should stay as it is using it for events and things like that	
2025-12-02T04:47:08.901Z	****Glenn			Yes	I oppose the deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land. If this measure proceeds, it will never be undone, and we will all be poorer for it.	
2025-12-01T21:05:22Z	Donna			Yes	No to development enterprise and McDonald	
2025-12-01T20:23:13.186Z				Yes	NO to Enterprise development	
2025-12-01T15:16:40.581Z	****Tamara				No conversion. Please leave Enterprise South as is.	
					I oppose lifting protection on any of the ESNP, it is a community park with high use that we treasure having full access to.	
2025-12-01T12:00:07.184Z	Yemi			Yes	Do not industrialize any part of Enterprise South Nature Park. We need our green spaces. How can we be the national champion ark city and even	

					consider this?	
2025-12-01T01:48:56.925Z 2025-12-01T02:48:04.341Z	---Sharon			Yes	Leave Enterprise South Nature Park alone!! I don't trust that building around the recreational public trails wont eventually lead to the destruction of those as well. The ecological impact of destroying this land would be devastating. Ooltewah's economic growth has already been astronomical over the past decade, please make the responsible decision to preserve this land! Stop the transfer of deeds!	
					I OPPOSE LIFTING PROTECTIONS ON ANY ESNP LAND!!!	
2025-12-01T01:48:56.925Z	Shane			Yes	I am opposed to the land swap. Harrison/Ooltewah is overcrowded as is and moving more industries into that area would make what is already a traffic nightmare even worse	
2025-12-01T01:48:18.260Z	Lawrence			Yes	I oppose lifting restrictions on Enterprise South land. We oppose any land swap, and any development of any kind at Enterprise South except for that which supports its current purpose as a public park and recreational area for tens of thousands of people.	
2025-12-01T01:48:18.040Z 2025-12-01T01:48:18.062Z	---Matt			Yes	I strongly oppose lifting protections on ESNP land. We bought a home in a community near to Enterprise South Park with the explicit understanding it was protected and would remain as is FOREVER. I would not have moved here if I knew there were plans to change any part of it into an industrial area. Absolutely ridiculous and negatively affects the value of my home.	
2025-12-01T00:23:40.943Z	Aaron			Yes	I do not support the development and removal of trails at enterprise South Park.	
					No! Absolutely No! Listen to " The People"! Period!	
2025-11-30T10:22:21.222Z 2025-12-01T02:22.21.222Z	---John			Yes	No to the land swap. Promises must be kept and the people were promised this land of Enterprise South for recreational uses. This swap is not advantageous to the people who respect natural places close to the people. If commerce wishes to build they will spend the money needed to develop the property (McDonald Farm) if they want their business in the region. I do not appreciate the lack of transparency. The way the government levels and systems allow Businesses and Developers the ability to trample the citizen's wishes. Thank goodness to the Chattanooga Times Free Press for running the story. I fear HC government would not have allowed time to truly hear and document opposition. Instead, leaders continually point to the majority of the citizens not being interested. Disinterest is far from the truth as 11,000 signatures and continuing will attest. Your Mayor's words and my beliefs, HC government still had more federal and local wheels to grease before unveiling the project to the people. The lack of transparency is troubling. If HC government feels an AI Data Center is needed then the AI Data Center can be developed on McDonald Farm and be less disruptive to the lives of fewer citizens than allowing the building of one on Enterprise South land. Do the research...AI Data Centers are highly disruptive and use many resources. Resources pulled from the people in times of drought or outages. For these reasons and more...I VOTE NO TO A SWAP OF LAND.	
2025-11-30T10:52:24.818Z	Stephen				I vote no on this effort	
2025-11-30T12:45:27.032Z	Ava			Yes	We DO NOT support taking land from ESNP and using it for development. KEEP ALL OF ESNP A PARK, DO NOT DEVELOP AN INCH	
2025-11-30T19:55:10.624Z	Terry			Yes	I'm an avid mountain biker, as is my son and many biking friends that we go riding with. It was shocking to hear of a land swap to done just because someone thinks the bikers are not fully utilizing the trails. McDonald Farms is not a fair and proper land swap. The original deal to establish Enterprise South should not be changed. Period. There is plenty of land available in the country for industrial/corporate development. Go find it.	
2025-11-30T19:30:07.762Z 2025-11-30T12:47:10.182Z	Laura			Yes	and we can be without technology and have our family talks and laughs... our family will be devastated! Please keep in mind how this is a healthy outlet for many people NO ... I have taken my children to enterprise at least once a week for the last 10 years and ran there alone prior... this is the place we escape close to home that's safe who just have to clear their minds and live nature and learning! Not to mention biking!!	
2025-11-30T12:48:04.980Z 2025-11-30T12:47:10.182Z	KJ			Yes	My household says a resounding and heartfelt ~NO~ to any industrial growth that removes even one inch of Enterprise South Nature Park. If more industry is needed, why not develop a large swath of land that was already industrial? Did the Lookouts really need a new stadium? Did they? This is about greed. Yours. The developers. Stop the greed. Protect the green.	
2025-11-30T12:08:24.101Z	---Jen			Yes	I do not approve of the proposed transfer	
2025-11-30T08:29:59.458Z	Cindi			Yes	I oppose the land swap a want to see Enterprise and the trail system remain as is.	
					I hike there often. We need to keep it with all the different trails!	
2025-11-30T03:45:46.247Z	Melissa			Yes	This is a treasured piece of land that we go to weekly. If co convenient and close . We bike, hike and walk here and have done so since it opened. Other places are to far away. We enjoy quietness. The deer are precious and have made themselves a home.	
2025-11-30T03:27:22.379Z	Aniama			Yes	I vote no to more ripping up of our forests. I hardly recognize our area anymore. I treasure Enterprise South and do not want to see it changed for commercial greed.	
2025-11-30T03:26:19.944Z	Daniel			Yes	I am very concerned about the lack of conservation by our leaders. I am very much opposed to the plan to take out a large section of Enterprise South for commercial purposes. JUST SAY NO!	
2025-11-30T03:25:18.416Z	Daniel			Yes	I am very much opposed to this new plan to rape our lands of forests. I don't want any more deforestation in our area. It has gotten out of hand.	
2025-11-30T03:20:48.007Z 2025-11-30T03:21:17.898Z	---Gary			Yes	We have seen so much tearing down of our forests around our area lately and it MUST STOP. We are losing our lands because of commercial greed. Save our area from any more destruction.	
					No	
2025-11-30T02:11.845Z 2025-11-30T01:13.21.976Z	Katherine			Yes	I oppose lifting protections on Enterprise South Nature Park land! We love and value the park as is, and do not want to lose any of it. Thank you!	
2025-11-30T00:20:25.194Z	Stephen			Yes	No	
2025-11-29T23:33:58.910Z	---Julie			Yes	I strongly oppose any lifting of the PERMANENT protection of the land at ESNP. FOREVER means FOREVER.	

2025-11-29T15:53:58.050Z			Yes	I oppose using any of this land to build developments, apartments or anything else that is not public use green space or nature reserve.	
2025-11-29T15:17:37.422Z	---_JW		Yes	I like the idea of a road connecting Hilltop to Volkswagen Dr	
				I voted No	
2025-11-29T12:59:51.142Z	Lynn		Yes	I strongly disapprove of the deed transfer of any of Enterprise South allowing any additional acreage to be developed for industry. Do not allow greed to destroy the nature area and wildlife. This was set aside with deed restrictions and those should remain in place.	
2025-11-29T12:59:08.005Z	Sarah		Yes	We live on the Enterprise side of Ooltewah and with all of the developments going up in our area we need to preserve as much natural area for the wildlife and for our health as possible. We enjoy the use of ENP regularly and enjoy seeing that small stretch of woods along the interstate.	
2025-11-29T12:04:42.887Z	Gary		Yes	No, this is getting out of hand in Hamilton County. The natural beauty and rural areas do not need this, or want this nonsense, it has no infrastructure supporting it and the land is being destroyed. Enough is enough!!!	
2025-11-29T10:03:00.002Z 2025-11-29T03:06:17.355Z	---_Patti		Yes	I oppose the deed swap between Enterprise South Nature Park and McDonald Farm. I strongly oppose lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-11-29T02:28:45.371Z	Cassie		Yes	The park should stay a park.! I vote no to a deed switch or whatever it's called	
2025-11-29T01:39:29.692Z	Shelia		Yes	No on rezoning	
2025-11-29T00:39:58.890Z	Vanessa		Yes	Leave ES alone. Old McDonald Farm was a bad investment.	
2025-11-28T22:33:09.561Z	Launey		Yes	No	
2025-11-28T20:53:08.018Z	Stacey		Yes	Absolutely, unequivocally I vote NO!	
				Please keep Enterprise Park as is. No to Industrial business.	
2025-11-28T19:32:26.243Z	Gregory		Yes	My soul has been refreshed many times while hiking at Enterprise South Nature Park, and I hope to continue to enjoy this peaceful preserve -- hopefully, as is -- in the years ahead.	
2025-11-28T18:13:45.179Z	Gregory		---_Yes	My soul has been refreshed many times while hiking at Enterprise South Nature Park, and I hope to continue enjoying this peaceful preserve -- hopefully, as is -- in the years ahead.	
	Donald			Leave Enterprise South alone. Period. Selling the barren, swampy Old McDonald Farm as some kind of like for like trade, is a bare faced lie.	
2025-11-28T18:13:45.179Z 2025-11-28T17:48:18.211Z	---_Nathan		---_Yes	I vote no on reasoning enterprise south . It should only be for more business not housing . Also there has to be a way to build without killing every tree on site. I even own a land clearing company and I hate all the subdivisions popping up.	
				McDonald Farm is a treasure that should be preserved. This land swap makes sense to me.	
2025-11-28T17:48:18.211Z	---_Karen		---_Yes	We moved to Chattanooga as our retirement home primarily for the outdoor activities and open space. Please honor the "permanent" preservation of Enterprise South as a park.	
2025-11-28T16:10:36.821Z	Byron		Yes	Economic growth should never negatively impact our ability to be the "scenic city" of the south.	
2025-11-28T14:52:30.816Z	Joyce		Yes	Protect both.	
				Please conserve enterprise nature park and McDonald farm!	
2025-11-28T14:18:42.836Z	Jeri		Yes	This greatly used, by human and wildlife, natural area has been deeded to remain natural for perpetuity. The current sewage system cannot handle additional flow, excess sewage and stormwater runoff). Zero infrastructure improvements have been made in the recent unplanned development, therefore we now have overcrowded especially industrial plus the additional homes to house workers (Hamilton County is currently building two 15-million gallon tanks and a 10-million tank to store schools and torn-up, insufficient roads, flooding, and loss of wildlife, wetlands, scenic beauty, farmland, and quality of life. Recommend that the Chattanooga brownfields be utilized for new industry as the land is already zoned industrial (formerly industrial) and the infrastructure exists along with the Tennessee River for cooling water.	
2025-11-28T14:05:58.699Z	Jojo		---_Yes	Don't sell out the county for money. This park is an asset to the county. It helps the community stay healthy and a great location for multiple recreational activities.	
2025-11-28T11:51:54.395Z	---_Lisa		Yes	No more new building at either location, use the current abandoned industrial areas around the county	
				No, opposed .	
2025-11-28T10:48:52.884Z	---_Thomas		---_Yes	Please protect the existing Enterprise Nature Park from industrial development. We need to carefully protect these areas for the sake of our future generations. It would be short sighted and irresponsible to do otherwise.	
2025-11-28T04:30:49.694Z	Crystal			Leave nature as nature. We are over-populated as it is. Focus more on infrastructure before anything else.	
				I oppose lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-11-28T03:21:54.579Z	Mary		---_Yes	Please do not swap the acreage of McDonald Farm and Enterprise South. Leave them as nature properties. thanks.	
2025-11-28T03:19:37.754Z	---_Jonathan		Yes	I am absolutely, 100%, opposed to using any of the land that comprises Enterprise South for Industrial, Commercial or Residential use.	
2025-11-28T03:19:01.410Z	Naomi		Yes	Please leave the land natural and the beautiful trees ♡♦♦♦need to stay there for my grandchildren .	



2025-11-25T15:40:44.98Z 2025-11-26T10:53:14.25Z	Chris Jason		Yes	I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land. This land is used by tens of thousands of residents and tourists annually and should remain available for public use.
				I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land.
2025-11-26T10:53:14.25Z	Jonathan		Yes	Please do not approve this land swap. The community of Ooltewah are beyond want to keep Enterprise South Nature Park just the way it is. My home and my neighborhood border the park that they want to develop for industrial use, we do not want that.
2025-11-26T10:53:14.25Z 2025-11-25T23:55:09.25Z	Chris Edin		Yes	I love Enterprise Park! I have many great memories with my Dad there, and he taught me to ride a mountain bike when I was in elementary school at that park. I think Chattanooga's great wealth is its many parks and preserving this and developing McDonald farm for conservation is the way to preserve this space that many people love and maintain the quality of the environment. I think development of either space would be a waste of the natural resources people look to Chattanooga for!
2025-11-25T23:55:09.25Z	Glenn		Yes	I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land
				Opposed
2025-11-26T10:53:14.25Z 2025-11-25T22:27:58.379Z	Tom Paul		Yes	Forever means forever. I oppose any attempt to rezone Enterprise south nature park to develop for any purpose. Stop trying to skirt around the zoning that was put in place to protect the park. Your constituents are speaking. Listen or you'll be voted out next election. And stop talking down to us about "misunderstandings" and "out of context". You lied about your intentions and got caught. Own up to it, protect the park, and move on.
				I oppose any change to the deed and use of the enterprise south park property.
2025-11-26T10:53:14.25Z 2025-11-25T21:53:03.743Z	Kenisha		Yes	from one of its beautiful nature preserves? This is unacceptable, and 11,000 of your constituents (and growing) understand that. I implore the legislators in charge to I am strongly opposed to the land swap of Enterprise South Nature Park. Chattanooga calls itself a "national park city," yet has the gall to propose lifting protections respect the wishes of their constituents above the wishes of big businesses. Thank you.
				Visited there such a beautiful place
2025-11-26T10:53:14.25Z 2025-11-25T19:23:54.651Z	Audrey		Yes	This is the worst idea I've heard in a long time.What are they trying to do to this area? There's not a positive thing that could come out of this.THE TRAFFIC IN THAT AREA IS OUT OF CONTROL ALREADY.How about fixing what's broken first.The infrastructure is ridiculous as it is.
2025-11-25T17:15:03.121Z	Scott		Yes	PLEASE LEAVE THE PARK ALONE!!!!!! So many enjoy it exactly the way it is.
				I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land.
2025-11-25T17:15:31:24.169Z	Lee		Yes	travel to McDonald Farm is nonsense. Recreation options need to be convenient to access. Going through with the swap is a slippery slope that sets a precedent for I oppose the land swap! ESNP is a treasure that was deeded to be preserved in perpetuity. It's accessible to so many residents and thinking those residents will simply more protections to be ignored and removed. Please don't spoil the gem that is ESNP!
2025-11-25T15:27:23.196Z	David		Yes	that runs thru the Atlas trail will ruin it for many people and creating a industrial park there will also be disastrous for the people who use the park and the people who live Before you damage the best park we have think about it. The land is suppose to be protected for recreation only and many people, like me, enjoy it. Expanding a road near there and were expecting the protected land would always be a wilderness park for everyone! There many places less damaging to the people to put an industrial park. So please rethink your plans and keep this and McDonald Farm for recreation
2025-11-25T14:54:19.953Z	Waynonda		Yes	pushing atrollers, cycling and even in wheel chairs. I have seen people being their dogs, and even a man walking his bird. The very young and old all have a place to go to I go to Enyerprise South twice a week to cycle on the paved trails, and the amount of people there enjoying nature never seems to amaze me. I see people walking, reconnect with nature, as soon as the pull the park. I have seen deer, turtles, fish and amazing birds while in the park. It is a treasure to be protected. Please preserve it as is, for the many generations who cherish it now, and the generations to come.

2025-11-25T14:38:34.547Z	Terry		Yes	I oppose lifting any protections on ENSP land. I use the trails at Enterprise South regularly as do many of the Hamilton County residents I know.
				I oppose lifting restrictions on any Enterprise South Park land. I am opposed to any land I, deed or restrictions swap with McDonald Farm.
2025-11-25T14:35:01.801Z	Larry		Yes	<p>Personally, this seem like it is a done deal and the Mayor and City Council members are pushing this through to benefit a very few developers. I have lived in multiple states and when land or trails are lost they are never ever replaced. Moving to Chattanooga I was amazed to find the Crown Jewel of parks, Enterprise South and it was a major decision to move to Chattanooga because of the park systems. Tennessee is called the Volunteer State, that's what built Enterprise and Volunteers maintain the hiking and biking system of trails for all ages. The Council needs to look deep in the mirror and realize that this decision is not about the people or their families. Actions matter and have consequences.</p> <p>***** The deed for Enterprise South Nature Park was written with one purpose: ***** ***** It uses the word "*****" three times and "*****" three times all to make one thing unmistakable: ***** ***** "These restrictions and covenants are binding on the Grantee, its successors and assigns; shall run with the land; and are forever enforceable" Our community was promised permanent land! Respectfully, Larry O'Neil</p>

2025-11-25T14:34:29.702Z	Chris		Yes	<p>*****</p> <p>It uses the word " ***" three times and " ***" three times all to make one thing unmistakable: <b>*****</b></p> <p>***** "These restrictions and covenants are binding on the Grantee, its successors and assigns; shall run with the land; and are forever enforceable" Our community was promised permanent protection, not industrial rezoning.</p> <p>...</p> <p>*****: <a href="https://www.timesfreepress.com/news/2025/nov/23/proposed-enterprise-south-nature-park-development/">https://www.timesfreepress.com/news/2025/nov/23/proposed-enterprise-south-nature-park-development/</a></p> <p>...</p> <p>:</p> <p>*****</p> <p>*****</p> <p>If you want all of ESNP to stay a park and not be converted into an industrial corridor, please take a moment to act.</p> <p>*****</p> <p><a href="https://chnge.it/LdNtCjWwvg">https://chnge.it/LdNtCjWwvg</a></p> <p>:</p>
2025-11-25T14:09:26.143Z	Leonard		Yes	Touching ESNP in any way is unacceptable. Whoever came up with this terrible idea must not know the history of Chattanooga. Plus we just became a National Park City, and you want to chip away at parks? Idiotic at best. There is plenty of unused, rundown and abandoned property, use it.
2025-11-25T14:01:58.174Z	*** Jennifer		Yes	I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land. My family and I bought our home KNOWING our neighborhood backed up to land that was promised to be protected forever.
2025-11-25T14:01:14.028Z	Julia		Yes	I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land.
2025-11-25T13:59:32.858Z	Boyd		Yes	I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land
	Kelly		Yes	I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land.
2025-11-25T13:59:33.029Z	Tina		Yes	I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land.
				I oppose lifting restrictions on Enterprise Soup Nature Park.
2025-11-25T13:59:40.040Z	*** Jane		*** Yes	The restrictions in the deed at Enterprise South need to stay in place as they were intended and McDonald Farm needs to be preserved. Hamilton County needs to put a hold on all development until we work out our infrastructure issues. Our elected officials need to stop selling out the county they serve!
				You are obligated to keep Enterprise Park as it was originally intended- a park.
2025-11-25T13:59:40.040Z	*** Elizabeth		*** Yes	County residents most easily access Enterprise South (including me, who lives on the Northern side of HC). Hasn't Enterprise South already been permanently The conservation at McDonald farm is a great concept and may be a benefit in the future as Hamilton County expands. However currently, the majority of Hamilton preserved? Why would we trust that HC leaders would honor permanently preserving McDonald when they propose reasoning of Enterprise South- an area that already has that status- for convenience of industrial growth? This deal proposal sounds like moving protected status one area to another that is far less accessible for residents, in the meantime decreasing housing values that backed up to that land. So when the area surrounding McDonald gets built up, and actually has recreational and housing value, will there be another swap? How can residents trust opportunistic leaders who do not uphold current agreements?
2025-11-25T11:07:07.380Z	Pat		Yes	I strongly oppose transferring the deed restriction and converting any part of Enterprise south nature park to industrial land.
				I do not approve of the industrial development of Enterprise South.
2025-11-25T11:02:25.892Z	Beth		Yes	I am against the rezoning land swap of any portion of enterprise south nature park. I strongly recommend our county shut this down. The citizens are against it.

				I'm against building in Enterprise South Park. It's such a beautiful, peaceful place.	
2025-11-24T16:39:59.486Z 2025-11-24T16:39:59.486Z	From Eric		Yes	Please vote "NO" to the proposed transfer of deed restrictions between McDonald Farm and Enterprise South Nature Park. You should consider utilizing some of our brownfield properties.	
				I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land.	
2025-11-24T16:11:04.040Z	James		Yes	Please protect Enterprise South Park. The wildlife is already being pressed by residential development in that area. Please protect that land for the wildlife, biodiversity and recreation opportunities to our citizens.	
2025-11-24T16:06:01.240Z 2025-11-24T16:06:07.000Z	From Elise		Yes	his bad investment at the cost of public land that we have been promised forever, as per the charter. Please represent your constituents and not businesses that will I am very opposed to the sale of Enterprise South in a fake exchange with McDonald Farm. This "swap" is purely made up by Weston to make	

					people choose to protect remove the parts of our city that make people love living here.	
2025-11-24T16:05:11.281Z	charlie			Yes	I oppose the proposed deed transfer.	
					I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land	
2025-11-24T15:48:49.916Z	Stephen			Yes	<p>disruptions in leadership with the next election. Every place I go into here on this side of the county, this topic comes up..young and old, liberal and republican. It does</p> <p>This issue of removing perpetual protection of enterprise for development needs to end now. Honestly, I do not want this to happen. And, Geez guys, we don't need optic well. As a county employee, big leadership changes make for big ripples to all parts of our organization. I really love the positive things that have been done and</p> <p>are in process for our region, but removing a third of a park and trail system I regularly use...I do not agree.</p> <p>Dr. Stephen Miller DO</p>	
2025-11-24T15:47:17.379Z	Deb			Yes	It would be a terrible decision to lose and mile of trail system in Chattanooga. We are a national park city, we should add to that not take away	
2025-11-24T15:38:11.202Z				Yes	I am against the transfer of deed restrictions.	
2025-11-24T15:34:54.308Z	Dale			Yes	I oppose this land swap. Enterprise South nature Park needs to stay a nature park as stated in it's original plan.	
					SAVE THE PARK	
2025-11-24T15:31:17.716Z	Bria			Yes	<p>from Hamilton County citizens. The plans to open the Hill Road as an exit will only increase large truck traffic at the Hunter Road Exit, a place that is already a nightmare</p> <p>I do not support the selling/deed swap" of Enterprise South Nature Park because of increased environmental pollution, noise pollution, and taking away of green space in that corridor due to the irresponsible growth in that area as it is. Opening up ESNP does not support conservation.</p>	
2025-11-24T15:16:15.657Z	KB			Yes	Oppose! Please leave Enterprise South Nature Park alone and protected as per the original deed agreement. This goes along with the "500 acres" proposed for industrial development.	
2025-11-24T14:54:24.464Z	DANIEL			Yes	I oppose removing any deed restrictions on any part of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
					I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land.	
2025-11-24T14:47:51.414Z	Brian			Yes	<p>purposes. This proposal made by the County and the Mayor is a heinous violation of the public trust and the deed as well. I will actively campaign against and and all</p> <p>I vehemently oppose any and all efforts to remove protected park land from Enterprise South Nature Park for the purposes of an industrial park, or any other commercial elected officials who advocate for this proposal, no matter their or my own political affiliation.</p>	
2025-11-24T13:25:49.246Z	Debbie Michael			Yes	Please do not allow for Enterprise South Nature Park to be industrial!! The contracts state the park is forever and they must be honored. Do not destroy our beautiful parks!!!	
					I oppose lifting any restrictions from ESNP land.	
2025-11-24T04:35:26.586Z	Ronetta			Yes	City planners and political "powers" have already turned Chattanooga into a totally different city than I moved to 20 years ago ( and not in a good way!) Please don't allow it to loose any remaining beauty and charm.	
2025-11-24T04:01:38Z	Carrie			Yes	<p>I feel that preserving what is there is very important. And the county can not stand to build new roads and interstates to build up either area. It is horrible to try and pull you will not be able to.</p> <p>out on Hwy 27 here in Sale Creek now. And when you come into the 45 speed zone, you better be getting in the lane you need to because if you wait til the last minute,</p> <p>How can a county decide if you can do this to that much property without the public backing this????</p> <p>If I wanted to live in a big city. We would have staying in Miamisburg, OH, where it takes you 20 minutes to go 2 miles!</p> <p>People don't want drastic changes that is going to interrupt the nature of the animals around us. We often have Deer ♀♦♦♦ pass through our property. And we love that.</p> <p>We love hearing wood peckers and other birds, enjoying a lot of other wonderful things..</p> <p>It is funny how the government won't keep the trees and stuff cleaned out of the creek beds to help keep the waters in the actual creek beds instead of running people out and off their homes. But, all for disturbing thousands of acres with no worries.</p> <p>Just food for thought.</p>	
					I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land.	
2025-11-24T00:56:02.133Z	Melanie			Yes	<p>running, biking, frisbee golf, dog meet ups to play, halloween activities and so much more. We need more preservation of green space and access to areas for outdoor</p> <p>I am writing to implore you to not utilize the beautiful area at Enterprise South for further development in our county. The area is used by so many residents for walking, recreation not less. Please do the right thing for the many thousands of residents and animals that benefit from this space.</p>	
2025-11-23T22:47:18.137Z	Doug			Yes	My daughter lives on crooked Cove Way just off of road and myself and All four of my grandchildren mountain bike and use enterprise South extensively. The county has already chosen to develop hunter Road massively as a residential area and now shifting gears and making land adjacent to this area is responsible And detrimental to those who have chosen to invest money and building homes there	
2025-11-23T22:01:08.752Z	Sonia			Yes	<p>manufacturing heyday already, and it led us to be named "The Dirtiest City in America" by Walter Cronkite. Us residents of Hamilton county do not benefit from this deal</p> <p>I am against any industrialization of green spaces. I am adamantly against revoking converting any of our green space for industry. Chattanooga has had it in any way, shape, form, or fashion. Not through the negligible jobs created, not through the tax benefits that are used to attract these jobs, nothing. This does nothing</p> <p>but decrease everyone's quality of life, so that a couple guys somewhere can make 3 billion dollars this year instead of just 2.75 billion. This deal goes through, I'm organizing protests outside the HOMES of those that approved.</p>	
					Do not lift the protections on Enterprise South. The ramifications to our residents and tourism dollars is not worth the risk.	

2025-11-23T16:26:27.344Z	Kelly			Yes	swap 500 acres to preserve 1300 acres it seems like a win-win. With the overwhelming majority of citizens leaning towards keeping the farm more agricultural and Of all the offerings this seems to make the most sense. We are very thankful for all of the hard work that has gone into coming up with this proposal. Anytime you can recreational in nature this seems to be a great option.	
2025-11-23T15:42:29.075Z	Dylan			Yes	I oppose any development for industrial use in the ESNP or surrounding forest. Please do not waste what natural areas we have left by inviting harmful industry into our city.	
2025-11-23T14:57:56.040Z	Ruby			Yes	valuable public resources, and changing its designation would have long-lasting negative impacts that cannot be undone. I am writing to urge our local leaders not to sell off, rezone, or otherwise reduce the protected lands within Enterprise South. This area is one of our community's most Enterprise South provides critical environmental, recreational, and community benefits. Its forests and natural habitats support local wildlife, protect water quality, and serve as an essential green buffer in a rapidly developing region. Many residents rely on this space for outdoor recreation, exercise, and time in nature—activities that contribute directly to our physical and mental well-being. Once public land is sold or rezoned for private development, it is gone forever. We lose not only the natural landscape but the opportunities it provides for future generations. With so few large natural areas available to the public, preserving Enterprise South in its current form is an investment in our community's long-term health, resilience, and quality of life. I strongly urge decision-makers to protect this land, reject any proposals for rezoning or sale, and reaffirm the importance of preserving accessible, healthy, and ecologically vital public spaces for everyone. Thank you for your consideration.	
2025-11-23T15:10:31.040Z 2025-11-23T12:04:58.842Z	Chris Ted			Yes	Nature is what brought us to Hamilton County, we don't want to see this go away. We used this weekly and feel it's necessary for our mental and physical health	
2025-11-23T11:58:29.385Z	Caron			Yes	I oppose any business development of Enterprise South Nature Park or land swap that decreases its size or removes federal protection status.	
2025-11-23T10:58:28.895Z	Donna			Yes	I oppose lifting any protections from ESNP	
2025-11-23T01:16:14.743Z	Zach			Yes	oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land	
					I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-11-23T00:21:31.110Z	Jamel			Yes	We do not need any industrialization happening at this beautiful farm! A nice walking track for those of us who live near here would be a wonderful addition to this end of the county where we could enjoy the beautiful land and nature that's all around.	
2025-11-22T23:59:50.336Z	Ingrid			Yes	Do not take ANY part of Enterprise for industrial industry. The reason so many live in Hamilton County is for the benefits of our trees, land, and wildlife—so much of which has already been destroyed in the boom of the last 5 years. There is plenty of land in existing heavily built areas for industry—OR forego the growth altogether, because I am willing to drive farther, pay more, and financially contribute to any plan that protects this space.	
2025-11-22T21:24:47.002Z 2025-11-22T21:02:39-344Z	Lindsey			Yes	I strongly oppose lifting protections on any Enterprise South Nature Park land. As a dog owner, this land is a wonderful addition to our community allowing for us to have a safe space to get outside with our animals and walk. The wildlife was already displaced from their home at the building of the Volkswagen plant and we frequently have deer, coyotes, snakes, and other creatures appearing in our neighborhood from that - removing even more of their natural habitat would be a tragedy.	
2025-11-22T10:51:41.127Z	Elizabeth			Yes	I strongly oppose removing protections on enterprise south nature park. Protections should be maintained on both ESNP and McDonald farm.	
					I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land	
2025-11-22T10:28:09.002Z 2025-11-22T19:04:08.072Z	Martha			Yes	I oppose changes to allow business or industrial development on any enterprise south land. Especially land that is near existing, established neighborhoods. Please listen to the citizens I know that's a foreign concept but our voices must be heard	
2025-11-22T18:45:49.844Z				Yes	Protect Enterprise South Nature Park. I oppose the land swap as do everyone except our mayors and politicians.	
2025-11-22T18:19:31.513Z	Bob			Yes	I vehemently oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land!	
					Blue heron just one mile outside of Hamilton county Keeping park/natural lands is of utmost importance in this growing city. Do not change ANY acreage or deeds or zoning!	
2025-11-22T18:06:38.706Z	Iazel			Yes	Enterprise South Park is a beloved park and it would be an incredibly stupid move to develop on this land. People who don't live near here know about this park because I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land. It is that popular. This park provides the outdoor recreation that this city claims it's name in. Where do you want people to go walk their dogs now? You want them to be pooping all over your neighborhood and risk them getting hit by cars? Also, America has a fat epidemic which it can't deny. Parks like this one help people to go out and exercise for their health. Especially when this is a free commodity. Oh so now we can't have anything healthy from free? Do you think having to pay for drugs, a gym, or expensive exercise equipment is the best way to go about our communities' health? What about the air? This place helps us maintain our fresh air. Do you want to make headlines again for having contaminated air? How quickly do you think California's with the money you desperately crave would stay then? Stop it. Stop trying to develop more land. We have enough houses; just do better in making sure they are all filled with people living in it and them individuals actually living in it to own said house. Stores? We have plenty of them too. So stop it developing this land. Who long and how much money do you think you would have to spend to recreate a forest like this? Also, think of the wildlife you monsters.	
2025-11-22T17:46:00.000Z 2025-11-22T17:16:46.102Z	Greg			Yes	You just did all this work to become the first ever National Park City and chase outdoor tourism, and the next move you make is to sell off parkland and close down a popular trail that draws tourism into the area? Make it make sense! There's plenty of abandoned industrial areas throughout the county that can easily be rebuilt for the new businesses, why would you shut out the outdoors community that brings millions of tourism and service industry dollars from outside the area? Here's the thing you're not considering about the mountain biking and hiking communities, they don't just come use the trails and leave. After a ride/hike we are starving and thirsty the first thing we do is head to a local restaurant and buy food and drinks, then we usually find a brewery or bar and enjoy our afternoon, and if they came from outside the area here's usually a stop at a gas station involved. This is all money and jobs that you're going to miss out on by closing a major trail, one that is maintained by the community and has very little cost to you. I understand the need to draw new industry into the region, but sacrificing park land is not the way to do it.	
2025-11-22T16:33:51.774Z	Jean			Yes	" I strictly oppose development of any ESNP lands!!!!"	

					I oppose lifting protections on any ESP land.	
2025-11-21T22:21:49.635Z	Shaylyn			Yes	I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any protected land. you can have an industrial sector or natural areas. You can't have both at the same place and time.	
2025-11-21T10:07:07.602Z 2025-11-21T03:32:34.547Z	*** Amber			*** Yes	development. There is a smart way to do things and unfortunately I have yet to see those decisions be made. Everyone is ONLY in it for the money and At some point you This county is getting out of control. If it was marked to permanently remain as is, then that's the only thing you need to know...PERMANENT. Stop all the irresponsible need to realize there needs to be a balance.	
					I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land! Keep our parks safe. Please don't let greed ruin our land.	
2025-11-20T10:40:26.207Z 2025-11-20T23:16:56.095Z	Kimberly			*** Yes	I oppose development of Enterprise South Nature Park. It is an oasis of calm, a beautiful preserved park that is used by many people for outdoor recreation. I mountain bike there regularly, and I do not want the nature or the peace disturbed by development. We moved to the Chattanooga area for the ample parks and recreation areas, and I do not want to see more development on land that is set aside specifically for recreation.	
2025-11-20T22:44:41.020Z	*** Adrianna			Yes	Protect Enterprise South.	
2025-11-20T20:31:41.537Z	Wendy			Yes	"I strongly oppose this deed swap and I strongly oppose lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land."	
2025-11-20T20:07:00.350Z	LISA			Yes	I'm against any development at ESNP.	
					PLEASE LEAVE ENTERPRISE SOUTH AS A PARK. WE DO NOT NEED TO KEEP DESTROYING OUR WORLD FOR MORE INDUSTRIAL SITES.	
2025-11-20T19:00:31.912Z 2025-11-20T18:53:05.993Z	*** Shellee			*** Yes	Our city is unique in that it's smaller and more outdoor oriented than the big metropolis's surrounding us. Let's keep it clean, outdoorsy, fun, and unique. Enterprise South nature Park is a key element tool that, tell Westin to keep his hands off of it!	
2025-11-20T18:42:14.530Z				Yes	I oppose any development of Enterprise South Nature Park.	
2025-11-20T18:41:35.113Z	*** Nancy			Yes	I oppose any development of Enterprise South Nature Park	
2025-11-20T18:24:40.872Z	Alta			Yes	Please leave enterprise as is. You have built enough to rearrange the earth in our community	
					I DO NOT support the land swap or lifting any protections on ESNP land	
2025-11-20T17:01:41.852Z 2025-11-20T17:00:49.402Z	*** Brandon			*** Yes	We absolutely should not give up Enterprise South NP land. There should not be a restrictions trade off. ESNP has permanent restrictions. This trade off will set the stage to reverse more permanent restrictions. This is just an example of our County leadership failure. Vote the people out!	
2025-11-20T17:08:19.501Z	Shelley			Yes	please do not change the trails at Enterprise south. McDonald farm land swap is not helpful to the mass population that lives near Enterprise	
					I oppose any development of Enterprise South Nature Park.	
2025-11-20T16:55:17.663Z	Rosella			Yes	I am opposed to any of the protected lands at Enterprise South Nature Park being used commercially. The deed restrictions are not open for discussion and should be used as originally intended.	
2025-11-20T16:02:01.002Z 2025-11-20T16:08:35.930Z	*** Melinda			*** Yes	I absolutely do not support eliminating or modifying the existing protections associated with ESNP. This is a valuable green space that needs to continue to be protected as it was intended to be.	
					We want Enterprise to stay the way VW donated it to the county.	
2025-11-20T15:52:29.119Z	Justin			Yes	I oppose removal of any parkland protections of Enterprise South Nature Park. The outdoor spaces in Hamilton County attract high quality citizens and employers to our area. Please don't forget how important these spaces are to our community. Permanent protection is permanent!	
2025-11-20T15:40:47.040Z 2025-11-20T15:40:49.687Z	*** Jeff			*** Yes	I oppose turning portions of Enterprise South Nature Park into an Industrial area. The county hasn't been able to keep infrastructure in pace with current growth. Please don't compound our lack of infrastructure.	
					I strongly opposed selling off ESNP	
2025-11-20T15:08:17.010Z 2025-11-20T15:01:25.932Z	*** Jason			*** Yes	It would be a terrible mistake to take any of the ESNP for industrial use. ESNP is so centrally located that majority of the city and county population have easy access to much needed break from urban life. And if you start removing areas like this all you'll have is pavement and warehouses. Save ESNP for future generations!	
					I oppose lifting any protection of ESNP Land. I oppose any land exchange of ESNP	
2025-11-20T14:59:40.040Z 2025-11-20T14:35:28.262Z	*** Floyd			*** Yes	The whole thing is BS. They want a road from Ooltewah to VW because traffic is so jacked up because of previous mistakes and too many developments. All about money. The land is not good for industrial facilities, it the road. Plan the road better if needed to run along the side of the freeway and come in close to the off ramps.	
2025-11-20T14:34:37.526Z	Dorothy			Yes	Please do not take any land from Volkswagen Park. It is a treasure for our community.	
2025-11-20T14:33:16.012Z	Joan			Yes	Please do not take any land from Volkswagen Park. This area is a valuable asset and treasure to the community.	
2025-11-20T05:39:19.376Z	Joshua			Yes	Too much development in prime natural areas. Go somewhere less desirable for recreation and renewal. The VW plant is enough out there.	
					It is unacceptable to set the precedent that trails can be leveled for industry in the "national Park city". Do better, Wamp.	

2025-11-18T11:00:00Z 2025-11-20T00:23:38.270Z	==== Amanda			==== Yes	<p>Enterprise South, and there is no reason to sell off our parks to the highest bidder. Opening up a portion of the park for development sets a negative precedent for the</p> <p>I do not believe that the county should make any changes at Enterprise South Nature Park. The purchase of McDonald Farm has nothing to do with the conservation of county taking already designated public land and using it for profit.</p>	
					We do not want the restrictions lifted at enterprise park! We love biking and hiking out there.	
2025-11-20T00:23:38.270Z	Megan			==== Yes	<p>I lived in Chattanooga until about a year ago. Enterprise South Nature Park IN ITS ENTIRETY is a CRITICAL part of the natural landscape, and access to it by urban and suburban residents is critical to shaping well-rounded citizenry. I know how important this park is to the community, so I STRONGLY oppose converting park land for development. The amount of undeveloped land in and around cities is already limited. You SHOULD NOT convert one of the most important parks for development when there are plenty of other pieces of property that could be developed. Or, you could make use of the properties being left by major employers leaving the Chattanooga area and just not rezone for development for the time being...</p> <p>Please take the time to review the ecological, psychological, mental health, and physical health implications of limiting green space in Chattanooga: <a href="https://healthytreehealthylives.org/">https://healthytreehealthylives.org/</a></p> <p>Finally, it is a bad faith move to link a vote to rezone part of the park for development to preserving 1,300 acres of the McDonald Farm. If you want a real, good-faith discussion and vote, these issues need to be unlinked. It is very transparent to anyone paying attention that they are linked in hopes that people will vote to preserve property at the McDonald Farm while sacrificing ESNP property. Most people support NOT rezoning ESNP AND support preserving the property at the McDonald farm. You're framing it as an either/or, but it is NOT. Make this a real, good-faith discussion and unlink these issues.</p>	
2025-11-19T23:01:17.280Z 2025-11-19T23:11:23.275Z	==== Kim			==== Yes	<p>more to residents and tourists than more industry - which could easily be placed elsewhere. I think we need more spaces like it, and can't imagine messing with what</p> <p>Please leave Enterprise South Nature Park as it currently is. Protect it from any kind or portion of industrial development. It is a treasure to our community and worth far little we have designated for walking hiking biking and more in our beautiful forested spaces. Our family and dogs and out of state guests love it. Thank you</p>	
					I oppose lifting ANY restrictions at ESNP. Furthermore, I oppose the Hilltop extension through any portion of ESNP.	
2025-11-19T23:09:40.099Z	Sara			==== Yes	<p>I walk Enterprise South weekly. It is a beautiful area. I want it to remain my favorite park in the county. Please do not commercialize the area around it.</p>	
2025-11-19T23:10:40.099Z 2025-11-19T18:37:01.387Z	==== Wolf			==== Yes	<p>it is. There must be many other places within the county that can be developed for economic means. What good are increased jobs if there is not the outdoor places like</p> <p>Keep the Enterprise South park as it is please. You can always have manufacturing, business, commerce, etc. But our parks are too few and far away. Leave this park as the Nature Park to enjoy the time not spent at work.</p>	
					What is the reason the area on Hickory Valley Rd. South of 58 isn't being considered instead?	
2025-11-19T17:50:13.997Z	==== Ty			==== Yes	<p>my Walden abode. McDonald farm is way up by Sale Creek. It's also presented that the swap land is underutilized or not used. Untrue! My favorite trail of the 4 MTB</p> <p>I am firmly against converting any of Enterprise South to commercial uses. Regardless of any perceived benefit. Selfishly, Enterprise is far more convenient for me from trails is Atlas which seems to be the red haired stepchild given this proposal and the now in planning exit ramp that will also slice through the Atlas trail system. Why is the county so quick to ignore the current park features? Maybe I missed it but are there plans to add new trail to partially or completely replace the mileage lost based on either scenario?</p> <p>Oddly, this kicking the MTB users to the curb is not just a Hamilton country fresh idea. Down in Florida the governor proposed a similar taking of trails and open space for golf courses and pickleball courts. The locals there also rose up and have stopped this nonsense. In fact the legislature there passed an ordinance to prevent such without voter approval. Off subject I know but people expect for their government to protect their way of life especially since Chattanooga is a recognized Park City. Anyway, bad idea regardless of the media narrative.</p>	
2025-11-19T17:07:07.525Z	Robert			==== Yes	I oppose lifting protections on ESNP. Hands off our existing public land	
2025-11-19T15:42:28.217Z	Janet			==== Yes	I oppose lifting restrictions on any ESNP land.	
					No land swap! Preserve ESNP AS IS! For goodness sake, listen to your constituents and those who USE ESNP!	
2025-11-19T16:00:00.717Z 2025-11-19T12:42:28.385Z	==== April			==== Yes	Please protect these lands from industrial development!!! They are so important for our recreation, relaxation, and maintaining healthy lifestyles.	
					I STRONGLY OPPOSE LIFTING ANY PROTECTION PLANS ON ESNP LAND.	
2025-11-19T11:52:40.374Z	Laura			==== Yes	<p>side of town helps this issue at all. If anything, we need more park space on this side of town because of the continuing increase in population density. I love to hike and I</p> <p>Protected land is not truly protected if you can remove those protections at any time. I do not believe that transferring the protections to another area on the opposite side at Enterprise about 3 days per week.</p>	
2025-11-19T16:00:00.717Z 2025-11-19T00:10:33.438Z	==== Duane			==== Yes	Please preserve the entirety of Enterprise South Nature Park. It's a gem and a blessing to have such a beautiful park close at hand. McDonald Farm is too far away to be a fair land swap for those of us who live so close to the nature park.	
					I oppose the development of a industrial park at enterprise south.	
2025-11-19T21:35:21.042Z	==== Stephen			==== Yes	<p>another sanctuary. There are plenty of other areas to industrialize, esp in vacant spaces that are already designed for that (because we cease to push out wildlife). Dont</p> <p>We use this park for so many things (hiking, mountain bike, dog park, wildlife viewing). So much wildlife exists in this area and i hate to see us push them out of yet do this to Enterprise!!</p>	
2025-11-19T21:34:44.621Z	Helene			==== Yes	I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	

2025-11-18T20:18:41.888Z	Cathy			Yes	I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
					I oppose lifting any restrictions/protections from ESPN.	
2025-11-18T18:00:04.591Z	Jason			Yes	restriction should be honored. I personally use the portion of the park property under threat. The proposal would eliminate 1/3 of the MTB trail system in the park. Also I fully oppose development or road building in Enterprises South Nature Park. This land was deed restricted to keep this exact thing from happening and the original people bought homes along this property because it would not be developed.	
2025-11-18T16:41:21.771Z	Barbara				people living and recreating in this area. I don't want my county government trading away public land and contributing to this loss in order to line the pockets of Please consider the permanent loss of already shrinking habitat of plants and animals which are diminishing in population, and the impact on quality of life for the developers. As a voter, taxpayer and recreational birder and botanist, I particularly resent the lack of transparency in crafting this plan. We deserve leadership with longer foresight and more integrity when considering land use in our county. Leave Enterprise South as it is.	
2025-11-18T14:15:38.688Z	*** Jeff			*** Yes	The location of Enterprise South is much more accessible for the county's population to enjoy it as a park. McDonald Farm is not convenient to access, and would take years of work to get the park trails/facilities that Enterprise already has. I do not support removing any existing park property at Enterprise.	
					I oppose the proposed industrial park development at Enterprise South. Please leave the nature preserve as it is. Thanks!	
2025-11-18T13:59:04.865Z	Stewart			*** Yes	Leave the nature park as it is! Many, MANY people relied upon its continued existence while building and maintaining a first rate mtn bike trail system - creating a low cost, low maintenance asset that is dearly loved by thousands of residents. Wamp & co wants to TRASH ALL OF THAT AS A FAVOR TO INDUSTRY. THATS WRONG, ITS INSULTING, AND ITS WHOLLY INAPPROPRIATE. STOP! DO THE INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT ON UNDEVELOPED OR UNUSED LAND... NOT ON OUR BELOVED ATLAS TRAIL. WE WILL VOTE YOU OUT OF OFFICE AND OUR LIVES FOR SCREWING US OVER LIKE THIS. ♦♦♦♦♦	
2025-11-18T04:47:19.746Z	**** Bilda			Yes	Please, LEAVE THE PARK ALONE. STOP THE OVER DEVELOPMENT OF THE EAST SIDE OF HAMILTON COUNTY	
2025-11-18T01:27:00.681Z	Virginia			Yes	Our family enjoys the activities at Enterprise South Park. Please preserve it!	
2025-11-17T23:04:43.335Z	Haley			Yes	I oppose any development of Enterprise South Nature Park.	
2025-11-17T22:46:30.598Z	Kara			Yes	Petition to save ESNP from rezoning to industrial. I don't want this!	
					I don't want any of this land ruined by industry. Neither Enterprise South or McDonald Farm should be developed. Leave it alone as it is!	

2025-11-17T21:06:17.865Z	*** Marie			*** Yes	Recreation is (or should be) economic development. You should proactively engage outdoor rec stakeholders. Destroying the Atlas trail and developing the surrounding property is not a good option but folks would be mollified by building comparable trail elsewhere (on the hill above Poe Run, specifically). McDonald Farm should be approached as complementary to Enterprise South, Walden's Ridge, and other trail systems in conjunction with other uses, particularly education.	
2025-11-17T21:06:15.982Z	Frank			Yes	I oppose an development of Enterprise Nature Park	
2025-11-17T20:31:28.647Z	Brenda			Yes	I oppose any development of Enterprise South Nature Park. Please leave undeveloped!	
2025-11-17T20:30:30.485Z	Brenda			Yes	Please do not move/change/modify enterprise South Park.	
					Please do not move / change / modify enterprise South Park,	
2025-11-17T20:30:07.075Z	CHASITY Michelle			*** Yes	likely. Industrial Overdevelopment leads to air and sound pollution that negatively impacts the health of your residents. Increased risk of asthma, copd, and birth defects are. It will also drive people out of the community and impact the county tax revenue.	
2025-11-17T12:21:38.994Z	Jeannie			Yes	I oppose lifting protections on any Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
					I oppose any development of enterprise south nature park. Thank you	
2025-11-17T12:20:03.242Z	**** Carol			Yes	I oppose lifting any restrictions/protections from ESNP	
					I do not want the county to use this land and ruin it like they did where Volkswagen is. It does not need to be industrial.	
2025-11-17T00:20:13.175Z	Shannon			Yes	preserved, but the proposed damage to ESNP is absolutely unnecessary. This proposal affects trails, residential areas, wildlife, etc. EVERYTHING that calls ESNP home. We are begging you to leave Enterprise South Nature Park as it is, especially The Atlas Trail. There is no sacrificial lamb here. Both McDonald Farm and ESNP can be ESNP is the largest and most accessible park in Chattanooga. Thousands play in that park. Mountain bikers flock to that park. Trail runners and hikers flock to that park. Chattanoogans do not want this. Visit <a href="http://www.savesnsp.org">www.savesnsp.org</a> . You'll see over 10,500 signatures of humans who do not want this. Please. Again. We are begging you to stop this deed swap in its tracks and leave Enterprise South Nature Park alone. We have to fight to keep Mayor Wamp from moving forward with the industrialization of our precious public land. It would crush our heart to see ESNP damaged or destroyed, especially The Atlas Trail. Atlas means so much to my family. So many hours and miles spent on that trail. Please preserve the trail; preserve all the trails so we can make a million more memories in the future. This proposal simply has to be stopped in its tracks.	
2025-11-16T20:55:24.042Z	Katherine			Yes	enjoy when there are MANY other pieces of land that can be used for industrial purposes. There is land behind the VW plant for example that is flat and already clear cut I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land. There is no reason to take away public parks for the community to with road access. There is no need to destroy the beauty of McDonald farm or Enterprise that many tax paying citizens enjoy and use, which helps increase the health of this community and give space for children to play in nature!	

2025-11-16T18:34:22.032Z	Lauren			Yes	<p>McDonald Farm is literally Heaven on Earth. There is no other place like it. It has yet to uncover it's full history. Conservation, Preservation, community builder..the possibilities are endless. An education forward attitude would do wonders for the people, and continue a historical legacy that began thousands of years ago.</p>	
2025-11-16T16:25:58.862Z	Donna			Yes	<p>Ringgold road is being ruined with all the new housing developments, publix, mod wash, valvoline, monster storage. ( seriously ???) Apison is being developed and I oppose lifting protections on any Enterprise South Nature Park! This is ridiculous! My family walks our dogs and mountain bike all over this park. All of Ooltewah/ Collegedale has too many apartment complexes to count. Must you allow every square inch of land/ beautiful trees to be destroyed??? It's ok to leave areas of Chattanooga alone, I mean aren't we supposed to be a National Park city? That is a complete joke and lie from what I'm witnessing.</p>	
					Wonderful place	
2025-11-16T14:10:44.972Z	Regina			Yes	<p>On behalf of most like-minded citizens of Hamilton County, I realize importance of progress and encouraging economic growth, but not at the expense of our natural markets, we are uniquely positioned to attract many economic opportunities from around the world. While this is definitely an asset, let's try to balance our resources. Chattanooga, and Hamilton County, as a whole, is very unique from most cities in the United States. Because of our proximity to other major metropolitan stewardship of the natural beauty of our region. I believe the region could benefit greatly from an agri- tourism model while working and developing concurrently with any perspective industry at Enterprise South.</p>	
2025-11-16T13:53:38.492Z	Michael			Yes	<p>I've done a few car shows at McDonald Farm and it seems like a gorgeous property, theres history, farming, and fun. A place that screams Hamilton County, a places that tells of our heritage just by stepping foot on it. I live next to Enterprise and I don't ever use that place.</p>	
2025-11-16T13:47:36.562Z	Mason			Yes	<p>I think this is a sound and logical "swap" that nearly triples the value and total acreage of protected green space in Hamilton County. The 500 acres is not being heavily utilized despite the uproar, I've spoken with many people that ride the Atlas trail and they have told me they rarely see anyone else on it. Meanwhile, the protected acreage at McDonald Farm would be available for use in so many productive ways!</p>	
	Maggie				Please stop destroying our land to build more houses.	
2025-11-16T12:11:32Z	Jaime			Yes	<p>Save both! There is plenty of unused brownfield space in the city. The city has the infrastructure and the housing. ESNP was given to the citizens as a nature park; none of it should not be carved out to become an additional industrial site.</p>	
2025-11-16T02:10:55.021Z	Steven			Yes	<p>Our property is in Hamilton a Bradley county. We live enterprise south. It's a good way to experience nature and contribute to health.</p>	
					I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-11-16T01:27:38.301Z	Nathan			Yes	<p>I'm concerned with how this will impact Enterprise South including the trails and wildlife protection. Where can I find out more specifics about this plan?</p>	
					Please do not take away any of the recreation trails at Enterprise South that are currently in existence.	
2025-11-16T01:02:09.156Z	Steven			Yes	<p>Please keep the trails and land at Enterprise South the way they currently are. I oppose any new development or change to Enterprise South Nature Park.</p>	
2025-11-16T00:55:04.406Z	Charity			Yes	<p>Please preserve ESNP as is, or expand nature access there. Expanding McDonald is a poor substitute for destroying ESNP.</p>	
2025-11-16T00:48:44.113Z	Courtney			Yes	<p>Please preserve our city's protected land!</p>	
2025-11-16T00:42:09.558Z	April			Yes	<p>I oppose any development of Enterprise South Nature Park.</p>	
2025-11-16T00:29:08.352Z	Debbie			Yes	<p>Please do not make any changes to ESNP. I love our green spaces and don't want additional industrial traffic and pollution.</p>	
2025-11-16T00:14:10.785Z	Anthony			Yes	<p>I oppose any development of Enterprise South Nature Park</p>	
2025-11-16T00:10:56.586Z	John			Yes	<p>No to industrial expansion in Enterprise South nature park</p>	
2025-11-16T00:09:54.303Z	Timothy			Yes	<p>I oppose any development at enterprise south nature park. We use the park weekly.</p>	
2025-11-16T00:05:12.355Z	Julie			Yes	<p>I oppose any development of Enterprise South Nature Park.</p>	
2025-11-16T23:59:44.586Z	Brittany			Yes	<p>I oppose any development of Enterprise South. We very much value the bike trails acreage and nature setting.</p>	
					It's important to conserve our parks and land!	
2025-11-16T22:40:25.747Z	Heather			Yes	<p>I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land.</p>	
2025-11-16T21:16:59.102Z	Richard			Yes	<p>My concern is that ENTERPRISES SOUTH NATURE PARK may become compromised due to industrial development rezoning. This Park has become very much developed to accommodate bikers, hikers, walkers, scenery drive-through and just being quiet and restful. Many updates and upgrades have been accomplished to the original roads and developed trails to increase the possibilities for excellent participation at many levels. Our Nature Park serves scores of people from our area and even from out of state. The original TNT PLANT HAD to be put into operation because the USA was very much threatened by the forces of total evil in WW II. Now we are able to use the area ACTIVELY as a peaceful, enjoyable, healthy Nature Park—not a war "must have". Please leave the Enterprise South Nature Park as it is. Do not disturb a public area which is so versatile and productive AND which is used more and more for improving the health of those of us who participate.</p>	
2025-11-16T19:29:39.817Z	Stephania			Yes	<p>It would be disastrous to Chattanooga after recently being honored as the first National Park City in North America for our local leaders to rezone this protected public also irrevocably alter the landscape and diminish the park's value as a sanctuary for both humans and wildlife. Enterprise South is now by far the most popular nature park land for industrial use. Not only would this move damage Chattanooga's reputation to preserving natural spaces and promoting sustainable urban living, it would park in Hamilton County. Please abandon this maneuver and find a more appropriate development area that would improve (rather than destroy) value to the city of Chattanooga at large.</p>	

2025-11-15T16:34:42.880Z 2025-11-15T17:38:10.811Z	Angeline			Yes	<p>As a Hamilton County resident and trail user, I want to thank you for your continued efforts to protect green spaces and expand outdoor recreation opportunities in our community. Access to nature and trails is one of the things that makes Chattanooga such a special place to live. I'm writing to share my support for thoughtful, transparent planning around the proposed land-use exchange between Enterprise South Nature Park (ESNP) and McDonald Farm. I appreciate the County's commitment to exploring new ways to enhance recreation and conservation while also being a good steward of public land. As this process moves forward, I urge the County to:</p> <p>Preserve public access to the existing trail network and natural areas at Enterprise South.</p> <p>Ensure that if any trails are lost or impacted, they are rebuilt elsewhere in the park so that residents don't lose access to recreation opportunities.</p> <p>Engage trail users, conservation groups, and local partners early in the planning process to help identify solutions that protect both the ecological and recreational value of these spaces.</p> <p>Commit to sustainable, multi-use trail development at McDonald Farm, so it complements—not replaces—the access ESNP currently provides. By prioritizing these steps, Hamilton County can maintain its reputation as a leader in outdoor recreation and ensure both parks continue to serve future generations. Thank you for your leadership and your commitment to balancing conservation, access, and community input.</p>	
	Melanie				I'm opposing the land swap. Enterprise Park should not be used for development and we should protect McDonald Park.	
2025-11-15T17:37:56Z	Cindy			Yes	Please preserve Old McDonalds farm! It's a beautiful place and is one of the reasons we purchased our home here. Please keep it for a park, recreation, and maybe sports! But please don't develop it, especially for industrial use or multiple dwelling places!!! Thank you!!	
2025-11-15T16:40:00.678Z 2025-11-15T16:40:00.678Z	Doug Carol			Yes	<p>lifting of federal deed restrictions and subsequent rezoning of Enterprise South Nature Park. The reasons for my opposition to the proposal have been outlined by</p> <p>My name is Doug Sanville and I live in the Twin Oaks subdivision in Ooltewah where I have lived for 25 years. I wanted to express my strong opposition to the proposed numerous others succinctly and include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• reduce community access to natural spaces</li> <li>• increase traffic congestion in an already congested area</li> <li>• reduce property values</li> <li>• undermine community trust in our planning processes and environmental commitments</li> <li>• jeopardize our city's designation as a National Park City</li> <li>• threaten local wildlife habitats and the "pristine" habitat that exists in the park</li> </ul> <p>Additionally, I see a major issue with this proposal because it would eliminate a vital "forested buffer zone" that surrounds a major portion of the park. The area in question provides a significant wildlife and forested habitat as well as a sound and visual buffer that contributes to the "pristine" nature that exists in the park. I began hiking in ESNP shortly after it opened back in 2011. In the last 5+ years I have logged over 500 hikes/walks in the park.</p> <p>I am previously from Boulder, CO having lived there for over 30 years. In 2003 when Bob Corker (Mayor Corker at the time) launched the "Outdoor Initiative" and stated that he wanted Chattanooga to become the Boulder of the East Coast – I couldn't have been more pleased and in support of that vision. I believe this proposal takes a step backwards from that vision that Mayor Corker had stated and additionally a step backwards from our designation as a National Park City and having been named Outside Magazines "Best Outdoor City" twice.</p> <p>Please reject the "land swap" proposal and preserve Enterprise South Nature Park as it currently exists for future generations.</p>	
2025-11-15T16:37:46.678Z				Yes	Do not take away any recreational land from Enterprise South and McDonald Farm in Sale Creek	
2025-11-15T14:44:38.115Z	Marie			Yes	Do not take away any land space from either park	
2025-11-15T14:42:36.520Z	Barbara			Yes	I strongly oppose lifting restrictions on any ESNP land	
2025-11-15T14:38:56.683Z	Jodi			Yes	I strongly oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land	
					I strongly & vehemently oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land.	
2025-11-15T13:07:38.165Z	Sonsenahay			Yes	I big reason we purchased our house is because of how close it is to Enterprise South Nature Park. The whole community uses this park and at a time when people are suffering in so many areas financially and emotionally this is a hugely important park to preserve. It gives people from all walks of life the ability to connect with nature and release burdens and stress. It would be a devastating loss to the community if anything would happen to this property. Please preserve it for the sake of everyone.	
2025-11-15T01:23:07.913Z	Quinn			Yes	Enterprise South nature Park is an absolute gem in a sea of urban sprawl. I believe the proposed land swap of ESNP and MacDonald farm is short sighted. ESNP's close proximity to the major population centers of Hamilton increases the desirability to live in Hamilton county encouraging new development and a larger tax base for the cities and county. MacDonald farm location being much more remote doesn't serve these populations in the same capacity.	
2025-11-14T22:47:14.443Z	Baron			Yes	I feel preserving the farm would be beneficial to our community. Having more things like the fair would bring revenue from all over. I go to fair every year there and see cars from all over Tennessee and north Georgia.	
2025-11-14T22:15:16.300Z	Mrs. Jennifer			Yes	Hamilton County has approximately 8-10 years of Greenbelt land left at current rate of development. Undeveloped land is becoming scarce and will be rare in our Please, do not industrialize or put manufacturing or data centers at McDonald Farm Park or at ESNP. Manufacturing and industrial belong in appropriately zoned areas lifetime!	
					that will contribute to responsible job growth and support our local county economy!	
					Respectfully, Mrs. Jennifer Duvall	
2025-11-14T20:27:52.370Z 2025-11-14T21:17:57.595Z	Eric			Yes	<p>Please protect the entire contiguous 2100+- acres of McDonald Farm Park.</p> <p>Please consider using and repurposing all empty sqf of manufacturing and industrial space zoned as well as existing before using any actual preserved acreage of Atlas Trail area. Undeveloped land is becoming scarce and will be rare in our lifetime. We are losing 10+ acres of farmland in TN an hour. Hamil6</p>	
2025-11-14T20:27:52.370Z	Katelyn			Yes	Please preserve McDonald Farm for recreation and conservation.	
2025-11-14T20:24:36.420Z	Jake			Yes	I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-11-14T20:17:19.072Z				Yes	Please preserve as much of Old McDonald Farm.	
	Roger				I think that both locations should be kept open for community use and recreational activities.	
2025-11-14T19:00:11.475Z	Sarah			Yes	<p>This park is SO important to residents. Developing the surrounding land would ruin the peacefulness of the area and potentially expose users of the park to harmful</p> <p>I just wanted to let the county know that I strongly oppose the proposed land swap that would allow land near Enterprise South Park to developed into industrial use. chemicals and other industrial waste. It's a horrible idea.</p>	

2025-11-14T16:06:22.603Z	David			Yes	Make no changes to the existing deed restrictions at Enterprise South. Do not allow commercial or industrial development in the buffer zone that is under debate.	
2025-11-14T14:31:58.934Z	Andrew			*** Yes	I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land. I propose the MacDonald farm receive protections, but not at the expense of Enterprise South.	
2025-11-14T14:30:28.561Z	Andrew			Yes	I oppose lifting any restrictions on ESNP.	
2025-11-14T14:10:44.006Z	Carrie			Yes	I oppose lifting any restrictions on EPSN.	
2025-11-14T13:59:37.725Z	Evelyn			Yes	I OPPOSE lifting any restrictions on ESNP!	
2025-11-14T13:54:19.447Z				Yes	I oppose lifting any Federal Protection Restrictions on ESNP land	
	Kenneth				I'm opposed to the industrial development of ESNP.	
2025-11-14T12:53:47.436Z	Joe			*** Yes	Let's do the right thing and save Enterprise South Nature Park from misguided appropriation. We are a national park city; let's live up to that moniker. Yes we need business and yes, we need places to provide employment for the residents of Hamilton County but we also need recreation for mental health and physical well-being. Parks are the heartbeat of our city. Nature is the savior of our county not more industrial sites along I75. A natural buffer between the park and interstate is essential. The people of Hamilton County know what is important - mental health, physical well being and recreational opportunities for everyone. Replacing the park with industrial sites will cost the county taxpayers millions while keeping Enterprise South Nature Park in tact provides millions of dollars in savings for mental health costs, increased medical expenditures, reduced real estate values, remediation for pollution, increased noise, pollution, and decreased water quality due to construction of industrial sites. Just because we have the right does not mean it is the right thing to do. In the opinion of many residence of Hamilton County. The right thing is to save our parks.	
2025-11-14T12:02:38.676Z	Sandy			Yes	I love Enterprise South Park. It is an oasis. It should permanently remain a public treasure.	
	Charlie				I'm opposed to this deal. Will ruin our neighborhood as well as the parks	
2025-11-14T10:42:36.883Z	Christina			*** Yes	"I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land."	
	Danade				I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-11-14T04:59:24.186Z	John T and Carla D			Yes	Beautiful area.. it will be sad to see the trees, trails and animals destroyed for factories. The area has numerous hills and think of the destruction that would be needed to level the area for factories. Seems there is land elsewhere that is best suited for factory needs. Once a park is destroyed it will be gone forever.	
2025-11-14T03:44:21.486Z	Lora			*** Yes	Save Enterprise South Nature Park, my grandson and I love to go hiking there, and it needs to stay a nature park due to the wild life that live there.	
2025-11-14T03:39:54.861Z				Yes	I oppose lifting any federal protection restrictions on ESNP land.	
	Steven				I oppose this plan. Let's keep ESNP as is please.	
2025-11-14T03:39:54.862Z	Linda			*** Yes	I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land. My husband mountain bikes there, I ride paved paths, and we walk. Do not destroy the wildlife habitat and park here.	
					Please do not use land for industrial use	
2025-11-14T03:39:54.862Z	Shane			*** Yes	from all over the world to understand what living in a city in nature is truly like. There should not be a limit placed on the amount of preserved area within our county. Do Please do not develop part of enterprise nature park. The idea of a land swap is insulting to your citizens. We are America's National Park city. We want people to visit better.	
					I think it should be left alone to use this the nature park use and not a industrial Park	
2025-11-14T03:45:44.447Z	Regina			*** Yes	Our household is in opposition to the destruction of ANY portion of Enterprise park. Our family visits the park often we love all of the trails. This park is part of what makes Chattanooga great. Mayor WAMP should prioritize residents, not foreign businesses!	
					I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-11-13T22:09:00.686Z	Ed			*** Yes	I support an extension of Hilltop Rd parallel to I-75 to relieve Ooltewah congestion but I do not want to see any more Industrial expansion by destroying the wooded acreage. If anything, use property on the West and South side of Volkswagen. I hope the Federal Government steps in to help protect the land.	
					Stop taking away our protected land and parks	
2025-11-13T22:09:09.436Z	Sherry			Yes	I am opposed vehemently to the proposed industrial zone that cuts across three trails and backs up to existing neighborhoods. Keep your greedy developers out of our neighborhood and public lands.	
2025-11-13T21:49:36.636Z	Tommy			Yes	south is a childhood memory and is the same for so many Hamilton county residents. Do not take away from our parks, but give more in sustainable ways. This is the Please do not proceed with this like an either or decision! Please protect all parks, if it can't be done this year consider a sinking fund to fund both projects. Enterprise opposite of sustainable and conservative. We need more conservative policy's in our county and that was the supposed platform our current party ran on. It is obvious though that if this deal goes through he is neither conservative or sustainable and the Conservative Party and other Pachyderms will not support him.	
2025-11-13T21:20:38.914Z	Lane			*** Yes	Please keep Enterprise Nature Park. My daughter learned to mountain bike there and joins a girls club every spring to bike there. It's such a beautiful preserved property to walk and we frequently visit the park with our dog and kids to get outdoors. Thank you for considering it!	
					Please do not gut Hamilton County's largest park!	
2025-11-13T21:07:02.795Z	Mary			Yes	When will it be enough? When there are no areas for animals to live and no green areas at all? I've lived here my entire life and it saddens me	

					every day to see how much of our nature has destroyed for buildings. There are plenty of spaces that are not being used now. Just empty abandoned already concreted. Use one of those. I've spent a lot of hours at ESPN with my family. It's a beautiful place. Just leave it be.	
2025-11-13T19:58:56.982Z	Deborah			*** Yes	I oppose the development of Any of the land currently in Enterprise South Nature Park.	
	Catherine				I strongly oppose any changes to Enterprise South. Please keep it as a natural area and not an industrial park.	
2025-11-13T19:58:56.982Z	Liberty			Yes	This greed is destroying the beauty of Hamilton County. Our family is begging you to not allow more greed to drive the destruction of Enterprise. You're lying when you say it won't impact the park. It will. Our community deserves the tranquility of enterprise.	
2025-11-13T19:44:41.390Z	Catalina			Yes	park goers from the traffic. Enterprise park is the perfect place to take your family for a safe and quiet way to hike and get outdoors. We're able to hike while still being Hello. I strongly oppose this land swap. I oppose the destruction of a protected natural area to build more industrial parks. The trees provide a natural sound barrier for close to home. There are plenty of abandoned buildings, lots, etc that you can rebuild on. Please stop destroying nature. We're seeing trees fall everyday in East Brainerd, Ooltewah, and collegedale because of all the neighborhood development. My family moved here from South Florida to get away from the busy concrete jungle that it was and slowly but surely I'm seeing it happen here and it's breaking my heart. Please preserve the park	
2025-11-13T19:36:51.800Z	Kayley			Yes	protected forever by Hamilton Co and the City of Chattanooga. It is unconscionable for us to renege on this promise and harm both the wildlife that calls this place I vehemently oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land. The nature park at Enterprise South was entrusted to be home, as well as the community surrounding it. Please keep the nature park for citizens and wildlife...not for industrial development and negative environmental impacts.	
2025-11-13T18:23:18.000Z 2025-11-13T18:23:54Z	*** Thomas			*** Yes	My wife and I live near the park. It is a jewel to be protected for many generations. I strongly oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land. DEVELOP SOMEWHERE ELSE!	
					I oppose lifting protections on Enterprise South Nature Park land as it will impact my family's use of the park.	
2025-11-13T17:53:43.934Z	Lauren			Yes	I OPPOSE lifting protections on any Enterprise South Nature Park land. I oppose this proposition. I live in Flagstone community very close to the area that will have in this area. It would effect her and my quality of life if any area of the park were converted to industrial use. I want this land to be available for her to enjoy for the rest of protections lifted so this is a very important matter to me and my family. I have a young daughter who I take to ESNP park on a regular basis and we use some of the trails her life. I am very proud of the natural areas available for hiking in close proximity to Chattanooga - to me, it is what makes this city so great. To lift protections on more than 1,300 acres of it would be a betrayal to the greatest thing about this city. In regards to the land swap, that is NOT a useful swap of land for my family. We live within a ten minute drive of ESNP. The McDonald Farm is nearly an hour drive. Realistically, our family will never (and have never) driven that far for the McDonald Farm natural areas. So that is NOT an acceptable solution to this proposal.	
2025-11-13T17:27:47.072Z	Kim			Yes	Please protect our parks. Do not let either one be used for industrial development. I was so proud when Chattanooga became the first National Park City. Let's not ruin that.	
2025-11-13T17:12:49.973Z	David			Yes	want around anything like that or anything like the city. I cherish my little town and the way of life that it has always given me. Keep that mess away from here and leave I am definitely for keeping McDonald farm preserved. I have lived in Sale Creek all my life and I don't want an industrial park in my backyard. I live here because I don't me and my friends and neighbors alone.	
2025-11-13T16:13:14.952Z	*** Bravin			*** Yes	I oppose the sale of any land currently in use at Enterprise Nature Park. Removing protections would be damaging to our local outdoors scene. I personally use the Atlas trail frequently, as well as the rest of the trails at Enterprise. It is part of the identity of Chattanooga. Destroying our nature parks is damaging to not only our physical and mental health, it kills what makes Chattanooga a great place to live. Any politician that moves forward with this deserves to lose their position.	
2025-11-13T15:45:16.571Z	Elizabeth			Yes	100% support the deed swap and the protection of McDonald Farm.	
2025-11-13T15:44:45.634Z					I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land.	
	Elizabeth				I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land.	
2025-11-13T15:39:17.602Z	Jamie			Yes	The city/county already have over 1,000 acres available for industrial use within the Enterprise South industrial complex, tax id # I am opposed to utilizing the portion of Enterprise South Nature Park for industrial expansion.  <a href="https://assessor.hamiltontn.gov/card/130_001.09">https://assessor.hamiltontn.gov/card/130_001.09</a>	
2025-11-13T15:17:32.186Z	Jonette			Yes	my stomach as I drive through the area. Animals have no place to go. Coyotes are killing our pets more now than ever. Wild turkeys and deer are everywhere from so I strongly oppose developing Enterprise South Nature Park for many reasons. The area is losing charm and character with so much development all around us. It turns much development and developing ESNP would further displacement of these animals. I live behind ESNP and enjoy nature in my backyard. The pollution from industry plants are not desirable. All the beauty of the area is being destroyed. ESNP is all we have. That's why people move here! Nature, fresh air, bike and walking trails, history. Please don't destroy what was promised as protected land!! Save Enterprise South Nature Park for our children! Thank you!	
2025-11-13T15:12:54.502Z	Jonathan			Yes	This land swap is a bad idea! We must protect to woodland creatures and keep Enterprise South preserved in nature not only for recreation but for the historical reason as well.	
2025-11-13T14:09:02Z 2025-11-13T14:43:54.660Z	*** Bryan			*** Yes	I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land. This was land was set aside to be a park, is a park, and should stay a park. MacDonald Farm was purchased to be an industrial development.	
					I oppose lifting any protections at Enterprise South Nature Park and support finding another way to protect McDonald Farm.	

2025-11-13T14:30:20.040Z 2025-11-13T12:23:37.503Z	====Patrick		====Yes	<p>Park. These other acres will be available next year (only 6 weeks away) as soon as VW does not purchase them. There is also the question of "How can we be a "National"</p> <p>I am AGAINST chopping up Enterprise South Nature Park. There are several acres of land more suitable for industry than using our park space in Enterprise South Nature Park City" if we break the first RULE of the land grant that is Enterprise South Nature Park?"</p> <p>What is the RUSH to tear up land that we currently USE FOR RECREATION, just to give land to those who already live in a very rural area? Why are we being denied acreage already designated as parkland? Are we considered "lesser citizens" who have "less rights"?</p> <p>We feel that WE are NOT being represented by the County Mayor!</p> <p>PLEASE use another piece of land for industry!</p> <p>Thank you.</p>	
				I am not in favor of the land swap and think Enterprise South should stay in its current designation.	
2025-11-13T10:55:41.548Z	Laure		Yes	I go to Enterprise at least once a week and walk. I had a stroke and have to sit down every now and then, and there's benches every now and then while walking. And the nature and the trees, it's wonderful. And every now and then I go down the other way, storybook way, and the cemetery. Please do not touch the Enterprise!	
2025-11-13T09:09:48.042Z 2025-11-13T09:09:15.721Z	====Amanda		====Yes	<p>* Enterprise South is a wonderful asset in its current state for outdoor enthusiasts, and it was zoned/planned that way and is convenient and used by many * McDonald Farms was purchased and planned/zoned with lots of input and that vision should play out; industrial use should be farther away from the city * need to dive into the interested parties who are looking to develop Enterprise South</p> <p>Keep the current zoning plans in place!</p>	
				I oppose any alteration of any ESNP land	
2025-11-13T09:18.062Z 2025-11-13T02:18:49.163Z	====Debi		====Yes	<p>it IS WILD LIFE restrict now an industrial park get real and back yard sit in a GREEN BELT restriction and you was to put out road right t by threw my back yard YOU</p> <p>Chattanooga the National Park City WHAT A JOKE! You mean the Industrial city. We live in Hunter Village over 25 hrs with Tn Wildlife backing our neighborhood believe POLITICIANS ARE A GREEDY JOKE</p>	
2025-11-13T02:19:21.474Z	Bobby		Yes	I OPPOSE LIFTING ANY FEDERAL PROTECTION RESTRICTIONS ON ESNP LAND	
2025-11-13T02:07:05.795Z	Valeria		Yes	I OPPOSE LIFTING ANY FEDERAL PROTECTION RESTRICTIONS ON ESNP LAND!	
2025-11-13T01:49:17.369Z	Aries		Yes	I oppose lifting any federal protection restrictions on ESNP land.	
				I am for land swap and yes	
2025-11-13T01:40:01.262Z	====Amy		====Yes	I oppose lifting federal restrictions at Enterprise South. We're slowly taking away natural areas which many enjoy not to mention animals who lose their homes.	
2025-11-13T01:30:49.622Z	Jodi		Yes	I oppose lifting any federal restrictions on ENSP land. Thank you.	
2025-11-13T01:13:59:234Z	Doris		Yes	I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-11-13T01:08:43.305Z	Naomi		Yes	I oppose lifting any Federal Protection Restrictions on ESNP Land	
2025-11-13T01:07:26.416Z	Naomi		Yes	Vote NO	
2025-11-13T00:59:54.330Z			Yes	Vote no	
2025-11-13T00:49:25.036Z	Paul		Yes	I oppose lifting any federal protection on ESNP land.	
2025-11-13T00:15:53.090Z	====Tyler		Yes	I oppose lifting any federal protection on ESNP land.	
2025-11-12T23:25:01.680Z			Yes	I oppose lifting any federal protection restrictions on ESNP lands.	
2025-11-12T23:12:46.016Z	====Dana		Yes	I OPPOSE LIFTING ANY FEDERAL PROTECTION RESTRICTIONS ON ESNP LAND.	
				Enough urban sprawl.	
2025-11-12T23:10:54.452Z	Bailee		Yes	<p>Greetings, I am an industrial stormwater professional (Qualified Industrial Stormwater Manager and MS4 Inspector/Regulator) for the City of Chattanooga with a Bachelor of Science in Biology and a Bachelor of Science in Environmental Geology from the University of Tennessee at Chattanooga. I oppose the rezoning of Enterprise South Nature Park for industrial development for the following reasons:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Proximity to residential areas -- Allowing industrial zoning in close proximity to dense residential areas will result in lower property values, potential noise, odor, visual, and environmental impairment, more traffic congestion (employees, shipments, etc), and increase flooding potential in the area (as ESNP sits uphill of all surrounding neighborhoods).</li> <li>2. Destruction of sensitive environmental area -- ESNP tells a story of how wild areas can be preserved and team with life even though the surrounding area has been urbanized. There is an abundance of wildlife in the park that will have their habitats fragmented or totally destroyed by development. The loss of forested space will also decrease the water quality of surrounding streams, as the natural buffer and water cycle is disrupted.</li> <li>3. National Park City – Chattanooga has had the unique opportunity to become North America's first National Park City. As Chattanoogans have been reminded over the past couple years, Chattanooga is a City in a Park. Would you allow an industrial facility to be built in your local park?</li> <li>4. Public opposition -- The public opinion of rezoning ESNP is overwhelmingly negative. I have spoken to dozens of people about the topic and not a single person has been in favor. Rezoning ESNP on the heels of the Plan Hamilton floodplain reductions is another slap in the face to Hamilton County residents who love this county for the dedication to responsible land stewardship and outdoor recreation opportunities.</li> </ol> <p>Please take these points into consideration as you move forward with this decision and possible solutions. I personally would like to see Hamilton County promote the redevelopment of abandoned industrial areas, utilizing space with historical industrial land use instead of bulldozing wild areas.</p>	
2025-11-12T23:08:41.045Z 2025-11-12T20:26:53.568Z	====Rita		====Yes	I believe that the Enterprise property needs to be left alone. There is plenty of business property in this area and Chattanooga as a whole that can be used instead. Lots of eye sores that could be bought and re-purposed.	

2025-11-12T10:22:44.377Z	Charles		Yes	OPPOSE!!!!	
2025-11-12T10:59:47.792Z				I OPPOSE lifting ANY Federal protection restrictions on Enterprise South Nature Park Land.	
2025-11-12T10:32:57.173Z	---Caitlyn		Yes	I OPPOSE LIFTING ANY FEDERAL PROTECTION RESTRICTIONS ON ESNP LAND.	
2025-11-12T10:12:31.439Z	Carolyn		Yes	I oppose the plan for converting enterprise South nature Park into industrial use.	
2025-11-12T10:12:18.584Z	Robin		Yes	I am against changes to the federal regulations at Enterprise park	
2025-11-12T10:40:30.690Z	Doug		Yes	Do it somewhere else!	
2025-11-12T10:29:30.699Z			Yes	I'm against lifting any Federal protection or restrictions on Enterprise South Nature Park.	
2025-11-12T10:22:00.014Z	---Denice		Yes	I OPPOSE LIFTING ANY FEDERAL RESTRICTIONS ON ESNP LAND.	
2025-11-12T10:19:41.231Z	Scott		Yes	I OPPOSE LIFTING ANY FEDERAL PROTECTION RESTRICTIONS ON ESNP LAND!	
2025-11-12T10:18:19:14.015Z	Carol		Yes	I oppose lifting any federal protection restrictions on ESNP LAND	
2025-11-12T10:18:00.220Z	Keith		Yes	I am opposed to development in the Enterprise Nature Park. This is not a land swap. It's protected property and should remained that way.	
2025-11-12T10:16:55.679Z	Darlene		Yes	I OPPOSE LIFTING ANY FEDERAL PROTECTION RESTRICTIONS ON ESNP LAND.	
2025-11-12T10:11:25.340Z	Jennifer		Yes	I oppose this!	
2025-11-12T10:04:11.232Z	William			Please do not rezone or make Enterprise South land commercial or industrial. We need all the green space we can get!!	
2025-11-12T10:00:11.543Z	Chris		Yes	I OPPOSE LIFTING ANY FEDERAL PROTECTION RESTRICTIONS ON ESNP LAND.	
				I oppose lifting any federal protection restrictions on ESNP land.	
2025-11-12T10:23:34.000Z	---Sarah		Yes	I OPPOSE LIFTING ANY FEDERAL PROTECTION RESTRICTIONS ON ESNP LAND.	
2025-11-12T10:23:34.540Z				I oppose lifting any Federal Protection Restrictions on ESNP land.	
2025-11-12T10:08:11.992Z	Lora		Yes	I OPPOSE LIFTING ANY FEDERAL RESTRICTIONS ON ESNP LAND. (Enterprise south nature park)	
2025-11-12T10:04:30.465Z	William		Yes	ESNP was zoned to be **protected** from economic development and we are strongly opposed to rezoning ESNP to remove this protection. The Atlas mountain bike trail would be destroyed, so it is false to say that "all existing recreation" will be maintained. We oppose extending Hilltop Drive into the park as well.	
2025-11-12T10:04:24.000Z	---Pen		Yes	Please do not lift the conservation restrictions on Enterprise South Nature Park. I live close and use this park for recreation. There is still so much available land at Enterprise South that can be used without taking away this beautiful park.	
2025-11-12T10:29:41.246Z	James		Yes	I OPPOSE LIFTING ANY FEDERAL PROTECTION RESTRICTIONS ON ESNP LAND.	
2025-11-12T10:28:00.778Z	Kathy		Yes	I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land. Enough of our wildlife areas have already been destroyed by commercial activity!	
				I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land! We have lost enough wildlife areas and nature areas to commercial development!	
2025-11-12T10:28:41.405Z	Valerie		Yes	I'm concerned about the Enterprise park being bought for industrial area. I'm against that happening we need to leave the park as is for families to enjoy, that's the only park we have that's in a central location for all to enjoy..Please don't turn it in to Industrial site..What a shame to do without asking the public, and we the people are standing against this.	
2025-11-12T10:00:36.126Z	Terry		Yes	We have become overpopulated and not enough infrastructure and roads to keep from being so congested.Every peice of land is being built on and Enterprise South should at least be left for nature and people to enjoy Enough is enough	
2025-11-12T10:00:29.246Z	---Tammy		Yes	I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land.	
2025-11-12T01:59:59.553Z	JAMES		Yes	I oppose lifting federal protections on any ESNP land.	
2025-11-12T01:13:27.347Z	Sammye			I oppose lifting federal protections on any ESNP land.	
2025-11-12T01:07:35.498Z	Lacey		Yes	I oppose lifting federal protections on any ESPN land	
2025-11-12T01:07:09.947Z	LaDonna		Yes	I oppose lifting federal protections on any ESNP land.	
2025-11-12T01:07:07.240Z	Lacey		Yes	I oppose lifting Federal protections on any ESNP land.	
				I oppose lifting federal protections on any ESNP land.	
2025-11-12T01:00:40.937Z	---Austin I		Yes	I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land. Enough land in our city and county has been sacrificed for corporate opportunities.	
2025-11-11T22:59:49.809Z	Abby		Yes	I oppose lifting federal protections on any ESNP land.	
				I oppose lifting federal protections on any ESNP land.	

2025-11-11T22:08:34.132Z	AJ			Yes	I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land. This plan is very irresponsible, the residents of this area do not want it and I also oppose the continued destruction of the wildlife habitat.	
2025-11-11T20:08:47.980Z	==== Ben			== Yes	damage that this constant destruction is doing to our wildlife is frankly infuriating and very inconsistent with what I believed the individuals I voted into office would I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land. Our infrastructure is insufficient as it is now and while I do support responsible growth this just isn't it.  On top of that, the stand for.	
2025-11-11T20:08:32.652Z	Denise			Yes	I am not in favor of the land swap as it will hurt our habitat and recreational area of ESIP. It	
2025-11-11T17:52:03.141Z	Adam			Yes	I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land.	
					Quit building in Ooltewah! The infrastructure cannot support it! We are already 30 minutes out of Chattanooga. It is getting out of control!	
2025-11-11T17:22:26.115Z	Becky			Yes	what you are proposing. Anyone who supports Lee Helton is not trustworthy. You all fucked yourself with this one. Wamp had my support. NOT NOW!! We dont believe a word you say. You screwed us with Lee Helton and Plan Hamilton, then you turn around and support him. I dont need to hear another word about this bullshit land swap no matter what kind of smoke you try to blow up our asses.	
2025-11-11T16:08:02.474Z	Whitaker			Yes	take away thats feeling. What I am most concerned about, however, is the future this will allow. Once we start taking away parks today. What will be left tomorrow. Keep My dog and me walk enterprise a few times every week. We enjoy the quiet trails that makes it feel like we are miles from society. Industrialized sections of it will only our parks out of your profits!	
2025-11-11T14:48:17.203Z	Donald			Yes	I oppose lifting protections on Enterprise South Natural Area. ESNA is a valuable, easily accessible, and heavily used resource for County residents. Don't screw it up!	
2025-11-11T14:26:35.993Z	Benjamin			Yes	Village and Flagstone subdivisions, I have lived at this address for over thirty years, this is to close to our neighborhoods and the he wildlife is also being bothered by Please do not industrialize Enterprise South Nature Park, I live directly across the street where such plans are being talked about, this is literally up against Hunter these developments, these are peaceful neighborhoods that need to stay this way.	
2025-11-11T14:05:36.997Z	Meredith			Yes	I strongly oppose the goofy land swap Wamp is proposing. He can go find land to industrialize elsewhere. Leave Enterprise alone. Seriously, what is wrong with him? Residents use Enterprise to walk, bike, hike, and it's frequently used for half-marathons. It's a rare parcel of public land that doesn't have a carcinogenic industrial plant spewing toxins into the air right next door. The fact that this was proposed so quietly and meant to be done under the table, away from public eye, speaks volumes.	
2025-11-11T14:00:31.185Z	Angela			Yes	the Enterprise South land that are affected. I don't like the idea of taking land away from Enterprise South, especially since it's one of the few larger green areas closer From what I heard on the social media video where folks from Hamilton County explained this land exchange process in more detail, it sounds like there will be trails on towards the city. I see destroying any of our public land areas as problematic for our goals as a National Park City, especially when it's in favor of replacing our cherished green spaces with more buildings and infrastructure that destroys nature. Chattanooga is a great city, and I think there are ways that the city can get more creative to come up with ideas for how to build infrastructure without destroying our cherished public lands.	
2025-11-11T13:50:55.316Z	Timothy			Yes	commitment undermines the values our community stands for. Our county already struggles to manage the influx of new residents and the associated infrastructure I strongly oppose the proposal to rezone part of the nature preserve for economic development. This land was originally granted as a protected space, and reversing that demands. The choice before us should not be framed as "either economic growth or green space"—there are countless other options for business development that do not involve sacrificing our parks. Our city has earned national recognition for its green spaces and environmental stewardship. To now look to those same spaces for industrial use sends the wrong message and erodes what makes our community unique. At this point in our county's growth and economic climate, there is no urgent need to rush into such a decision. Planning should be more deliberate, and alternative sites should be fully explored before considering any rezoning of protected land.	
2025-11-11T12:30:09.010Z	==== Codi			== Yes	Enterprise South so quickly, it is easily accessible, yet you feel lost in the wilderness (a good thing) quickly and without having to drive up a mountain or out of town. We visit Enterprise South frequently. We go on hikes there, visit the dog park. My husband and I even got engaged at one of the lakes there. We love that we can get to it have read all of the media surrounding this move, and I have a hard time believing that a land swap of this magnitude will preserve all of the current beauty of Enterprise South. Even if the current trails remain, if an industrial park is placed on the back side of a trail (immediately adjoining it), then you lose the tranquility of the current park. I am interested to know the number of people that use Enterprise South, compared to the number that would use Old McDonald Farm. While I would love both to be preserved, I understand the need for industry to bring jobs to this region. However, I believe that Enterprise South is used much more often (and by more people) and is more Hamilton County residents than the rural Old McDonald Farm is.	
					I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land.	
2025-11-11T11:19:39.937Z	Rita			Yes	involved in area leadership take the opportunity to visit and drive through the property. They, too, will be amazed at the natural beauty of the area. Once disturb, this The Enterprise area is amazing, beautiful, an area of wonder within easy reach of many citizens. I hope that, before any changes are considered for the property, all natural area cannot be replaced. Having lived with the yellow fog produced by the industries in the area of past years, the Enterprise area is now a wonderful prize that was left for us.	
2025-11-11T04:41:07Z	==== Michael			== Yes	I do not support repurposing Enterprise park land for an industrial use. The trails that would be affected are an important part of the park. The buffer the existing woods offer makes the park special.	
					DO NOT TURN OUR PARK INTO AN INDUSTRIAL CORRIDOR.	

2025-11-11T02:51:05Z 2025-11-11T01:52:29.20Z	~~~~Kanda		~Yes	industrial space. No. NO! And the land swap is pure smoke and mirrors. The wording is clear, "permanently preserve." That does not mean convert to what ESNP is Chattanooga was just named the first National Park City and one of the first moves out County Mayor makes is to destroy public recreational park land and convert it to today. Will McDonald Farm have mountain bike and hiking trails like EPSN? No! The terrain is not the same. Additionally, the Sale Creek area population is not as dense thus the need is not as great. ESNP is right on the edge of a very populated area and it's easy to access. Please, do not make a move like this just as Chattanooga was named the nations first National Park City. That would be terrible and we would deserve to lose that honored designation.	
2025-11-11T01:30:57.49Z	Chelsea		Yes	I oppose lifting federal protections on any ESNP land.	
				The enterprise south land is protected land that benefits our community greatly and I oppose the development of this land.	
2025-11-11T01:09:19.01Z	Matt		Yes	habitat. I am proud our city received the designation of a National City Park. But making this space an industrial park so close to a residential area and the trails would I am not in favor of any acres of the Enterprise South Nature Park to be used as additional industrial space. This space is a terrific blend of public use land and wildlife significantly impact the the special asset we have with Enterprise South Nature park. It would be a poke in the eye to those that worked so hard, and us of us that are so proud of the National Park City designation. Please don't!!	
2025-11-11T00:54:26.17Z	Theresa P		Yes	I do not appreciate the behind the scenes discussions that have been held. Please leave Enterprise South Park as it is.	
2025-11-10T23:44:50.74Z	Ian		Yes	For Chattanooga to be the a national park city, and for the proposal to take land away and build industrial parks instead. Fight for the land and don't let greed take it over!	
2025-11-10T23:07:01.00Z 2025-11-10T22:53:09.29Z	~~~~Bratt		~Yes	I OPPOSE the land swap of Enterprise South Nature Park (ESNP) and McDonald farm. This land swap would directly impact homes in my neighborhood. It would increase noise, light, and air pollution. It would increase energy costs and most likely reduce property values in this area. We already have Miller Industries right behind us. I'm begging you to look into this. Please preserve our local nature park. Please preserve the trees and wildlife. Please preserve our quality of life.	
				I oppose lifting any restrictions on ESNP land	
2025-11-10T21:31:39.19Z	Tim		Yes	Terrible idea. McDonald farm is not close to major population that would travel and benefit from the park. Proximity to I-75 would create a logjam of traffic already heavy and take potentially a large Forrest section that would impact carbon and water capture/drainage.	
2025-11-10T20:59:48.00Z 2025-11-10T21:16:23.68Z	~~~~William		~Yes	I think this is just a Land grab, This area was set aside as a nature preserve at the beginning an now all the people that worked so hard to get this land as A nature park & industrial Park are gone and we have a new group of Money Hungry Politicians that don't live close to this proposed industrial expansion and don't care about the people that do. They would do anything that would increase they influence or their revenue. THIS IS LIKE STEELING FROM THE PEOPLE IN THIS AREA!!!	
				The frontage road maybe but why the land go somewhere else	
2025-11-10T20:34:41.34Z	Alex		Yes	I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land. Please continue to preserve both Enterprise South Nature Park and McDonald Farm.	
2025-11-10T20:21:31.68Z	Nicholas		Yes	at best. My family and I frequently utilize this space and will vote and protest against this at every opportunity. Take this development effort and utilize it in the already Enterprise should NOT be touched or developed - ever. It is in a perfect location and is pristine and loved by the community. The consideration of development is absurd developed portions of the city, etc. It has no business being considered for our green spaces - which is the true spirit of this County.	
2025-11-10T20:14:03.47Z	Jiliane		Yes	I do not want to see any part of ESNP be used for industrial purposes. Living very close by, it is a most welcome escape where one can be submerged in nature and escape the noise and pollution of autos and industry. Please do not disturb our public refuge	
2025-11-10T18:47:41.63Z	Ellen		Yes	The statement of "The concept would permanently preserve more than 1,300 acres at McDonald Farm for conservation and recreation, while maintaining all existing recreation at Enterprise South Nature Park." Is not accurate. The plan is to cut through the nature park through the Atlas trail as shown via the planning maps. This was not an approved resolution. Therefore, the politicians are trying to make up for a bad investment of McDonald farms by breaking the law. Citizens of this county do not want industry in their backyard. The politicians say building an industrial park will bring in jobs and revenue. Well, no one is going to want to move to this county when you remove the beautiful park areas that people from all over come to visit. You may create more jobs but those jobs will not create more revenue for Hamilton County. This is because people will commute from other counties. Your crowded subdivisions without proper infrastructure will create unbearable traffic congestion. No one wants this. So the proposal is to pollute the beautiful parks, make deals with construction and real estate brokers to line their pockets and create an undesirable place to live. None of this makes any sense!	
2025-11-10T18:17:16.01Z	Berry		Yes	because it is quiet. It will cease to be a quiet space if activities adjacent to the property are industrial. Industrial use of that land will result in more light, industrial noise, Of course, I would prefer to preserve the entirety of the land for conservation and recreation. The enterprise south nature area is enjoyable to myself first and foremost and car noise from traffic. The Enterprise south nature park WILL be affected by adjacent industrial use. Furthermore, the park could become less safe. I say this because industrial zones nearby the park could cause more indirect access to the park by foot without entering through the main entrance. Many trails will be adjacent to the industrial zone and this could make it less safe for hikers.	
2025-11-10T17:38:12.91Z	~~~~Rhonda		~Yes	Ensure that if any trails are lost or impacted, they are rebuilt elsewhere in the park so that residents don't lose access to recreation opportunities. Preserve public access to the existing trail network and natural areas at Enterprise South. Engage trail users, conservation groups, and local partners early in the planning process to help identify solutions that protect both the ecological and recreational value of these spaces. Commit to sustainable, multi-use trail development at McDonald Farm, so it complements—not replaces—the access ESNP currently provides.	
2025-11-10T17:05:09.08Z	Michael		Yes	I OPPOSE lifting restrictions on Enterprise and industrial development of that area.	
				Save ALL of ESNP. I do NOT support losing any of ESNP to the industrial corridor.	
2025-11-10T17:05:01.00Z 2025-11-10T17:52:49.49Z	~~~~Raymond		~Yes	room there, roads and infrastructure Your proposal not only DOES impact trails but backs up to several neighborhoods. Putting a 'few hundred foot buffer' will not A big NO on building out a business property on Enterprise South in the area proposed. If you must do this, put it on the road between Bonny Oaks and Hwy 58. There is eliminate noise and lights. I bought in Flagstone because it is peaceful and quiet. Not to mention all the wildlife we see and that you will drive away and that are constantly losing land to live on. With all the building of apartments and neighborhoods, without infrastructure improvements, it's already unbearable. PLEASE listen to the citizens for once, though I know that if a foreign concept. We do NOT need and industrial area in the area proposed. NO NO	

				I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-11-10T14:31:10.822Z	Emily			<p>This land has served as a green space for more than fifteen years, providing our community with a much-needed place to rest, recharge, and connect with nature amid point, we must stand by our values and choose preservation over profit—protecting this space not only for local wildlife, but also for the neighboring homes that depend daily city life. As a city that prides itself on being "scenic," it's disheartening to see so many of our natural areas sacrificed in the name of business and growth. At some on it for both quality of life and property value. I strongly oppose the industrial use of the ESNP land... our wildlife, the neighboring homes, and our community need to keep that as a functioning green space. Thank you.</p>	
2025-11-10T14:32:21.052Z	Gregory		Yes	<p>I am opposed to the proposed plan to remove acreage in a "land swap" between Enterprise South Nature Park and a property in far north Hamilton County. Enterprise South Nature Park is a heavily used gem in our county and is a destination for locals to use daily. In addition, it is a tourism draw. Every time I am there riding my mountain bike I meet folks who have traveled there just to ride the trails. Just this past week I met groups from Florida, South Georgia, and Texas. Frequently in the restaurants, hotels, bike shops, etc. spring it draws visitors from colder states for the top quality biking trails. ALL of these visitors spend money in our community which benefits small business Furthermore, the preservation of nature and some endangered flora and fauna is both the objective and mission of the park. I am deeply disappointed that in a "National Park" city the wholesale destruction of about a third of the park is being proposed. I urge our leadership to preserve Enterprise Park in its entirety. The maps released (belatedly) to the public show destruction of the entire Atlas Trail—a premier trail for hikers and cyclists. Once it's gone, it's gone. Please don't let this happen. Sincerely, Dr. Greg Talbott Signal Mountain</p>	
2025-11-10T12:24:51.801Z	Drew		Yes	<p>While I support economic growth in and around Hamilton County, I do not support the land swap proposal with McDonald Farm. Enterprise was deeded and preserved as a park for all to enjoy, and I utilize the running trails on both the front (south) and rear (east) of the property. This will start a dangerous precedent where economic ambitions outweigh public lands and promises kept by previous government administrations. Do not punish your constituents for your McDonald Farm mistake.</p>	
2025-11-10T10:15:13.886Z 2025-11-10T05:59:49.484Z	Henry Head		Yes	<p>disappearing rapidly due to rezoning and areas like enterprise maintain public areas for recreation and respite from the rapid growth. Removing park space from the The plan to rezone part of Enterprise Nature Park where Atlas bike trails currently sets is not beneficial or desirable. The green areas of Hamilton county are public increases the stress of living in an urbanized area and makes this county less desirable to live in. This bike trail system is much used and loved by the community and draws people to visit the area. I adamantly oppose this rezoning and feel it will be very harmful to the residents of our county</p>	
				I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-11-10T03:17:40.213Z	Alan		Yes	<p>Enterprise South should be completely off limits for industry. If you want to protect more land at old McDonald's farm, than great, but a swap is a firm no from me.</p>	
2025-11-10T01:36:59.111Z	Grace			<p>While I am pleased that the recreation areas of Enterprise South (ES) are remaining, I also mourn the potential loss of habitat for key biodiversity. My favorite part is engaging with the habitat, insects and plants while at ES and this cut will decrease the carrying capacity and stress larger creatures. There is so much unused industrial and office space that should be restored and utilized before irreversibly destroying nature</p>	
2025-11-10T01:17:35.631Z	Chris		Yes	<p>I am a property owner with land attached to this land swap and currently legally battling John McDonald for this fraud. All 0arries should be help liable abd the Park preserved.</p>	
2025-11-10T01:16:18.660Z	Chris		Yes	<p>As a property owner that backs immediately up to the proposed land swap and currently in a legal litigation with John McDonald on FRAUD of said land... I adamantly OPPOSE this illegal, fraudulent land swap. All should be help accountable for the fraud they have put on residents of Hamilton County and our nature park preserved.</p>	
2025-11-09T23:58:53.217Z	Brandon		Yes	<p>I oppose the deed swap. Enterprise north nature park and the Atlas bike trail are close to my home and part of my weekly outdoor recreation. This would be a devastating blow to recreation in Chattanooga and the reason why many choose to live in this community. I will vote in opposition of anyone that supports this proposition</p>	
2025-11-09T22:10:46.446Z 2025-11-09T22:11:29.430Z	Amie		Yes	<p>We just need to make sure we don't lose the recreational space that we already have at Enterprise South. I visit the park at least once a week to both hike and bike I would hate to see it go.</p>	
2025-11-09T22:10:09.703Z	Troy		Yes	<p>Do not want this to happen. Need to find a different area for your industrial park</p>	
2025-11-09T22:08:15.052Z	Dena		Yes	<p>I would like for Enterprise South to remain as is. I have ran many many miles in the park and enjoy it. Please so not change the park.</p>	
2025-11-09T20:06:16.903Z	Jim		Yes	<p>Please leave Enterprise South Nature Park alone. We want ESNP to remain as is.</p>	
				I oppose any changes to ESNP!	
2025-11-09T19:54:46.474Z	Bob		Yes	<p>necessary and destroys existing infrastructure. The bike trails were not typical paths, but specialized with hills for mountain bike usage. It's not a true statement that Why couldn't the Hilltop road extension be routed closer to the interstate instead of going through the park? The route wastes tax payer dollars as it is longer than 1300 acres are preserved if acreage elsewhere is converted to industrial use. Neither is it true that all existing recreation at ESNP is preserved.</p>	
2025-11-09T18:32:21.903Z	Renee		Yes	<p>33 years and when we built here, that VAAP land was never supposed to be used for anything but eventually it was made into a nature park and wildlife preserve and we First, I oppose any lifting of restrictions protecting ESNP. Leave the park as is and it was promised when it was all cleaned up and made into ESNP. We've lived here for were fine with that as it gave more green space to the city and county residents and it didn't hurt our properties or our peace. How will this feedback be used and with whom? Will it be shared with our county commissioners? Will TDEC and NPA be provided with this feedback? Are our state and federal representatives going to see it since you sought their support for this project at ESNP? When will the public see this feedback results? We are entitled to see it.</p>	

2025-11-09T18:11:10.298Z	Emily		Yes	<p>levels, air &amp; light pollution, etc. We purchased this home with the express understanding that it bordered a federally protected national park - as did the hundreds of</p> <p>We strongly disapprove of the Enterprise South Rezoning proposition for numerous viable reasons - including completely diminishing our property value, due to noise other residents in this area. When there are other equally viable areas with far less community impact available it seems it is a very irresponsible decision to not listen to the public outcry in this matter. Please do what is right &amp; look for alternative solutions. Thank you.</p>	
2025-11-09T18:11:20.000Z 2025-11-09T16:19:48.418Z	Nancy Reinhardt		Yes	<p>sickening to the people here. Few refuges remain like Enterprise South.</p> <p>Very foolish to further spoil the environment for industry you can move elsewhere. The population increase, the fever-pitch traffic, and the liberal decision-making is</p>	
	Darlene			<p>There is literally next to no park area where the elderly and or physically challenged families can do the things that this park offers</p>	
2025-11-09T18:11:20.000Z 2025-11-09T16:07:04.887Z	Homie Julie		Yes Yes	<p>I'm writing to state my vehement opposition to the proposed land swap between Enterprise South Nature Park and McDonald Farm. To keep it simple: Both properties should be protected in perpetuity. Hamilton County is a beautiful place, and we need to keep it this way, not only for ourselves but also for future generations.</p> <p>I drive by the park quite often (and occasionally walk there), and the land running along Volkswagen Drive and I-75 is not suitable for development, as I'm sure the surveyors will find in their assessment if this plan is approved. This part of the park is hilly, along with rather massive pits as you get closer to the park's entrance, and would require massive amounts of time and money to make it suitable for industry. In addition to destroying the Atlas Trail, there is also the much-discussed historic cemetery, and the fact that the boundary would run against Hunter Village Drive and Troubadour Way.</p> <p>Finally, there is a legitimate chance that no company will want to invest in this land. To clear this forest, only for it to sit vacant, would be a tragedy. It will also be a stain</p> <p>on the legacy of all the people who fought to protect the land amidst the rapid development of the area after the construction of the Volkswagen Plant. Furthermore, across the street from Harrison Elementary is a hilltop that was cleared for development some years ago. As of today, this hill sits empty, the forest razed</p> <p>and habitat destroyed. We do not need this in Hamilton County. We do not need this at Enterprise South, nor at McDonald Farm, or anywhere. The Hamilton County Government (and all the other entities involved) needs to be very deliberate and delicate with how our land is used, as once it's gone, it's gone. Please reconsider this plan. There is plenty of land suitable for development, especially around the former ammunition plant. While it would require a cleanup due to</p> <p>contamination that should have been cleaned up decades ago, the land will not need to be completely reshaped in order for companies to move in. Protect both Enterprise South Nature Park and McDonald Farm. It's the right thing to do for Hamilton County.</p> <p>Best,</p> <p>Hayden Seay</p>	
2025-11-09T15:39:54.164Z	Zee		Yes	<p>I oppose lifting protections on ESNP land! Keep it green for wildlife and humanity to enjoy!</p>	
				<p>I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land.</p>	
2025-11-09T14:58:28.707Z	Charlotte		Yes	<p>I'd like to oppose the industrial expansion into Enterprise South. Not only is it destroying trails well liked by many users including me. It will be displacing SO many animals, causing them to lose their homes, pushing them into the residential areas nearby, bc they won't have another place to go. All of it will lead them to eventually die. This plan is so short sighted. For what? Money? We're a national park city... does that mean anything?</p>	
2025-11-09T15:39:44.462Z 2025-11-09T13:37:49.681Z	Homie Zane		Yes Yes	<p>Save our park! This proposal takes away a large part of land that we use! There is abandoned buildings that can use development, not our natural areas</p>	
				<p>I oppose that you do nooooooooooooooooooooooo! Tear it down</p>	
2025-11-09T13:23:25.496Z	Melissa		Yes	<p>I oppose the proposed changes to enterprise south nature park. Any sacrifice of existing park space for industrial development is unacceptable.</p>	
2025-11-09T13:22:02.720Z	Nicholas		Yes	<p>I strongly oppose any development plan that would destroy trails and recreational land at Enterprise South Nature Park. The park's mountain bike trails attract visitors from around the region, driving economic activity for local businesses and providing priceless outdoor access for our community. The proposed land swap would irreversibly damage the park and undermine decades of work to build Chattanooga's reputation as an outdoor destination. Studies and community feedback show that preserving our trails and parkland creates sustainable jobs and long-term economic prosperity—far more valuable than short-term industrial development.</p> <p>Our leaders should prioritize the health, environment, and future of local residents. We can protect both Enterprise South and pursue other opportunities without sacrificing what makes our city special. Please reject this plan and safeguard our park and trails for generations to come.</p>	
2025-11-09T12:54:43.208Z	Halsted		Yes	<p>My fear is this first 500 acres being carved out of Enterprise South will not be the last of the land that is flipped to Industrial/commercial use. Trading land use at Enterprise South for land at McDonald Farms is not a fair trade off.</p> <p>First off, both properties are recreational parks acquired by the taxpayers of Hamilton County for the purpose of recreation, not commercial use. Secondly, Enterprise South is a far more desirable location for the greater population than MacDonald Farms. Apparently it's more desirable to developers as well. Thirdly, Ooltewah is already over-populated. Instead of adding more construction, traffic and stress on already taxed infrastructure spend money and energy on</p> <p>expanding Hunter Road, Mountain View, Ooltewah/Ringgold, and Snow Hill.</p> <p>Use impact fees (if these developers are even charged impact fees) on infrastructure improvements—roads, drainage, lighting, traffic control, and storm water runoff</p> <p>management. Build more schools, fire stations and support facilities.</p> <p>Lastly, the communities nearest to the proposed development and restructuring of Enterprise South should never have had to find out about the plans long after the</p> <p>Mayor had already aligned with the state and federal government officials to secure the land swap.</p> <p>As a public relations professional you know as well as I do that perception is reality. The way this has been handled and communicated has the appearance that the common voter is too stupid to understand the deal.</p>	
2025-11-09T11:08:52.230Z	Donna		Yes	<p>frustrating place to live and drive anywhere not to mention the increase in drug activity, which I'm sure you don't see because you are too busy wanting to expand our</p> <p>The Growth in Hamilton County has gone too far, it needs to be stopped, this area has become very overpopulated it has become too much and has made it a very population, increase housing prices etc, if we all wanted to live in an over populated area we would have moved to one and if you want to be in an over populated area you could move your family there, you are not doing anything but ruining our area.</p>	
2025-11-09T09:59:32.212Z	Janel			<p>I join my voice with others to request that all lands which are part of Enterprise South Nature Park remain part of the park. I concur with the multitude of reasons shared by concerned citizens of Hamilton County who access the park regularly and who wish to preserve it for future generations.</p>	
2025-11-09T04:39:14.587Z	Jonathan		Yes	<p>I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land.</p>	

2025-11-08T03:29:37.771Z	Cheryl			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<p>I am OPPOSED to this transfer of deed restrictions.</p> <p>1) This appears to be a slight of hand to resolve the over-investment for the McDonald Farm property. Resolving that issue does not have to have anything to do with Enterprise South Nature Park.</p> <p>2) Not only does conservation not need to an either/or proposition, I view the conservation at these 2 sites to be of different types. I see McDonald Farm as cultural and archaeological preservation, and I see Enterprise Nature South as environmental/nature conservation.</p> <p>3) I believe that back-tracking on an achieved conservation/preservation agreement, such as the one reached for Enterprise South Nature Park, damages all credibility on future conservation/preservation goals. Future business partners will have reason to be hesitant or slow-roll future conservation/preservation discussions, agreements, or milestones, once they have the expectation that you will change your mind about it later anyway. As someone who has been responsible for negotiating contracts, I believe that the mere consideration of this proposal may already have done the damage such that any industrial interests that might land at McDonald Farm won't have to take any conservation/preservation obligations too seriously. That being the case, Enterprise South Nature Park is a gem of a park, the kind that other states advertise in tourist brochures; since you've made it so that we won't get another one of these, we had better keep the gem that we've got - every square yard.</p> <p>4) My home is 1.1 miles East, literally as the wind blows, of the easternmost point of the Atlas Bike Trail. I live close enough to Enterprise South Nature Park to be concerned about the type of industry placed in the existing industrial portion of Enterprise South. I understand that those concerns are beyond the scope of this proposal. But I am a neighbor, even if not immediately adjacent. The further west within the industrial portion of Enterprise South that future industry is placed, the more likely it is that industrial pollution, including the types of industrial catastrophes that we've seen of late, will affect the existing industrial area, rather than neighboring residential areas.</p> <p>5) When I drive through the industrial area, I see lots of space, and would think that you would use the existing industrial space as intended prior to creating more. Some say that the cost of additional roads within the industrial area of Enterprise South is part of the financial equation, but industry needs roads wherever you put the industry, so there needs to be a better explanation of why industrial-grade roads through the Nature Park would be more cost-beneficial (to the county and its citizens), not to the industry) than through the industrial area.</p> <p>The above comments represent my opinion and thoughts on the matters at hand. Although I am a dues-paying member of both the Chattanooga Chapter of the Tennessee Ornithological Society and the Rose Glen Homeowners Association, neither of those organizations has either received input from me nor does either represent me. Likewise, neither organization has contributed to my stated input, nor do I represent either organization.</p>	
	Ronetta			<input type="checkbox"/> No	Please do what you can to stop these developer's from destroying Enterprise South Nature Park	
2025-11-08T02:35:43.041Z	Minami			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<p>but the maps available of the proposal do not back up that claim. It seems that Hamilton County is trying to make it sound like they will "preserve" McDonald Farm.</p> <p>Your site should have a map that would show the impact of the "swap" on Enterprise South. Your site asserts that "all existing recreation" at ESNP would be maintained, when in fact, they already know that it is not suitable for industrial development anyway. The citizens aren't "gaining" the farm—they already have that. They are losing parts of trails and a large chunk of natural land at ESNP to more industry in an already over crowded portion of Hamilton County. We just don't need it. We don't have the housing, school, or road infrastructure for more industry = more people.</p>	
2025-11-08T02:26:01.962Z	Nancy			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<p>development. McDonald Farms would be about a forty-five minute to hour drive. It would not be used like Enterprise. It's too far out. I also understand the value of</p> <p>I love McDonald Farms, but it isn't accessible to the public like Enterprise Park. I go and hike Enterprise Park a few times a week. It is my escape from all the city and Enterprise land for development, but we have enough manufacturing in that area. Enterprise Park acts as a barrier from all the plants. Please don't take this away from Hamilton County residents. We need this park. Thank you. Nancy Appel</p>	
2025-11-08T01:59:04.626Z	Andrew			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<p>We need this new development taking away from natural protected land like we need another car wash or coffee shop in Ooltewah. Already an apartment building is the only things we have left that makes since and now you want to take it away for development! How about fixing up the crappy parts of town or fixing the roads that are being built on hunter road a road that can barely handle the traffic on it now. The infrastructure is not built for this type of blind planning. Enterprise nature park is one of falling apart I've lived here my whole life and I've watched Chattanooga and Ooltewah fall apart it's terrible only thing Chattanooga cares about is downtown and it shows.</p>	
2025-11-08T01:59:49.886Z 2025-11-08T01:59:28.446Z	*** Hillary			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<p>I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land. Why was the public not polled about this development of community shared land? It should be left to a vote with the public.</p>	
				<input type="checkbox"/> No	<p>I oppose lifting protections on the ESNP land! This land is a local treasure and should be protected and enjoyed by the people of Chattanooga.</p>	
2025-11-08T01:59:49.886Z 2025-11-08T23:54:05.118Z	*** Amy			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<p>I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land. Please continue to preserve both Enterprise South Nature Park and McDonald Farm.</p>	
				<input type="checkbox"/> No	<p>I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land. Me and my family enjoy it each week. This land needs to stay as is.</p>	
2025-11-08T23:05:55.054Z	Sarah			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<p>I STRONGLY oppose lifting the protections on any ESNP land. My husband and I love walking the trails with our dogs and having any part of that land converted for industrial use would be a tragedy.</p>	
2025-11-08T23:05:54.846Z 2025-11-08T22:09:38.546Z	*** Janna			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<p>I am an avid mountain biker, and am sad to see that some trails at enterprise may be destroyed. Enterprise is located less than 30 minutes from downtown, and offers great trails. I would hate to see some of these trails gone because of land development.</p>	
				<input type="checkbox"/> No	<p>I OPPOSE ANY DEVELOPMENT OF ENTERPRISE SOUTH NATURE PARK!</p>	
2025-11-08T23:05:54.846Z 2025-11-08T23:03:58.796Z	Jose			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<p>We need to leave all the natural parks alone. This park is what makes this area beautiful and are home to many animals that live around here. You guys start cutting down all this park down to build more homes you will start to look like Florida that only care about bringing more people into the state.</p>	
2025-11-08T20:49:29.836Z	*** Antoinette			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes		
2025-11-08T20:39:07.583Z				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<p>Nooga Tennessee 3741 I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land. We need more green space for wildlife and people.</p>	
2025-11-08T20:31:01.676Z	*** Donald			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<p>No, leave our park alone. No one wants to drive all the way to McDonald farm to ride. Leave our park alone. No</p>	
				<input type="checkbox"/> No	<p>I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land. There is too much building and too much traffic now.</p>	
2025-11-08T20:27:58.094Z	Antoinette			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<p>I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land. We need more green space for people and wildlife. In fact, I think developers should be required to create a "park" in every neighborhood they develop for either residential or business purposes.</p>	
2025-11-08T20:10:24.12Z	Kyle			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<p>I expressly oppose any land swap or exchange in Enterprise South Nature Park or McDonald farm and should be preserved for the public as intended to be.</p>	
2025-11-08T20:09:55.734Z	*** Kate			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<p>Please do not ruin any part of Enterprise South. This city is great because of nature. Messing with the city's primary attracting factor does not seem like a move that's beneficial in the long term.</p>	

					I oppose this land swap- Hamilton county needs to LISTEN to the residents! We do NOT want to lose our natural spaces!	
2025-11-08T19:17:43.052Z 2025-11-08T19:17:43.052Z	— Margaret		Yes		I strongly oppose lifting protections on ESNP. Even if it leaves some portions "untouched", it will drastically alter the atmosphere and nature-centric experience. As a national park city, preserving our green spaces and their peace should be a priority.	
2025-11-08T18:47:46.182Z	Chris		Yes		I oppose lifting any restrictions on ESNP!	
2025-11-08T18:27:49.496Z	Carrie		Yes		I strongly oppose the proposal to open parts of enterprise south to industrial development.	
					I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land.	
2025-11-08T18:09:28.205Z	McKenzie				that area because of the outdoor recreation opportunities. I continue to visit Chattanooga annually because of those same outdoor recreation opportunities. I'm reaching out to voice my opinion on the proposed transfer of deed restriction. I was a resident of Hamilton County for my time as a student at UTC, and I moved to transfer of the deed to this land would directly impact my decision making on whether or not I continue to visit Chattanooga, or if I chose to explore other areas whose interests in preserving their wild spaces are more apparent. To be clear, I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land. I believe that this decision would not only impact current residents and conservation efforts, but would also negatively impact tourism to the area.	
2025-11-08T17:13:32.077Z	Leslie		Yes		accessible trails for children and families as well as the trail with the highest elevation, which is great for running. I recently took my little sister to an event at Enterprise I am shocked and extremely disappointed to hear about this proposal to destroy part of Enterprise South. The areas slated for development include one of the most South and we had a great time walking the Storybrook Trail. It is heartbreaking to think that it could soon be destroyed. I am so astounded that a city recently deemed the first "National Park City" would even consider such a proposal and pretend that it is somehow a better alternative. I urge the city and county to find a different option.	
2025-11-08T17:04:04.042Z 2025-11-08T16:41:56.042Z	— Lindsey		Yes		in Chattanooga and a refuge for families and animals alike. I go to Enterprise multiple times a month for walks with my dog, nature hikes with my little sister, and to meet I am shocked and extremely disappointed to hear that the county would even consider destroying part of Enterprise South. Enterprise South is one of the quietest places up with friends who work nearby. This proposal is completely out of line with Chattanooga's recent distinguishment as a "National Park City" and feels like an underhanded attempt to deprive citizens	
					I oppose lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land. Stop the overdevelopment of our lands.	
2025-11-08T16:09:04.042Z 2025-11-08T16:05:25.588Z	Kathleen		Yes		COUNTY ARE ALMOST GONE. THAT CREATES CANCER & MANY SICKNESSES. WE HAVE NO RECREATIONAL PLACES TO GO, ENVIRONMENTAL PARKS TO GO TO WITH OUR STOP STEALING OUR LANDS! TO MANY HOMES & BUSINESSES HAVE GONE UP IN THE LAST 5 YEARS. ALL THE LAND & TREES THAT FEED OXYGEN TO ALL LIVING IN OUR CHILDREN PARKS TO GO TO PLAY BALL, SOCCER, SPORTS, ETC. OUR FREEDOM TO BREATHE LIFE FROM NATURE HAS BEEN DESTROYED BY POLITICIANS OF GREED & CINTROL, WITHOUT CONSIDERING ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES THAT ARRIVE FROM NOT ENOUGH NATURE THAT CLEANS OUT CARBONMONOXIDE AND DAMAGING INFLUENCES DO TO GREEDY POLITICIAN WHO DO NOT GIVE A DAM ABOUT NATURE IN HOW THE HUMAN RACE CAN ONLY SURVIVE ON THE TREES, PLANTS THAT ONLY NATURE CAN SUPPLY. THERE HAS BEEN SUCH AN ABUNDANCE OF HOUSING, BUSINESSES, STORES ETC PUT UP, MASS AMOUNTS OF THIS HAMILTON COUNTIES RESIDENTIAL HOME OWNERS, PEOPLE ARE SELLING THERE HOMES & MOVING OUT OF STATE, MOVING WHERE THERE IS LAND TO BRESTHE FRESH AIR, INSTEAD OF SITTING IN A HORRIBLE CITI THAT WE CAN NOT CALL HOME ANY LONGER. ITS HORRIBLE NOW AND YOU WANT TO TAKE DOWN A PARK THAT WE BRING OUR CHILDREN, GRAND CHILDREN TO? THIS IS OF GREED AND CONTROL OF GREEDY POLITITIOTS THAT NEED TO BE OUT CASTED FROM THERE POSITIONS IN THE COUNTY & STATE. PEOPLE.. STAND UP TO THIS NOW. SAY "NO MORE TO THESE GREEDY MONGERS WHO ONLY THINK ABOUT LOVE OF MONEY INSTEAD OF THE LOVE FOR A HEALTHY ENVIRONMENT, HEALTHY AIR, HEALTHY LIVES OVER THE POWER OF MONEY & CONTROL. ALL MUST PICKET AND STAND UP TO SAY, "NO MORE BUILDING IN COLTEWEAH, HAMILTON COUNTY. NO! MORE! WRITE A LETTER TO THEM ALL! GET INVOLVED! SAY NO MORE BUILDING! NO MORE!	
	Kendra				Leave Enterprise Park alone! Let it continue to be a nature area, Chattanooga is prized for its nature areas, don't take them away!	
2025-11-08T16:02:01.042Z 2025-11-08T15:59:01.970Z	— Heath		Yes		events we attend that require us to pull hills and survive in natural surroundings. There are so many other areas that could be used for industrial use. Don't take away Please protect our existing parks from industrial use. I love going to Enterprise park, walking the trails, biking the paths. My daughter and I use that area to train for something that is a treasure to the people of Hamilton County. Thank you.	
2025-11-08T15:40:17.803Z	Stephanie		Yes		I strongly oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land.	
2025-11-08T15:34:11.554Z	Kayla		Yes		I oppose lifting any protections on any ESNP land	
2025-11-08T15:24:32.339Z	Curtis		Yes		I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land	
2025-11-08T15:15:50.683Z	Morgan		Yes		I oppose lifting protections on the ESNP site.	
					I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land!	
2025-11-08T14:38:44.105Z	Johannes		Yes		Please do not develop the proposed plan for the Enterprise South Nature Park. It is a vital piece of recreation that our community needs. The industrial complex could be developed in many other tracts, such as on Ferdinand Peich or Claude Ramsey corridors.	
2025-11-08T14:23:08.815Z	Travis		Yes		I oppose the deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land. Hamilton County needs to preserve that Park and keep all industrial development far away from it.	
2025-11-08T14:00:00.000Z 2025-11-08T14:03:55.144Z	— Ashlyn		Yes		As an avid mountain biker and lover of the outdoors, I'm deeply invested in preserving the trails and green spaces that make Chattanooga such a special place. My wife and I moved here from New Jersey six years ago because of this city's incredible access to nature and commitment to outdoor recreation. I'm very concerned about the proposed deed restriction transfer between Enterprise South Nature Park and McDonald Farm. Enterprise South is one of the most accessible and well-loved green spaces in the region—used daily by countless residents and visitors for recreation, exercise, and connection with nature. While I appreciate the intent to preserve land at McDonald Farm, removing protections from Enterprise South feels shortsighted and inconsistent with Chattanooga's identity as a "National Park City." True responsible growth means enhancing—not trading away—our most cherished outdoor spaces. I urge county leaders to ensure Enterprise South remains fully protected and accessible, and to explore solutions that allow both sites to thrive for future generations.	

					I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land.	
2025-11-08T11:00:00Z 2025-11-08T13:25:52.696Z	*** Grant			*** Yes	the exit. And community members do not want this either. It will benefit no one ! McKee employees don't want this development either. I've discussed this with many As a mountain biker and nature enthusiast please DO not develop this area ! Please leave the beautiful area woods alone! VW employees don't want the extra traffic on people.	
2025-11-08T13:25:15.304Z				Yes	Strongly oppose this plan. Insulting to say we care about the outdoors then propose something like this. Cody wamp will lose my vote over this.	
2025-11-08T13:25:04.507Z	*** Vance			Yes	I oppose Any lifting of protections on Any ESNP land!	
					We do not need to further develop Enterprise! Leave the park and area as it is!!!	
2025-11-08T11:00:00Z 2025-11-08T13:03:54.681Z	*** Taylor			*** Yes	I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land	
					I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land.	
2025-11-08T12:29:08.823Z	Rachel			Yes	Let me join my voice to those who have expressed a firm and resolute opposition to the proposed plans for developing parts of Enterprise South Nature Park. If this development moves forward, it will be devastating to those of us that have come to love ESNP as a refuge from the developed city, a place to disconnect from the stress of day-to-day life and connect instead to the beauty of nature and the joy of exploration and discovery. More importantly, this area is critical to the wildlife that rely on it for their habitat.	
2025-11-08T12:25:57.106Z	Jessica			Yes	highly used trails. You will destroy this park. I don't know if you've ever been to the Dalton park that is right next to industrial plants, but it's horrible. You get a headache I just saw the proposed map of the industrial area. You lied. You are removing a favorite trail of many children across the county. You're putting pollutants within feet of after walking there for any stretch of time due to the VOCs and everything else in the air around it. If this goes through, I and many others will work overtime to ensure the political defeat of everyone who voted for it. Not sure if you saw last week's election results, but the people are tired of being hung to dry while the rich do whatever they want. We won't be quiet about this.	
2025-11-08T12:20:57.252Z	Christina			Yes	I strongly oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land for ANY reason ESPECIALLY for industrial and manufacturing use! The land should remain protected because that's what we the people want.	
2025-11-08T12:10:05.861Z 2025-11-08T12:10:05.861Z	*** Alexander			*** Yes	I strongly oppose lifting protections and restrictions on Enterprise South Nature Park land. My family and I use that park to get into nature and enjoy undisturbed wildlife. Extremely disappointed to hear that our leaders plan to sell OUR public park land for industrial development. Please reconsider.	
2025-11-08T11:38:50.821Z	Chris			Yes	Please do not destroy the beautiful nature we have left.	
					I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land.	
2025-11-08T11:21:55.689Z	Ashley			Yes	First, it is important to remember that without our local media, the Enterprise South land swap would have occurred and been completed in the darkness, before anyone knew or could do anything about it. The oily smile and gesticulating arms of our county mayor distract us from what his hands do in the shadows. When he claims he is working 'for us', he isn't. When local groups say he is working 'with them,' they should remember that he is, in fact, not. Consider that public parks are really the only altruistic, loving act that we receive from our government. Regardless of one's creed, ethnicity, gender, or status, public parks can be enjoyed equally and at no cost, by all of us who go there with honest intentions. A park is a promise, from government to the people, that a place will be set aside for their health and enjoyment into perpetuity, not until a politician finds a way to exploit it for his or her gain. Seeing the growth in our area over the past ten years, and seeing every scrap of available land exploited for 'progress,' along with the concept that Chattanooga is now a 'national park city', should we be trading our treasured open spaces for monolithic factories and sprawl? I prefer a solution that I have yet to hear. Rather than 'swapping' six hundred acres for twelve hundred acres (dubious at best), why not increase the protected area of Enterprise South, as well as preserve more of the McDonald farm for future generations. Once public land is lost, it is lost forever. And it is lost so easily.	
2025-11-08T11:21:43.444Z	SPY			Yes	certainly possible for industrial growth and the conservation of public land to coexist. The many outdoor activities that are in and around this area make Chattanooga a I wanted to share my thoughts on this matter. I both run and mountain bike ride at ESNP at least once a week. It is a true jewel for both sports here in our backyard. It is desirable place to relocate to. The VW deal is the only reason ESNP exists today. So yes, I say carve out land where it makes sense so we can create more good-paying jobs. Do the same at McDonald Farm.	
2025-11-08T11:16:02.062Z 2025-11-08T11:11:13.484Z	*** David			*** Yes	I oppose this land swap deal. Keep Enterprise South Nature Park as a nature preserve. It is essential for recreation, protecting wildlife, clean air, and our quality of life for those who live around it.	
					"I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land."	
2025-11-08T11:02:05.693Z	Katia			Yes	I oppose lifting restrictions on any ESNP land. Keep ESNP the beautiful protected nature park that it is currently. NO INDUSTRIALIZATION of ESNP property!	
2025-11-08T10:02:13.001Z	Henry			Yes	I oppose the industrial plans for our park. The impact is too large situated between neighborhoods and a park for industrial use??? That has no place in our families backyards.	
2025-11-08T10:02:00.062Z 2025-11-08T05:06:16.469Z	*** Mickeyla			*** Yes	I oppose the changes the Enterprise South Nature Park. They will destroy the park and put industrial zones near my and many other neighborhoods. This is a terrible idea. Please don't ruin a beautiful place.	
2025-11-08T05:06:02.404Z	Marti				I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land. There should not be any industrial development on ESPN land.	
					I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land! Save the greenery! No more building!	
2025-11-08T04:54:59.469Z	Elizabeth			Yes	Why does this protected public land not have continuing status as protected public land? What does "protected" even mean if it is not protected in perpetuity? ESNP provides accessible and safe recreation for my entire family and I am extremely dismayed at the proposal to convert part of it to industrial use. Similar to the riverwalk by the chemical plant, it would just stink all the time? Please understand that it is not quality recreation when one cannot breathe without noticing how awful and unclean the air is. In addition to taking away trails from the public, it would also adversely affect local wildlife. ESNP is a haven for deer and other critters, would this development push them out into surrounding neighborhoods to cause harm and be subjected to harm themselves? Overall this seems to be a poorly thought out proposal and a poor approach to land management. It's an	

					embarrassment to Hamilton County and a disservice to its residents. The people who use this park regularly have no support whatsoever for this conversion to industrial use. We can never get back what politicians are trying to take away from all of us to sell.	
2025-11-08T04:15:05.178Z	Joshua		Yes		Please do not develop on Enterprise South land. It was meant to be a park and should always stay a park. We are the national PARK city for a reason right?	
2025-11-08T04:12:16.710Z	Riley		Yes		I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land.	
					I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land.	
2025-11-08T03:42:03.411Z	Nicole		Yes		Clearly you are hiding things about this project from your community. There's a whole recession happening, massive inflation, and you want to build this monstrosity in a nature park? I oppose lifting protections on ESNP. Chattanooga is special because of the mature and beauty. This doesn't make any sense except for that some of y'all or your friends will get richer off of it. Stop being cartoon villains.	
2025-11-08T03:18:13.858Z	THUYEN		Yes		get permission from the federal government to do so. But, please do not take any land from Enterprise Park and put it into an industrial site. This would be an absolute I stand firmly against any incursions into Enterprise Park. If the Mayor and the commissioners want to make McDonald Farms into a park, so be it. They do not have to travesty. Can you just imagine looking out the back door of your home where you once gazed upon a beautiful forest and now you get to look at the parking lot of another Amazon or some other warehouse or manufacturing plant? Lets zone the land next to the mayor's house as an industrial site and see how much he likes that idea! Better yet, let the county government heads spend some time trying to get some more infrastructure to support all the new homes and apartments that are being allowed. The traffic is miserable and they want to make it even worse. Vote NO to this project. This is a bad idea.	
2025-11-08T03:12:19.027Z	Audrey		Yes		I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land. We would raise money to preserve both!!	
2025-11-08T03:08:17.845Z	Monica		Yes			
2025-11-08T03:08:22.290Z	Patricia		Yes		I oppose putting an industrial park at Enterprise South Nature Park. The park should be preserved and supported by the county government.	
					I oppose the proposed industrial zone within Enterprise South Nature Park.	
2025-11-08T02:59:23.439Z	Rozanne		Yes		I am not in favor of changing the use of any part of Enterprise South Nature Park from its current use and undoing years of effort to preserve it as is for future generations.	
2025-11-08T02:58:19.067Z 2025-11-08T02:58:18.960Z	John		Yes		county and its residents. The consequences of lifting protections and developing an industrial park on what is currently ESNP would be greater than the loss of the I oppose lifting protections on any portion of ESNP. The loss of this tract of land would have negative aesthetic and economic impacts which would harm Hamilton developed tract itself, as it would significantly degrade the ecological and aesthetic quality of the adjacent habitat, trails, neighborhoods, etc. Developing ESNP lands would be tremendously unpopular and contrary to the will and interests of the greater community. Please continue to preserve BOTH MacDonald Farm and ESNP for the ecological and socioeconomic health of our great county.	
					I favor the deed swap. It is a good use of taxpayer funds.	
2025-11-08T02:55:41.445Z	Michelle		Yes		visitors enjoying the park. While hiking the trails, I have enjoyed seeing unique wildflowers blooming in the Spring. For instance, in April there are hundreds of pink lady Enterprise South Nature Park provides vital recreation opportunities in nature for residents and tourists. I have hiked there for years and it is always crowded with sliders that bloom. The only other place I have seen this rare flower is in the Great Smoky Mountains National Park. Enterprise South Nature Park along with other trails in Chattanooga is part of Chattanooga's designation as a Park City. The proposed industrial development of Enterprise South Nature Park would go against this designation. I noticed there are other spaces for potential industrial development on the other side of Volkswagen and within that industrial park area that will not destroy the park. Also I think it's good to preserve both the McDonald Farm and Enterprise South. This would provide recreational and cultural heritage opportunities for residents and visitors in both the northern and southern portions of Hamilton County. I hope you decide to preserve Enterprise South Nature Park for visitors, residents, and future generations.	
2025-11-08T02:47:32.574Z	Jan		Yes		I oppose lifting protections on both Enterprise South and McDonald Farm. There is so much land that can be utilized all around the city. Let the city have a large green space.	
					I do not support the sale or development of land within Enterprise South Nature Park. Go build on the farm.	
2025-11-08T02:19:56.534Z	Carla		Yes		shouldn't even be considered in that manner. Our community, ecosystems, the flora and fauna need to stay protected rather than developed. There's tons of vacant I oppose any and all attempts to lift protections of ESNP land and the proposed deed swap between ESNP and McDonald Farm. This is not an either or situation and land around Chattanooga in industrial settings that could be improved as an infill project. The county should not have purchased the McDonald Farm land without doing the necessary due diligence prior for the intended use of the property. The findings that infrastructure and feasibility is lacking there is not a fault that should be placed on the citizens of Hamilton County and Chattanooga.	
2025-11-08T02:08:20.619Z	Jessica		Yes		I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land. Use downtown areas already available for this type of business.	
2025-11-08T01:59:44.446Z	Kathryn		Yes		I oppose removing protections from any land in Enterprise Park. It's a terrible move for a city that prides itself on being a National Park city.	
2025-11-08T01:51:32.441Z	neko		Yes		I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land.	
2025-11-08T01:50:54.169Z	Marissa		Yes		Preserve our few natural areas that we can still enjoy. Our city is dirty enough. Leave some space to breath.	
2025-11-08T01:44:35.024Z	Jana		Yes		I do not support using any Enterprise South Nature Park land for industrial use. It is a gift to our community and our children!	
2025-11-08T01:36:29.122Z	Thomas		Yes		Ya'll know good and well that no one that lives here wants or approves of this. Stop it!	
					I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land.	
2025-11-08T01:25:35.998Z	Jonathan		Yes		My house directly backs up to the proposed area that you want to change the zoning on. We bought this house and my neighbors did as well because we were told we back up to a protected nature park. This will break our hearts to have that preserved land and wildlife disappear from our backyards. Please don't allow development in our backyards. I support growth and more jobs but not in nature parks or literally in my backyard.	

2025-11-08T01:24:36.389Z	Lynn			Yes	<p>development plans in Ooltewah. Given all that, absolutely NOTHING people in power say rings truthful - so yes. this bothers me because nothing is EVER as it appears or I am concerned about this projects because of some of the sleight of hand, shady dealings, conflicts of interest, and other things going on with the massive is promised by the talking heads. Zero trust in what you all say... ZERO.</p>	
2025-11-08T01:31:19.842Z 2025-11-08T00:46:03.635Z	*** Emily			*** Yes	I oppose the lifting of protections on any ESNP land. This directly affects my backyard and my whole neighborhood which should also be protected, as well as the land.	
2025-11-08T00:32:27.310Z	Lawrence			Yes	I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land.	
					I do not think the deed swap of the esnp park would be in the best interests of the citizens of Hamilton county.	
2025-11-08T00:29:10.531Z	Lauren				Federally protected land that's a heritage to the chatt area should not be industrialized. This is a mistake. It's not in the interest of the citizens or the nature we're stewarding on this land. The way this dealing took place in secret is a sign the powers that be knew how we'd feel.	
2025-11-08T00:16:38.434Z	Tyler			Yes	I oppose any and all attempts to chance the destination of enterprise south or the surrounding area as well as any future developments in the apison area as the infrastructure is in place to handle anything proposed	
2025-11-08T01:13:08.867Z 2025-11-08T00:07:57.012Z	*** Elle			*** Yes	I completely oppose the new proposed land use for enterprise park. Leave it a park! Im all for change but we are y out of room here in Hamilton County! Please stop!	
					Hi there, I'm writing in to share that I strongly oppose lifting any protections on ESNP land. Please protect our beautiful city's spaces!!	
2025-11-07T23:43:08.866Z 2025-11-07T23:43:08.843Z	*** Alice			*** Yes	I oppose lifting ANY protections on ANY Enterprise South Nature Park land. We're the first National Park City and you want to throw the nature to the dumps for some money and severe decrease in the types of things that people love about Chattanooga.	
					Leave Enterprise South as is	
2025-11-07T23:38:17.028Z	Andy			Yes	I oppose lifting restrictions on any part of Enterprise South. No commercial building should be allowed. Please preserve this area for our community to enjoy nature.	
2025-11-07T23:37:18.046Z	Lee			Yes	<p>I completely oppose this deed transfer.</p> <p>The plans do NOT protect all existing ESNP recreational areas, and puts many mixed use trails at risk. It encroaches on housing, wildlife, and public, protected property. Enterprise is one of the great success stories of Hamilton County.</p>	
2025-11-07T23:26:47.866Z 2025-11-07T23:26:32.037Z	*** Anna, Tim			*** Yes	<p>As a life-long resident of Chattanooga, I have observed a significant loss of green space over the last 10 years. While I recognize that progress is a natural part of a growing city, I think it's important not to encroach upon the remaining large areas of wild space. Please do not develop Enterprise South Park. It is such a lovely spot to hike, picnic, birdwatch, and take pictures! How can we be a National Park City if we continue to develop all of our green spaces?</p>	
2025-11-07T23:26:50.691Z	Dane			Yes	I strongly oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land.	
					Keep all of the Enterprise South Nature Park protected.	
2025-11-07T23:24:59.973Z	Becky			Yes	I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land. Also it ruins the entire nature aspect of that park that we love so much if you stuff part of it full of industrial buildings and all that traffic. Save enterprise south!	
2025-11-07T23:24:47.866Z 2025-11-07T22:59:58.982Z	*** Carmen			*** Yes	<p>Chattanooga was recently honored as the first National Park City in North America, so to immediately turn around and destroy a natural space where thousands flock to per year would NOT be a good look.</p> <p>There has got to be a better placement for the planned industrial use than Enterprise South Nature Park. To do away with 500 acres and turn it into an industrial plot will not only destroy natural wildlife, it will also diminish significant value from a popular spot for hiking and mountain biking ("Atlas Trail"), something that brings a lot of tourism to Chattanooga, indirectly helping local businesses.</p> <p>There has got to be a better place to bring industry and create jobs for our community. If you reply to my message, I'd be happy to do some research by looking at a map of the greater Hamilton County area and identifying at least 3 spots that would be a better fit for the industrial opportunity that would disrupt ESNP. Hamilton is a sprawling county with plenty of room for growth.</p> <p>I also want to highlight that, while I am an avid cyclist, I can step outside of my worldview to acknowledge that industrial development at ESNP will impact other people, too. Residents in the areas around ESNP are deeply concerned about lowered property values, higher energy costs, air pollution, heavier traffic, and increased flooding risks (something we've seen as a consequence of over-development in other parts of Chattanooga, such as East Ridge, where I live). These are things most homeowners can't afford to combat. The Flagstone Community has already experienced catastrophic flooding, and residents are upset that this proposal will make things worse. Please reconsider this plan. And I'm serious. I will help you do the research on a better part of town to bring in industry. Reply and we can talk. I love looking at maps.</p>	
2025-11-07T22:56:11.569Z	Nicholas			Yes	I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
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2025-11-07T22:52:37.452Z	Quinn			Yes	I oppose lifting protections on any ESNP land. This land is important as a natural resource and to allow it to be used for industrial uses is going to negatively affect those who recreate on it and those who neighbor it. I value the trail systems in this area and strongly oppose its potential development.	
2025-11-07T22:41:00.002Z 2025-11-07T22:41:22.381Z	Simon			*** Yes	I do not support any reduction of green space at Enterprise South Nature Park. I encourage you to figure out another location for industrial park land that doesn't take away an area used frequently by Hamilton County residents.	
	Michael				It's not either or. Protect them both.	
2025-11-07T22:34:58.695Z	Mark			Yes	This totally unacceptable!!! Home owners as my self should be able to have input on this. This area has been flooded with new home the last 10 years. Hunter rd can't handle anymore traffic. But you money hungry politicians DONT CARE!!!!!!	

2025-11-07T21:40:03.850Z	Kelly			Yes	<p>for \$16 million with the sole intent of industrializing it. Hamilton County has an insatiable appetite for development, at the expense of County residents, and is allowing</p> <p>I am absolutely, 100% opposed to even a single blade of grass in Enterprise South Nature Park being rezoned to industrial. The County bought McDonald Farm in 2021 irresponsible growth to continue unabated. Citizens (including new ones moving to this County) are, and will continue to be, stuck with gridlock traffic, overcrowded schools, increased flooding by building in floodplains and a failure by the County to upgrade ever-increasingly inadequate infrastructure like sewer systems, electricity grid, drainage. In addition, fire and safety resources have not kept pace with development. Clearly, if there was any viable possibility at all of developing McDonald Farm, this County would have done so. The sinkholes, other property issues, and exorbitant cost to develop McDonald Farm are what have protected it and will continue to do so. Attempting to characterize the deed swap as a way to save more acres of land for County conservation is a contrived deceptive narrative to justify a deed restriction swap with ESNP when none is needed. Any reasonable person recognizes this deed restriction swap results in LOSING 535 acres of park land. Leave Enterprise South Nature Park alone!!!</p>	
2025-11-07T21:35:36.893Z	Kelly			Yes	<p>I am absolutely, 100% opposed to even a single blade of grass in Enterprise South Nature Park being rezoned to industrial. The County bought McDonald Farm in 2021 for \$16 million with the sole intent of industrializing it. Hamilton County has an insatiable appetite for development, at the expense of County residents, and is allowing irresponsible growth to continue unabated. Citizens (including new ones moving to this County) are, and will increasingly be, stuck with gridlock traffic, overcrowded schools, increased flooding by building in floodplains and failing to upgrade ever-increasingly inadequate infrastructure like sewer systems, electricity grid, drainage, and by failing to provide inadequate fire and safety resources. If there was any viable possibility at all of developing McDonald park, this County would have done so. The sinkholes, other property issues, and exorbitant cost to develop McDonald Farm are what have protected it and will continue to do so. Attempting to characterize the deed swap as a way to save more acres of land for conservation is a contrived deceptive narrative to justify a deed restriction swap with ESNP when none is needed. Any reasonable person recognized this deed restriction swap results in LOSING 535 acres of park land. Leave Enterprise South Nature Park alone!!!</p>	
2025-11-07T20:41:34.932Z	Justin			Yes	<p>The protections on ESNP are permanent. Any politician that would change that without a ballot measure is unfit to serve. If it's going to be changed, it should be voted on by stakeholders, not representatives; put it on a ballot. Otherwise, the politicians will be the ones removed by ballot asap. Swapping land rights like this only seems wise in spreadsheets and games where the personal consequences bore by voters are dismissed. Housing prices are still insane and our kids won't be able to afford anything. More business space isn't the need. I'd prefer a tax increase over sprawl. Shore up old parts of towns that need maintenance, that got left behind because politicians found it easier to court new development than galvanize communities. Growing your community can mean urban sprawl can investing in your community, and they are not the same thing. County planning and county maintenance must be balanced. An economy not aiming for that balance will reinforce yesterday's slums and create tomorrow's. The land doesn't move, so plan a long game accordingly. This feels like, "build build build, I didn't care if it's sustainable or how impacts current residents, it works in Excel, keep it quiet so no one interferes." It feels snakey, as if they knew it was their only chance. Put it on a ballot.</p>	
2025-11-07T20:10:21.198Z	Sherry			Yes	<p>I am in agreement with industrial growth, but not at the expense of existing green space at Enterprise South. Would love to preserve and add green space at McDonald Farm. We need the green/recreation spaces, and in fact I was rather looking forward to seeing a move toward neighborhood green spaces which was discussed in the recent past. The entrance into Volkswagen on Volkswagen Drive is a beautiful green experience and I hope we keep such eye candy.</p>	
2025-11-07T19:00:29.426Z	Kelley			Yes	<p>McDonald farms.</p> <p>Over all, This doesn't seem like a terrible idea. I like the idea of protecting both areas, though I don't know why enterprise needs to be part of the discussion of preserving My biggest concern is that enterprise was already protected, so I don't get why it's part of a discussion to industrialize. If that does move forward, why would the voters have any trust in anything the county does? What's to say yall would back track even more and allow building in other protected areas?</p>	
2025-11-07T18:48:03.952Z	Ruby			Yes	<p>Farms as a park area anytime they so choose without bothering Enterprise Park. When Enterprise was set aside as a park area, the powers that be made a promise to the</p> <p>Please be advised that I am adamantly opposed to this proposed land swap between McDonald Farms and Enterprise Park. The county could designate McDonald federal government as to the usage of the area. Now, the county wants to go back on that promise and industrialize the park. Can you not see that this is all about tda</p> <p>dollars? This is absolutely absurd. The very idea that the county would grant this area to be zoned for industry when it adjoins many residential properties is completely out of the question. I wonder how any of the county commissioners or the mayor would feel about having this happen their homes? The destruction of the wildlife habitat is another reason why this should never occur. Please withdraw this idea. Enterprise should remain a park for the citizenry to use NOT become a parking lot or another Amazon warehouse.</p>	
2025-11-07T18:48:03.952Z 2025-11-07T18:48:10.710Z	Dawn Floyd			Yes	<p>The north part of the county is lacking industry. Use the McDonald farm for what it was purchased for. Sure you can keep a part for recreation and events such as the</p> <p>Please, please, please do not add any more industry in the Ooltewah/Enterprise Park area. It is already overcrowded and thousands of new homes already approved. fair. Spread the growth and traffic evenly across our county. McDonald farm has great access and should be used for what it was bought for. Honor the deed restrictions! Stop doing the bait and switch on land.</p>	
					<p>Please do not take away any green space from Enterprise South.</p>	
2025-11-07T18:45:12.530Z	Dorothy			Yes	<p>Please do NOT take any green space from Enterprise Park nor from McDonald Farm. Hamilton County green space is disappearing. When our Hamilton County growth plan was first written, it was okay. When amended it took away green space and did not protect any areas from irresponsible growth .</p>	
2025-11-07T18:39:40.114Z	Thomas			Yes	<p>nature-loving needs of this fast-growing part of the county. It complements the industrial VW plant area nicely. Let's not spoil it with housing or other types of</p> <p>I've never been to McDonald Farm, but have used and enjoyed Enterprise South Nature Park several times. I would like to see it continue to serve the recreational and development.</p>	
2025-11-07T18:38:57.262Z	Jenna			Yes	<p>resource that should be preserved in its current state for future generations. I am an ecotherapist here in Chattanooga, and I meet vulnerable people who are struggling</p> <p>I am writing to express my strong opposition to the proposed rezoning of Enterprise South Nature Park. This park is a vital ecological, recreational, and community with various challenges in their life at Enterprise to guide them in their healing journey. This park not only is a sanctuary for the abundant wildlife that calls the park</p> <p>home, but also a sanctuary for people who are navigating some of the hardest seasons of their lives. To rezone and industrialize this land, the priority of financial gain over the protection of this one wild Earth we call home is evident. How can Chattanooga consider itself the country's first national park city and something like this rezoning even be considered?</p> <p>Rezoning this area for development would:</p> <p>threaten local wildlife habitats</p> <p>reduce community access to natural spaces</p> <p>increase traffic congestion in an already congested area</p> <p>reduce property values</p> <p>undermine community trust in our planning processes and environmental commitments</p> <p>jeopardize our city's designation as a National Park City</p> <p>I urge you to reject this proposal to rezone Enterprise South Nature Park for industrial use.</p> <p>Sincerely,</p>	
2025-11-07T18:05:07.990Z	Emilee			Yes	<p>"national park city" that our government would do more to protect these spaces that are so cherished and make Chattanooga the beautiful place that it is.</p> <p>Please do not</p>	

					I absolutely oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land. This is not what the people want, you'd think being the pass this into action. It would be a huge loss for our city.	
2025-11-07T18:02:10.472Z	Lindsey			Yes	<p>Please do not take away any of the Enterprise South land. This park sees so many visitors because it's in a highly populated area. I have no doubt that McDonald farm is worth preserving for other reasons as well. I fear that not only with the noise in light and other pollution impact the park, but will also overburden they already crowded interstate in that area. Finally, my fear is also with so many of the data farms popping up that something like that might go in, which is very disruptive to life around the area. There are so many underutilized spaces around the city that it seems like it would be more helpful to take a lighted property then to take a beautiful nature preserve. Just for kicks, you should go onto iNaturalist.com and look at all the wildlife flora and fauna observations in the park. Please do not hesitate to reach out to me directly for any further feedback.</p> <p>I believe this step is so critical before launching an initiative that significantly affects our public lands in the population who live work and play around them.</p>	
2025-11-07T17:49:17.885Z	Joe			Yes	<p>wild to preserve the quiet and nature feel of ESNP. I could care less about McDonald farm as it is far away from everything. This does not and should not be a "swap". I am strongly against this proposal. We should not use any land around ESNP for development, especially if it includes Atlas trail. Adjacent land is important to keep. Just eat the losses on the McDonald business deal and move on.</p>	
2025-11-07T15:50:16.453Z	A.B.			Yes	<p>As a Hamilton County resident and trail user, and I love living here because of the abundant availability of outdoor activities, I want to thank the County for protecting green spaces and expanding outdoor recreation opportunities in our community. Access to nature and trails is one of the things that makes Chattanooga such a special place to live.</p> <p>I'm writing to request thoughtful, transparent planning around the proposed land-use exchange between Enterprise South Nature Park (ESNP) and McDonald Farm. As this process moves forward, I urge the County to:</p> <p>Preserve public access to the existing trail network and natural areas at Enterprise South. Ensure that if any trails are lost or impacted, they are rebuilt elsewhere in the park so that residents don't lose access to recreation opportunities. Engage trail users, conservation groups, and local partners early in the planning process to help identify solutions that protect both the ecological and recreational value of these spaces.</p> <p>Commit to sustainable, multi-use trail development at McDonald Farm, so it complements—not replaces—the access ESNP currently provides. By prioritizing these steps, Hamilton County can maintain its reputation as a leader in outdoor recreation and ensure both parks continue to serve future generations.</p> <p>Thank you for your commitment to balancing conservation, access, and community input.</p>	
2025-11-07T14:01:24.695Z	Casey			Yes	<p>It's pretty easy to see this area is losing greenspace constantly. How can you possibly think using Enterprise is a better idea than McDonald? We can never get the green space near us back, your kind has already ruined the majority.</p>	
2025-11-07T13:42:51.923Z	Hayes			Yes	<p>preserve ALL of Enterprise South Nature Park as a natural area suitable for recreation. I'm also strongly in favor of preserving the property at McDonald farm in</p> <p>As a Hamilton County resident, parent to two young boys, regular user of ESNP, and a sitting Red Bank City Commissioner, it's my strong opinion that it's essential to perpetuity. I'm NOT in favor of taking land away from ESNP to do so though. Both areas need to be preserved.</p> <p>In Red Bank we're actively trying to expand access to recreational opportunities to our residents for a variety of reasons, but primary being that expanded and preserved access to these natural spaces is overwhelmingly desired by our communities. Despite ESNP and McDonald being outside of Red Bank, I can confidently say that the same holds true. Natural spaces like ESNP should be seen as an asset for the community in their current form. Taking parkland and using it for development is a one way street. You can't turn around and go back.</p>	
2025-11-07T04:08:31.943Z	Eric			Yes	<p>continue to force out the natural flora and fauna and expect our ecosystem to remain unchanged. The people of Hamilton county want to live in harmony with our</p> <p>No. Hamilton county needs untouched green space in the heart of the county, near Chattanooga to preserve it's nature loving brand. Not just for recreation - we can't be beautiful natural locations. If you need to develop property to increase tax revenue or something then do it on the farm land at McDonald farm that we've already</p> <p>changed from its natural state. You guys tend to just give these companies and industries giant tax break incentives to come here anyway. And we definitely don't need more luxury apartment complexes if that was the plan. Leave Enterprise South alone, as was intended.</p>	
2025-11-07T01:55:54.979Z	Catherine			Yes	<p>I am against any deed swap or change in land use agreement affecting Enterprise South Hamilton County public park land. It's beautiful and accessible to so many. Please leave. I thought Chattanooga is the first public park city in the country. Why are we selling land for industrial use in Hamilton County that is already established and successful for outdoor recreation and wildlife? Please rethink. Please leave as is. Thank you ♡♦♦♦</p>	
2025-11-07T01:21:23.217Z	Nicholas			Yes	<p>Leave the land alone and continue to preserve more than 1,300 acres at McDonald Farm for conservation and recreation, while maintaining all existing recreation at Enterprise South Nature Park. Quit trying to grow Chattanooga. We don't need it.</p>	
2025-11-07T00:59:13.655Z	Patrick			Yes	<p>As a Hamilton County resident and trail user, I want to thank you for your continued efforts to protect green spaces and expand outdoor recreation opportunities in our</p> <p>community. Access to nature and trails is one of the things that makes Chattanooga such a special place to live.</p> <p>As a frequent user of the tremendous outdoor recreation available at Enterprise South Nature Park I feel the need to voice my concerns about possibly taking away part of that amazing area. This is truly one of the best outdoor areas in the greater Chattanooga area and I would like to help protect this area for residents, visitors and future residents.</p> <p>I'm writing to share my support for thoughtful, transparent planning around the proposed land-use exchange between Enterprise South Nature Park (ESNP) and McDonald Farm. I appreciate the County's commitment to exploring new ways to enhance recreation and conservation while also being a good steward of public land. As this process moves forward, I urge the County to:</p> <p>Preserve public access to the existing trail network and natural areas at Enterprise South. Ensure that if any trails are lost or impacted, they are rebuilt elsewhere in the park so that residents don't lose access to recreation opportunities. Engage trail users, conservation groups, and local partners early in the planning process to help identify solutions that protect both the ecological and recreational value of these spaces.</p> <p>Commit to sustainable, multi-use trail development at McDonald Farm, so it complements—not replaces—the access ESNP currently provides. By prioritizing these steps, Hamilton County can maintain its reputation as a leader in outdoor recreation and ensure both parks continue to serve future generations. Thank you for your leadership and your commitment to balancing conservation, access, and community input.</p> <p>Sincerely, Patrick Wortman</p>	
2025-11-07T00:49:26Z 2025-11-06T23:52:05.087Z	Edwin			Yes	<p>preserving and conserving nature or even maintaining adequate roads and schools to support the development. Naturally tax revenues seem to take the priority</p> <p>Our county needs to conserve nature spaces. Too much is already being taken over by expanding commercial and residential development without due regard for everywhere, but this is not right. I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.</p>	

					We need both nature spaces, not one or the other. People use these spaces and can't afford to lose either one. Once gone, there is no recovery.	
2025-11-06T23:51:53.261Z	*** Mary Susan		Yes		I oppose the deed swap. We already get a lot of noise from Miller Industry. Sounds from the interstate.	
					I oppose the destruction of Enterprise South. There are better solutions!	
2025-11-06T23:49:30.516Z	Sandra		Yes		Enterprise south is so valued by our family and community, we have walked and cycled in it for 15 years now. We cannot believe what you are proposing. Week after week we see yet another housing development replace a field or farm in our neighborhoods here in Ooltewah. Driving down Hunter Road I am almost forced into a ditch by yet another construction dump truck, the roads are simply too narrow and increasingly deteriorating. The change that is happening in our neighborhood, and it's not isolated, it's throughout Hamilton County, is so discouraging to so many of us. I am seeing houses go on the market, people selling homes that have been in their family for generations. So many are saying I don't want to live here anymore. We have lived here 15 yrs and in the next 18 months plan on moving away. The unchecked development is absolutely ruining the quality of life here, my young adult son drives to college and work and I worry every time he drives down Hunter Road. Your plans for a land swap with Enterprise is just another signal that you don't care about us. Enterprise backs up on to our subdivision, increase in noise levels and pollution are just a couple of concerns. You are destroying natural, preserved habitat for so many creatures. Generating revenue and developer making money appear to be the primary motivation for what is driving all the development in our communities. Quality of life for current residents and preservation of nature doesn't seem to be a consideration. Words cannot convey how thoroughly disappointed we are in our representatives, you surely are not representing so many of your constituents. Christian values aren't just standing up against a woke agenda. We are called to be good stewards of the world God gave us. Many of us voted for you all based on your aligning with the same values as our own, but I don't see that to be the case here. Hidden deals and not consulting with the community you represent until you are forced to be exposed by local press means you are not trustworthy. Please don't touch Enterprise south. And please make our roads safer, it's a matter of urgency.	
2025-11-06T22:20:14.484Z	Randy		Yes		The land & trails at Enterprise South are so valuable to our community and cannot easily be replicated or replaced by a simple land swap. Please do not proceed with plans that will sacrifice these valuable resources.	
2025-11-06T21:01:08Z 2025-11-06T20:34:29.084Z	*** Test		*** Yes		green spaces. There are many species of birds, plants and animals here that need to be protected. We also need to save McDonald's farm. That was the intention when I live right on the state line. I walk at Enterprise significantly. Please do not develop this beautiful treasure. We have enough development elsewhere, and not enough it was bought. We don't need more industry, more traffic and more business areas!!!!	
					blah	
2025-11-06T20:33:24.055Z	Caitlin		Yes		I learned to mountain bike at ESPN and I hope to teach my daughters to bike there too. Please do not destroy trails at our favorite park.	
2025-11-06T20:31:12.279Z	Grant		Yes		I moved to Hamilton County 10 years because I love the recreation that the region offers. I learned to mountain bike at ESPN and it would be a huge loss to the current Dear Mayor Wamp, and future residents if trail access was cut down. As a community, we should be looking to increase, not remove access to existing resources, because it's what make this place so great to live for younger folk that visit and potentially put down roots I get that the economic growth sounds appealing, but the land swap and trail destruction paints an awful picture and stains one of the best mountain biking resources we have close to town. Sincerely, Grant Cooksey	
2025-11-06T20:07:44.467Z	Nathan		Yes		I'm writing in opposition to the land exchange that would reduce the size of Enterprise Nature Park. As a resident of Hamilton County I feel we should be expanding our protected green spaces, not shrinking them. I utilize the park and will be very disappointed in any county official voting to make this change.	
2025-11-06T19:08:37.360Z	Gunther		Yes		As a Hamilton County resident and trail user, I want to thank you for your continued efforts to protect green spaces and expand outdoor recreation opportunities in our community. Access to nature and trails is one of the things that makes Chattanooga such a special place to live. I'm writing to share my support for thoughtful, transparent planning around the proposed land-use exchange between Enterprise South Nature Park (ESNP) and McDonald Farm. I appreciate the County's commitment to exploring new ways to enhance recreation and conservation while also being a good steward of public land. As this process moves forward, I urge the County to: 1. Preserve public access to the existing trail network and natural areas at Enterprise South. 2. Ensure that if any trails are lost or impacted, they are rebuilt elsewhere in the park so that residents don't lose access to recreation opportunities. 3. Engage trail users, conservation groups, and local partners early in the planning process to help identify solutions that protect both the ecological and recreational value of these spaces. 4. Commit to sustainable, multi-use trail development at McDonald Farm, so it complements—not replaces—the access ESNP currently provides. By prioritizing these steps, Hamilton County can maintain its reputation as a leader in outdoor recreation and ensure both parks continue to serve future generations. Thank you for your leadership and your commitment to balancing conservation, access, and community input. Sincerely, Gunther Griffin	
2025-11-06T18:51:43.611Z	Catherine				I appreciate the County's commitment to exploring new ways to enhance recreation and conservation while also being a good steward of public land. As this process moves forward, I urge the County to: - Preserve the existing trail network and natural areas at Enterprise South and its public access. - Ensure that if any trails are lost or impacted, they are rebuilt elsewhere in the park so that residents don't lose access to recreation opportunities. - Engage trail users, conservation groups, and local partners early in the planning process to help identify solutions that protect both the ecological and recreational value of these spaces. - Preserve the land at McDonald farm and create new trail systems in it while not impacting the current public spaces and trail systems at Enterprise south. -Commit to sustainable, multi-use trail development at McDonald Farm, so it complements—not replaces—the access ESNP currently provides	
2025-11-06T17:56:11.303Z	Nicole		Yes		I feel very strongly that both properties could and should be preserved and used for conservation and recreation. Making these types of swaps lowers my confidence in wanting to create economic opportunities in the county, but I personally feel the benefits of having more green space for the citizens of this county to enjoy is just as any preservation initiative. It seems it's only preservation as long as it's convenient, but once an opportunity arises, that commitment is null and void. I appreciated valuable. As a conservative, I am always hesitant to make moves that are difficult to go back on and don't have a clear and obvious benefit. This proposition doesn't meet those criteria for me.	
2025-11-06T16:27.060Z 2025-11-06T16:49:21.041Z	*** David		*** Yes		We do not want industrial development in this existing nature park, near residential communities. We do not want impact on our trail systems or wildlife habitats. You should be capitalizing on Amnicola Highway or other large empty industrial parks already in existence. McDonald farm and enterprise south both should be preserved. There has to be a better way.	

				I oppose lifting restrictions on any Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-11-06T16:41:19.873Z	Stewart		Yes	<p>I oppose this proposed deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land! Please continue to preserve both Enterprise South Nature Park and McDonald Farm. Industrial development SHOULD NOT TAKE AWAY A SINGLE INCH OF OUR BELOVED MTN BIKE TRAILS! Do that somewhere else and at the developer's expense - NOT at the trail-using public's expense.</p> <p>There's. No. Good. Reason.</p>	
2025-11-06T16:24:52.248Z	Bradford		Yes	I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land. Please continue to preserve both Enterprise South Nature Park and McDonald Farm.	
2025-11-06T16:23:55.100Z	Stephen			<p>I am writing to respectfully express my strong opposition to the proposed deed land swap involving Enterprise South Nature Park and McDonald Farm. Both properties are incredibly valuable to our community and should be preserved in their entirety for current and future generations. As a frequent visitor to Enterprise South Nature Park, I can personally attest to the tremendous benefit it provides. I regularly use the bike trails and enjoy the peace, beauty, and recreation the park offers. These trails are a cherished resource for many residents, and their loss or alteration would deeply impact our community's quality of life, environmental health, and recreational opportunities. Likewise, McDonald Farm holds significant ecological and cultural value that deserves full protection. Once these lands are developed or altered, their natural and historic character can never truly be replaced. I urge you to prioritize the preservation of both Enterprise Park and McDonald Farm in their current natural states. Please do not move forward with the land swap. Our community has made it clear that we value these spaces for conservation, recreation, and the well-being they bring to Hamilton County. Thank you for your service and for listening to the concerns of the residents you represent.</p>	
2025-11-06T15:37:59.886Z	Shannon		Yes	I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land. Please continue to preserve both Enterprise South Nature Park and McDonald Farm.	
2025-11-06T15:19.08.175Z	*** Michelle		*** Yes	<p>As a Hamilton County resident and trail user, I want to thank you for your continued efforts to protect green spaces and expand outdoor recreation opportunities in our community. Access to nature and trails is one of the things that makes Chattanooga such a special place to live. I'm writing to share my support for thoughtful, transparent planning around the proposed land-use exchange between Enterprise South Nature Park (ESNP) and McDonald Farm. I appreciate the County's commitment to exploring new ways to enhance recreation and conservation while also being a good steward of public land. As this process moves forward, I urge the County to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Preserve public access to the existing trail network and natural areas at Enterprise South.</li> <li>Ensure that if any trails are lost or impacted, they are rebuilt elsewhere in the park so that residents don't lose access to recreation opportunities.</li> <li>Engage trail users, conservation groups, and local partners early in the planning process to help identify solutions that protect both the ecological and recreational value of these spaces.</li> <li>Commit to sustainable, multi-use trail development at McDonald Farm, so it complements—not replaces—the access ESNP currently provides. By prioritizing these steps, Hamilton County can maintain its reputation as a leader in outdoor recreation and ensure both parks continue to serve future generations. Thank you for your leadership and your commitment to balancing conservation, access, and community input.</li> </ul>	
				I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-11-06T15:18:49.700Z	Chris		Yes	<p>impact on our existing recreation assets.</p> <p>I understand the proposed land-use exchange involving ESNP and McDonald Farm seeks to balance industry and conservation, but I have serious concerns about the The existing trail network at ESNP, especially the trails for mountain biking, like the Atlas, is a premier resource, not an "underutilized" area. Losing miles of established, high-quality trail is a direct and severe reduction in the quality of life and outdoor recreation this park offers. As you move forward with the planning, I urge you to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Preserve the existing trail network at ESNP. This premier asset should not be destroyed.</li> <li>- If any trail loss is unavoidable, commit now to a 2 to 1 replacement plan that rebuilds a greater amount of high-quality, bike-legal singletrack within ESNP to fully offset the loss.</li> <li>- Ensure meaningful early engagement with active trail users and groups like SORBA Chattanooga to protect the recreational value of ESNP and guide future development at McDonald Farm.</li> </ul> <p>While I support the permanent preservation of McDonald Farm, it must COMPLEMENT, not replace, the highly accessible and established trail experience ESNP provides. Please protect our existing trails and ensure Hamilton County maintains its reputation as a leader in outdoor recreation. Thank you for considering the residents who rely on these parks on a daily basis.</p>	
2025-11-06T15:09:53.490Z	Nicole		Yes	<p>I appreciate the County's commitment to exploring new ways to enhance recreation and conservation while also being a good steward of public land. As this process moves forward, I urge the County to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Preserve the existing trail network and natural areas at Enterprise South and its public access.</li> <li>- Ensure that if any trails are lost or impacted, they are rebuilt elsewhere in the park so that residents don't lose access to recreation opportunities.</li> <li>- Engage trail users, conservation groups, and local partners early in the planning process to help identify solutions that protect both the ecological and recreational value of these spaces.</li> <li>- Preserve the land at McDonald farm and create new trail systems in it while not impacting the current public spaces and trail systems at Enterprise south. -Commit to sustainable, multi-use trail development at McDonald Farm, so it complements—not replaces—the access ESNP currently provides</li> </ul>	
2025-11-06T15:01:50.291Z	Jeffery		Yes	attanooga Tennessee a Hamilton County can and should protect both parks preserving ESNP and ensuring McDonald Farm is developed for conservation	
2025-11-06T15:01:22.354Z	Denek		Yes	Please reconsider transfer of deed restrictions regarding the Enterprise South Nature Park. This transfer would directly impact trails that are currently utilized by our family for mountain biking and hiking year round. I believe that there would be other suitable locations to develop for commercial use.	
2025-11-06T14:02:51.374Z	Tyler		Yes	I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land. Please continue to preserve both Enterprise South Nature Park and McDonald Farm.	
2025-11-06T13:51:28.486Z	Shannon		Yes	<p>showed a portion of the Atlas mountain bike trails in the area slated for future industrial development. Please ensure that any transfer protects all existing trails from</p> <p>The description on this page says that the transfer will maintain "all existing recreation at Enterprise Nature Park" but the map that accompanied the announcement future development. Thank you!</p>	

2025-11-08T13:48:39.460Z	Kelley			Yes	<p>As a Hamilton County resident and trail user, I want to thank you for your continued efforts to protect green spaces and expand outdoor recreation opportunities in our community. Access to nature and trails is one of the things that makes Chattanooga such a special place to live. I'm writing to share my support for thoughtful, transparent planning around the proposed land-use exchange between Enterprise South Nature Park (ESNP) and McDonald Farm. I appreciate the County's commitment to exploring new ways to enhance recreation and conservation while also being a good steward of public land. As this process moves forward, I urge the County to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Preserve public access to the existing trail network and natural areas at Enterprise South.</li> <li>2. Ensure that if any trails are lost or impacted, they are rebuilt elsewhere in the park so that residents don't lose access to recreation opportunities.</li> <li>3. Engage trail users, conservation groups, and local partners early in the planning process to help identify solutions that protect both the ecological and recreational value of these spaces.</li> <li>4. Commit to sustainable, multi-use trail development at McDonald Farm, so it complements—not replaces—the access ESNP currently provides. By prioritizing these steps, Hamilton County can maintain its reputation as a leader in outdoor recreation and ensure both parks continue to serve future generations.</li> </ol> <p>Thank you for your leadership and your commitment to balancing conservation, access, and community input.</p>	
2025-11-08T13:29:18.987Z	David				<p>These two properties are being unnecessarily linked. This action is stated as necessary only because Hamilton County purchased McDonald Farm under the auspices of additional manufacturing. The estimated cost of site preparation and poor location made this site unpreferable for development of manufacturing. This should have been determined before the land was purchased. The purchase is a sunk cost. This issue has no direct connection to Enterprise South. Given the amount of existing industry in and around Enterprise South, I don't see the need to remove existing protection on the forested land of the nature park. This part of the county is experiencing rapid residential development. The protected land is important, even if recreation doesn't occur there. Related to manufacturing, VW has reduced production runs at their plant, which is also served by other manufacturers nearby. When the PILOT ends, VW will likely threaten to leave without another sweetheart deal. It's possible the plant shut down for any number of reasons. With advancements in automation, fewer workers are needed for manufacturing processes. This reduces benefits to the broader community, even as we are sold the need for manufacturing jobs. With all these unknown variables, and no company specifically requesting this action, I don't see a legitimate need to remove federal protection from the land at ESNP.</p>	
2025-11-08T13:24:31.062Z	J. D.			Yes	<p>As a Hamilton County resident and trail user, I want to thank the County for protecting green spaces and expanding outdoor recreation opportunities in our community. Access to nature and trails is one of the things that makes Chattanooga such a special place to live. I'm writing to request thoughtful, transparent planning around the proposed land-use exchange between Enterprise South Nature Park (ESNP) and McDonald Farm. As this process moves forward, I urge the County to:</p> <p>Preserve public access to the existing trail network and natural areas at Enterprise South.</p> <p>Ensure that if any trails are lost or impacted, they are rebuilt elsewhere in the park so that residents don't lose access to recreation opportunities.</p> <p>Engage trail users, conservation groups, and local partners early in the planning process to help identify solutions that protect both the ecological and recreational value of these spaces.</p> <p>Commit to sustainable, multi-use trail development at McDonald Farm, so it complements—not replaces—the access ESNP currently provides. By prioritizing these steps, Hamilton County can maintain its reputation as a leader in outdoor recreation and ensure both parks continue to serve future generations. Thank you for your commitment to balancing conservation, access, and community input.</p> <p>JD Moore</p>	
2025-11-08T13:19:37.581Z	Emily			Yes	<p>I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land. Please continue to preserve both Enterprise South Nature Park and McDonald Farm.</p>	
2025-11-08T13:11:03.304Z	Beth			Yes	<p>I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land. Please continue to preserve both Enterprise South Nature Park and McDonald Farm.</p> <p>Keep your eyes on VW and the high chance they are going to leave Chattanooga in the next 5-10 years.</p>	
2025-11-08T12:36:08.193Z	Steven			Yes	<p>I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land. Please continue to preserve both Enterprise South Nature Park and McDonald Farm.</p>	
2025-11-08T12:26:32.473Z	Maureen			Yes	<p>"I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land. Please continue to preserve both Enterprise South Nature Park and</p> <p>clear and to the point!</p> <p>McDonald Farm."</p>	
2025-11-08T12:25:37.310Z	Mike			Yes	<p>"I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land. Please continue to preserve both Enterprise South Nature Park and</p> <p>Clear and to the point!</p> <p>McDonald Farm."</p>	
2025-11-08T12:21:38.042Z	Caitlin			Yes	<p>I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land. Please continue to preserve both Enterprise South Nature Park and McDonald Farm.</p>	
2025-11-08T10:10:04.040Z 2025-11-08T10:31:07.378Z	**** Tyler			Yes Yes	<p>I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land. Please continue to preserve both Enterprise South Nature Park and McDonald Farm.</p>	
2025-11-08T08:46:025Z	Sarah			Yes	<p>Request more transparency and specifics regarding Enterprise South plan.</p>	
					<p>Please preserve the landscapes for nature conservation and public recreation. This is an investment that will pay off for generations to come.</p>	
2025-11-08T08:46:03.042Z	**** Tammy			Yes Yes	<p>I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land. Please continue to preserve both Enterprise South Nature Park and McDonald Farm.</p>	
					<p>Please do not destroy the beautiful park by adding more gas stations and fast food to this exit!</p>	
2025-11-08T05:32:41.241Z	Robert			Yes	<p>Do not damage any of the trails in ESNP including Atlas Trail. I use it weekly after work. Protect the air around there also. Develop McDonald farm all you want. We have plenty of places to use that are FAR better than a farm that are much closer than a 45 min drive away from metro Chattanooga.</p>	
2025-11-08T04:46:17.953Z	Carrie			Yes	<p>I'm very confused why it has to be a swap. We are a "National Park City". Let's have both be parks. I will pay more taxes to save all of Enterprise South.</p>	
2025-11-08T04:46:17.480Z	**** Austin			Yes Yes	<p>Our public parks need to be protected at all costs and should be untouchable for any kind of swapping deals for economic development. Public access to nature is part of Chattanooga's DNA.</p>	

				I strongly oppose this deed swap and lifting protections of any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park.	
2025-11-08T03:15:51.893Z	Joseph		Yes	<p>Swapping accessible, and local park space for acreage on the edge of the county is a bad deal for the vast majority of county residents and a horrible deal for just about limits already. Any developer that "needs" this additional space can find it in the myriad of shuttered businesses, parking lots, and abandoned lots between downtown all city residents. Conservation is important and I would love for both natural spaces to be saved, but there is plenty undeveloped or underutilized space in the city and ENSP. Giving up parts of ENSP just doesn't make sense.</p>	
2025-11-08T02:51:56.195Z	Calem_Jessica		Yes	<p>I'm against the land swap. We need to stop destroying what makes this city special—its outdoor amenities. People come here for the natural beauty, not for car manufacturing plants that nobody cares about. Let's preserve our outdoor resources instead of tearing them down. - Cullom Boyd, Republican voter</p>	
				I oppose lifting restrictions on any Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-11-08T02:49:41.471Z	Sean		Yes	<p>Dear Hamilton County and State of Tennessee governments, As a Hamilton County resident and trail user, I want to thank you for your continued efforts to protect green spaces and expand outdoor recreation opportunities in our community. Access to nature and trails is one of the things that makes Chattanooga such a special place to live. I'm writing to share my support for thoughtful, transparent planning around the proposed land-use exchange between Enterprise South Nature Park (ENSP) and McDonald Farm. I appreciate the County's commitment to exploring new ways to enhance recreation and conservation while also being a good steward of public land. As this process moves forward, I urge the County to: Preserve public access to the existing trail network and natural areas at Enterprise South. Ensure that if any trails are lost or impacted, they are rebuilt elsewhere in the park so that residents don't lose access to recreation opportunities. Engage trail users, conservation groups, and local partners early in the planning process to help identify solutions that protect both the ecological and recreational value of these spaces. Commit to sustainable, multi-use trail development at McDonald Farm, so it complements—not replaces—the access ENSP currently provides. By prioritizing these steps, Hamilton County can maintain its reputation as a leader in outdoor recreation and ensure both parks continue to serve future generations. Thank you for your leadership and your commitment to balancing conservation, access, and community input. Sincerely, Sean Robinson 8804 Pebble Creek Rd Chattanooga, TN 37421 Frequent ENSP patron and SORBA Chattanooga Member</p>	
2025-11-08T02:44:45.982Z	Dylan		Yes	<p>Subject: Protecting Trails &amp; Public Access in the Enterprise South &amp; McDonald Farm Land-Use Exchange Dear anyone making these crazy decisions As a Hamilton County resident and trail user, I want to thank you for your continued efforts to protect green spaces and expand outdoor recreation opportunities in our community. Access to nature and trails is one of the things that makes Chattanooga such a special place to live. I'm writing to share my support for thoughtful, transparent planning around the proposed land-use exchange between Enterprise South Nature Park (ENSP) and McDonald Farm. I appreciate the County's commitment to exploring new ways to enhance recreation and conservation while also being a good steward of public land. As this process moves forward, I urge the County to: Preserve public access to the existing trail network and natural areas at Enterprise South. Ensure that if any trails are lost or impacted, they are rebuilt elsewhere in the park so that residents don't lose access to recreation opportunities. Engage trail users, conservation groups, and local partners early in the planning process to help identify solutions that protect both the ecological and recreational value of these spaces. Commit to sustainable, multi-use trail development at McDonald Farm, so it complements—not replaces—the access ENSP currently provides. By prioritizing these steps, Hamilton County can maintain its reputation as a leader in outdoor recreation and ensure both parks continue to serve future generations. Thank you for your leadership and your commitment to balancing conservation, access, and community input. Sincerely, Dylan</p>	
2025-11-08T02:43:18.679Z	Calem		Yes	<p>The proposal and description above is deceiving . The area proposed for development includes atlas mountain bike trail , which is the most beloved trail in the park for coltewah , collegedale and Chattanooga residents . Sacrificing such a great part of enterprise would be tragic . The McDonald farm idea is ok in theory but would not many of us . It would be a shame for a "national park city" to sacrifice a great recreational area that provides so much joy , stress relief , and healthy exercise for benefit coltewah and collegedale residents as it is too far to provide the same opportunity for use as enterprise. Please stop this tragic proposal and preserve our trails and wildlife areas.</p>	
2025-11-08T02:35:58.560Z	Sam		Yes	<p>Quit acting like it's for industrial purposes and jobs. It's to build a road because Ooltewah is over grown and the existing infrastructure/roadways are terrible.</p>	
2025-11-08T02:33:56.133Z	Brandon		Yes	<p>However there have been conflicting statements and maps regarding what part of Enterprise is being affected. If the swap takes a significant part of the Atlas trail for If the proposal was truly as stated above, with all recreation at Enterprise being preserved, I would be in full support of adding more preserved land near McDonald Farm. example, that would be a problem, and it's not as simple or just "moving" it as the trails are purpose built for the geography. However if there is a counter proposal to add specific MTB trails at McDonald, that could certainly offset concerns about a potentially small part of the trails at Enterprise. However just realize the Enterprise MTB trails are some of the most popular and well maintained in the area so people feel very strongly about any potential loss of these trails. Thanks</p>	
2025-11-08T02:00:20.517Z	Sunshine		Yes	<p>As a Hamilton County resident and trail user, I want to thank you for your continued efforts to protect green spaces and expand outdoor recreation opportunities in our community. Access to nature and trails is one of the things that makes Chattanooga such a special place to live. I'm writing to share my support for thoughtful, transparent planning around the proposed land-use exchange between Enterprise South Nature Park (ENSP) and McDonald Farm. I appreciate the County's commitment to exploring new ways to enhance recreation and conservation while also being a good steward of public land. As this process moves forward, I urge the County to: 1. Preserve public access to the existing trail network and natural areas at Enterprise South. 2. Ensure that if any trails are lost or impacted, they are rebuilt elsewhere in the park so that residents don't lose access to recreation opportunities. 3. Engage trail users, conservation groups, and local partners early in the planning process to help identify solutions that protect both the ecological and recreational value of these spaces. 4. Commit to sustainable, multi-use trail development at McDonald Farm, so it complements—not replaces—the access ENSP currently provides. By prioritizing these steps, Hamilton County can maintain its reputation as a leader in outdoor recreation and ensure both parks continue to serve future generations. Thank you for your commitment to balancing conservation, access, and community input.</p>	
2025-11-08T01:23:58.390Z	Dawson		Yes	<p>I am opposed to the land/deed swap that has been proposed for enterprise nature park. Every one that I have talked to about this does not want it. You can see it in there face that they are disheartened by all the building, houses and industries that are ruining this area. Also the residents (which includes</p>	

					me) are getting a new housing complex going up on hunter rd that is going to be a traffic nightmare now. Quit destroying the reason the Chattanooga area is the first National Park City.	
2025-11-05T10:49:35.788Z	Connie			Yes	There is no need for an additional road there. The real backup with traffic happens because of narrow roads and over development without a way to access the interstate effectively in the northern part of Ooltewah. Mountain View/Ooltewah Georgetown has a traffic problem that grows worse and worse every time a new development is approved and zero thought is put into how to navigate that area effectively. It causes accidents and traffic jams routinely and won't stop until the problem is addressed. Efficient ways to 75 needs to be a priority, not adding more narrow side roads.	
2025-11-05T18:21:08.862Z	Decca			Yes	I oppose changing any restrictions	
2025-11-05T17:57:54.916Z	Brittne			Yes	I oppose the expansion that invades enterprise. There are so many benefits of this park for all ages. Please reconsider. Thank you.	
					I do not want to see public land turned into an industrial site. We need to protect our parks!	
2025-11-05T17:49:762Z	David A.			Yes	enthusiasts, and wildlife alike. My family regularly visits the park for hiking and mountain biking, and every visit reinforces how rare and valuable this natural refuge is. Please do not alter or commercialize any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park. This space is more than just a patch of green - it's a sanctuary for families, outdoor Transforming part of the park into commercial business space would be a profound loss. It would erode the peaceful experience that so many of us rely on for recreation, mental health, and connection with nature. Enterprise South is one of the few places in our region where you can truly disconnect from the noise and reconnect with what matters - clean air, quiet trails, and the beauty of Tennessee's landscape. The idea of replacing trees and trails with concrete and storefronts is heartbreaking. Once this land is developed, it's gone forever. Please consider the long-term consequences and the voices of the community who cherish this park. We urge you to preserve Enterprise South Nature Park in its entirety - for our families, for future generations, and for the integrity of our natural spaces.	
					I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-11-05T16:18:17.352Z	Robert			Yes	I oppose lifting restrictions on any Enterprise South Nature Park land. Learn from history. Chattanooga used to have nasty air quality. The other pollution and litter compared to other states is bad enough.	
2025-11-05T15:53:34.016Z	Brooke			Yes	the resulting erosion will harm local communities. Also, "preserving current recreation" is a lie if you are ruining the view shed and creating more noise pollution in the I oppose any further development of industry in the current land preserved for Enterprise Nature Park. It is important forest and wetland area that acts as a flood buffer area- it will no longer be a slice of peaceful nature to provide a refuge after a day of work and traffic.	
2025-11-05T15:41:14.981Z	Mark			Yes	I am in favor of the addition of trails to the McDonald Farm area, but I am whole heartily against tampering with the Atlas Mountain Bike Trail at Enterprise South Park.	
2025-11-05T13:59:24.032Z	Michael			Yes	I strongly oppose swapping any land at Enterprise South to industrial use. The protections should stay in place. Find somewhere else to develop.	
2025-11-05T13:48:32.377Z	Debbie			Yes	I oppose the land swap. I do not believe it would be in the best interest of my local community to lift the protections from this area. Enough green space has already been lost in Ooltewah.	
2025-11-05T12:12:56.894Z	C.D.			Yes	stealing a "PUBLIC" resource for the ultimate benefit of yet more ever greedy rich corporations will just encourage elected officials to give such corporations Preserve Enterprise South Nature Park! The county is growing too fast and Bonny Oaks Drive- a mere two lane for the most part- is traffic jammed already. Also, financial/tax "incentives" which are simply corporate welfare.	
2025-11-05T12:08:19.094Z	William			Yes	industrialization of the proposed 535 acres would remove one of the four mountain biking trails in the park. It is also adjacent to several residential areas (Hunter I strongly oppose to the proposed "land swap" that would rezone 535 acres of our beautiful Enterprise South Nature Park in Chattanooga for industrial use. The Village, Troubadour Way, Teaberry Dr, and Flagstone), impacting hundreds of households with light pollution, air pollution, and the ever-increasing traffic noise on Interstate 75. Please leave Enterprise South fully intact and undisturbed. Thank you.	
2025-11-05T05:08:22.286Z	Dustin			Yes	frequent ESNP and I regularly use the land in question for mountain biking, hiking, and geocaching. This proposal would also have a negative effect on Still Hollow trail I am strongly opposed to this proposal. This actual page describes the proposal as "maintaining all existing recreation at Enterprise South Nature Park" which is false. I and the road scenic drive which my family uses those both as well. We need to preserve all of ESNP for both its current usage by people and nature; and for future possibilities as the county population grows.... especially in the Ooltewah area. MacDonald is 3x the travel time for me as ESNP.	
2025-11-05T03:20:43.819Z	Andy			Yes	I oppose lifting any land restrictions on Enterprise South Nature Park. This place is a gem and unique and is a tremendous asset for our community. We should not erode our community image of being an outdoor mecca by diminishing it!	
					I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-11-05T02:47:52.962Z	Michel			Yes	I love spending time at Enterprise. It's an important place for community members to enjoy green space. It would be a huge loss for all for the community for future growth of this park to be restricted in any way. It would make me less committed to living in the area.	
2025-11-04T23:41:01.876Z	Cary			Yes	would be here for our children and our children's children, and beyond. North Hamilton County needs more development and while that might be difficult, that is the I expect the county to keep the land at Enterprise South Park whole a complete, and honor the agreement they made to not develop any of it. The spirit of that was that it right route to go.	
					I oppose the use of Enterprise South for any purpose beyond natural reserve or park use!	
2025-11-04T23:17:35.784Z	Julie			Yes	I oppose any reduction of the protections and restrictions around Enterprise South Nature Park. I oppose any deed swaps around the land. This is a highly utilized green space and it would be a tremendous loss to the community.	

2025-11-04T22:06:11.027Z 2025-11-04T22:19:42.599Z	— Lauren			— Yes	<p>Do NOT change, develop, nor disturb the Enterprise South Nature Park! You can preserve both McDonald Farm and ESNP! There are plenty of locations that are previous industrial sites around Chattanooga that can be cleaned and used again for industrial/commercial sites. There is no need to remove protections or change ESNP. Politicians are creating a false "either or" narrative. Hamilton County can and should preserve both locations.</p>	
2025-11-04T22:06:10.248Z	Caroline			Yes	I oppose this land swap.	
					Keep the land free of development. Set a good example.	
2025-11-04T20:33:48.419Z	Chris			Yes	<p>done to make it a serene place to be. Please take into consideration the wildlife that resides in the park as well. Industry keeps taking up their living space as well.</p> <p>PLEASE do not bring industry into Enterprise South! The park is a haven for so many outdoor enthusiasts in Chattanooga/Hamilton County. SO much work has been What about the 600 acres sitting empty on the other side? If VW chooses not to purchase that, please consider that land to bring in the industry.</p> <p>Thank you for your time.</p>	
2025-11-04T19:28:09.078Z	Stewart			Yes	<p>DO NOT ELIMINATE ONE INCH OF MTN BIKE TRAIL AT ENTERPRISE SOUTH! THE PEOPLE HELPED CREATE AND MAINTAIN A WONDERFUL AND WELL-LOVED TRAIL SYSTEM, IN A DESIGNATED NATURE PARK - AND YOU SHOULD LEAVE IT ALONE!</p> <p>Industrial development SHOULD NOT HAPPEN AT ESNP!!</p> <p>FULL STOP.</p> <p>TAKE IT SOMEWHERE ELSE!</p>	
2025-11-04T18:52:23.445Z	Haden			Yes	I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land. Protected land should remain protected in perpetuity.	
2025-11-04T18:25:13.296Z	Ashley			Yes	I oppose lifting restrictions on any Enterprise South Nature Park land. I am watching this closely and will use the outcome to inform my voting in the future.	
2025-11-04T18:04:51.772Z	— Jeremy			— Yes	<p>I strongly oppose this deed swap and use of ESNP for industrial growth / industry use!</p> <p>The ESNP is the park I frequent most in this city. I take my child there for bike rides, hikes and exploration of nature. We discover bugs, and worms and critters. It's wildly educational and relaxing. I can't even tell you how many times I have been there just to get solitude and escape the stresses of life. By removing even a portion of this park, you are telling the citizens of this county that having a place to escape the pressures of life is not as important as building industry and making money. You are telling the citizens that our quality of life does not matter, but how much money the city can make does matter. Also by taking away spaces that bring people peace and relaxation you will be creating a more stressed out citizen base and you will see crime increase.</p> <p>It seems you have forgotten that it is the citizens of this county that vote you in, or maybe you didn't forget and that's why you tried to make this deal under the table</p> <p>without public input until the public got mad. Either way, it's not a good way to run a city, nor is it a good political move if our representatives want to stay in office. Ooltewah has grown so much and so fast that we are losing much of our nature to industry and growth. Hamilton county has always been a beautiful place to live but it seems those governing this city have forgotten why the residents want to live here. We LOVE our parks!! You take away the parks, you take away our love for this city, and our support of the politicians that represent it.</p>	
2025-11-04T18:01:35.284Z	Josh			Yes	I oppose the deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-11-04T17:31:32.473Z	Nina			Yes	I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
					I OPPOSE the deed swap. We want to preserve this area, not destroy it.	
2025-11-04T16:29:16.312Z	— Courtney			— Yes	<p>neighborhoods. Destroying the wooded and serene area of the park eliminates a huge wildlife habitat and will create more noise, light pollution, and possible air</p> <p>I oppose the ESNP and McDonald Farm deed swap plan. Both properties need to be protected. The proposed area of ESNP is directly adjacent to several contamination for homes already plagued by Volkswagen and Miller Industries. Ooltewah has been recklessly overdeveloped. It's time to stop! The city and county should focus on the numerous shuttered industrial sites that are readily available and can be refurbished.</p>	
					I OPPOSE lifting restrictions on any Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-11-04T16:01:01.000Z 2025-11-04T15:52:09.302Z	— Hunter			Yes	<p>I'd prefer not to see miles of development similar to Sevierville approaching the Smoky Mtns on I-75 approaching our gem of city. We're an outdoor sanctuary with just enough city and businesses in Chattanooga. I'd encourage elected leadership to redefine growth and what type of growth constitutes success.</p>	
					I oppose lifting restrictions on any Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-11-04T15:44:50.282Z	Susan			Yes	<p>As a lifelong resident of Hamilton County, I am disturbed by the population growth which is eliminating our green spaces. Honestly, it is beyond me that Chattanooga addition to this part of the county. My family loves the trails at the park. One of the biggest draws to visitors of Hamilton County is our outdoor spaces. Please do not</p> <p>was recently named a National Park City and city/county leaders feel it's acceptable to eliminate green spaces at Enterprise South. Enterprise South was a lovely sacrifice Enterprise South for financial reasons.</p>	
2025-11-04T15:40:00.000Z 2025-11-04T15:37:58.222Z	— John			— Yes	<p>McDonald Farm. We bought the farm. Now what? Presumably the soils are historically suited for agriculture. That is not a bad thing IF the county continues it's use as a working farm. Imagine those possibilities. Farming vegetables for the underserved in a scalable form. Create jobs for those working the farm. Educational opportunities in agriculture. Is that not a needed vocation for high school students; putting in lab time on a farm? Can we not provide a food source that would supplement the underserved during a time when federal government shut-downs exacerbate hardship? Provide to the area food bank? There is a load of open land which is otherwise idle between celebrations with little shade offered. Tomatoes don't care about shade. Other than food production on a working farm level, there are opportunities to explore a working nursery for native trees and plants; similar to Crabtree Farms. All these can be of benefit to Hamilton County residents on an occasional and limited basis in return for our tax dollar investment in the land that was envisioned for industrial use. We only need to consider the "industry" at hand, being suited for farm land. The industry of farming and agriculture. Buying the farm is one thing. OWNING the farm and using it is noble.</p>	
					Preserve Enterprise South Park as is. There's plenty of other land throughout Hamilton County that can be developed for industrial purposes.	
2025-11-04T14:54:52.173Z	— Eva			— Yes	<p>I oppose changing any of the existing green space at Enterprise Nature Park to industrial or residential designations or any act that will remove it so the public cannot attract more industry and creative industrious people to Hamilton County, not reduce the outside options. Thanks for listening to your taxpayers and voters! - Richard</p> <p>enjoy nature in that space. The space is very accessible to a large percentage of Hamilton County residents and is heavily used. We need to add more greenspace to Waters</p>	

				I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-11-04T14:01:04.826Z	Just Bee		Yes	conservation easements from Enterprise South Nature Park ("deed restriction swap"). The distance of McD from the county's population center is reason enough, but holding back my opinions on whether purchasing McDonald farm was fiscally-wise, for citizens, I write to express extreme dissatisfaction with attempts to remove the removing the city's last major eastside green space does not compute. Why not, instead, allow Novonix (&c) cheaper access to more land up at McD, where its toxic fume byproducts can be released farther from population centers?	
2025-11-04T13:58:23.996Z	Anthony		Yes	We visit Enterprise South at least twice a week and enjoy the serenity of the park and its many trails. My family is very much against any development of this land and/or a land swap with McDonald Farm. The noise and traffic associated with converting any land around Enterprise South would negatively impact the park and its wildlife.	
2025-11-04T13:51:50.638Z	***Karen		***Yes	We visit Enterprise every week for a quiet 5 mile walk. It is a treasured amenity in our community. It should not be disrupted in any way! Do not allow any industry on this land. It should all remain a park for the community to use.	
				I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-11-04T13:28:40.398Z	Kathryn		Yes	I am sorry that the previous county mayor left Hamilton County with this albatross. Shame on him. That said I think you should leave Enterprise South alone - it is a wonderful park and recreation center for thousands of county residents who use it regularly and love it and have for decades. I do think Mayor WAMP and his administration should seriously think about selling all or part of McDonald Farm if that is even a possibility. The infrastructure costs are untenable to the county to change the property into an industrial zone and I doubt most companies will want that expenditure on their books. However perhaps there is a large agricultural business who is looking for acreage on the outside of a city where they can develop a profitable business of crops or livestock. Perhaps the county keeps a small amount of land for a park/outdoor functions like the annual county fair. But other than that PLEASE try to sell the rest. This albatross from Coppinger is not fair to the county or the WAMP administration. It was a waste or our taxpayer dollars as would extensive infrastructure development. Thank you.	
2025-11-04T13:21:16.224Z	David		Yes	I oppose the deed swap of the parcel of land at the Enterprise South Nature Park and lifting the protection of said property. Please keep this section available for the recreational enjoyment of the citizens of Hamilton County. Thank you.	
2025-11-04T13:19:28.021Z	Hannah		Yes	I oppose lifting restrictions on any Enterprise South Nature Park land absolutely!! Chattanooga is clean and beautiful. Why would we make it less so??	
2025-11-04T12:43:18.117Z	Tyler		Yes	Land swap I live about 10 mins from Enterprise park and developing the area for industrial use is a certainly a mistake that the residents of Hamilton County and Chattanooga will not be happy about. The proposed land swap would make me less likely to use enterprise park for outdoor activities like cycling. While the trails might not infringe upon, yet, it will certainly make traffic in the area worse and noise in the woods more prevalent. Removing the forest sections and adding industrial space would certainly allow for more interstate noise to pass over and into the park than before. McDonald Farm is almost an hour away from me and I certainly would not use that park like I do enterprise. The number of people that have access to McDonald Farm in a reasonable distance is significantly less than the number of people who are near to enterprise. There is largely abandon factories and warehouses on the south side of down town and off of Shallowford and 153 that could be developed without having to infringe on the minimal natural forest we have left in the city. I understand the convenience of the development along the interstate but the specific placement near the Volkswagen plant make it obvious that there is more to the picture with "who" wants the land developed. The "who" not being the residents and more so those local politicians and corporate executives who want to bring more vehicle manufacturing to Chattanooga, all while Volkswagen is having a hard time keeping good employees from striking. The also large number of politicians writing letter of support before the land swap was made public makes it seem like this was a decision made without the input of local residents. There only seems to be financial benefits to the few local politicians and corporations who are attempting to bring car manufacturing here over other useful manufacturing industries that local people would be more likely to appreciate and benefit from.	
2025-11-04T12:41:07.011Z	Laine		Yes	The "land swap" is absolutely a false choice being presented. Keep both areas protected, and let's not hand public land over to private industry.	
2025-11-04T12:28:48.911Z	Jonathan		Yes	Enterprise Nature Park is an incredible resource for the city and county, and irreplaceable. This deed swap is short sighted and ill conceived, not to mention completely unnecessary. There is plenty of available space in this county that doesn't require damaging Enterprise or McDonald Farm.	
2025-11-04T11:59:10.602Z	***Lindsey		***Yes	I oppose lifting restrictions from Enterprise South!!! Please protect our nature and all the creatures living there.	
2025-11-04T11:26:10.295Z	Pamela		Yes	I oppose this deed swap and I oppose lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park.	
				I oppose any/deed swap pertaining to ESNP. Protect our park. All of our park.	
2025-11-04T10:59:13.957Z	***Jovina		***Yes	I oppose the idea of a land swap involving enterprise south nature park and McDonald farm. I'm in favor of leaving the ESNP as is and continuing to protect this land for future generations and community enjoyment.	
2025-11-04T04:22:55.822Z	Will		Yes	I oppose lifting restrictions on any Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-11-04T04:07:47.643Z	Jonathan		Yes	I oppose the annexation of the Enterprise south nature preserve for industrial use.	
2025-11-04T03:26:08.343Z	Brian		Yes	I oppose lifting restrictions on Enterprise South Nature Park.	
				We need to preserve and protect public lands not industrialize them for short-term gain.	
2025-11-04T03:23:15.732Z	***Spencer		***Yes	We need to preserve and protect public park lands instead of industrializing them.	
				I OPPOSE this deed swap and any industry at the Enterprise South Nature Park.	
2025-11-04T03:17:21.582Z	Jessica		Yes	This plan affects me, my family, and my neighbors. It affects the air quality. It affects nature and wildlife. Please reconsider this plan and all of the people, animals, and trees that will negatively be impacted by this.	
2025-11-04T03:07:07.030Z	***WB		***Yes	declared its intention to publish a story about it. I am also unsure why the preservation of McDonald farm is tied to the potential development of land at ESNP. It seems I am concerned about the way this proposed plan was handled by the mayor's office, keeping it private for months and only announcing it after the Times Free Press to be a made-up, arbitrary trade-off. The main issue, for me, is that the mayor's office has not been forthcoming about its intentions and how potential development would impact ESNP and the surrounding areas in the county.	

2025-11-04T02:01:10.980Z	Kim			Yes	I very much oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land	
2025-11-04T02:09:39.290Z	Mariel			Yes	The people who use ESNP will NOT be driving all the way to McDonald Far, for the "land swap"!!!	
2025-11-04T01:55:48.505Z	Austin			Yes	I strongly oppose lifting any restrictions to Enterprise Nature Park land.	
					Please keep Enterprise South safe and usable to the public.	
2025-11-04T01:31:28.132Z	Rachel				I strongly oppose lifting any deed restrictions on any land within Enterprise South Nature Park. It is some of the most accessible green space we have remaining for the citizens of Ooltewah, and is home to the Atlas trail, which I ride regularly. We don't need industrialization surrounding our nature park and impacting outdoor recreational opportunities. We should preserve BOTH spaces, as they serve different communities. It should not be an either/or.	
2025-11-04T01:23:50.850Z	Deb			Yes	Goodness. Do NOT make any changes to Enterprise Park. Green spaces, foliage, wild places, birds/ animals roaming, and a place for physical exercise are NEEDS.	
2025-11-04T01:07:48.083Z	Darin			Yes	have seen wildlife thrive there and can't imagine why our county would want to destroy so much enjoyment and habitats of wildlife. The Ecosystem is thriving at My family and I have enjoyed Enterprise South in a multitude of ways from family picnics, biking, hiking, nature hikes and nature documenting plants and animals. We Enterprise South. This park is in a perfect location and frankly should not be tampered with.	
2025-11-04T01:02:35.644Z	Dianne			Yes	We don't need to sacrifice the nature park! There will be plenty of land available next summer in the Industrial Park. The Enterprise South Nature Park area proposed for Hundreds of acres will be available next year within the existing Enterprise South Industrial Park when Volkswagen's option expires. the deed swap was never part of the Industrial Park and was entrusted to the county and city to be protected forever. The deed swap area contains established trails, wildlife habitat, and serves as a natural sound buffer from interstate traffic. Atlas Trail is over 5 miles long. I attached a picture of Atlas Trail and the entrance which is the furthest point away from the interstate. After you get a couple hundred feet from the entrance, you can hear the interstate traffic. Removing any of the trees will expose the rest of the park to interstate noise and eventually industrial noise if this "deed swap" is approved. BOTH Enterprise South Nature Park and McDonald Farm should be protected!	
2025-11-04T01:00:53.14.405Z	**** Sarah			** Yes	I don't understand why they don't demolish some of the old manufacturing plants and build the new ones there? Rossville Blvd. could be developed into a manufacturing hub without cutting down all the trees. Rossville Blvd. looks more run down every time I drive down it. They have totally ruined Ooltewah by clear cutting all the trees and putting asphalt over the land. That's going to make temperatures rise in those areas. Why waste forests and green pastures which provide cooling (and oxygen) to the community? We need those trees and fields to absorb some of the carbon dioxide that will be polluting the air for the whole county! The Planning Commission does not care a doodle-squat about the citizens of Hamilton County! Where are children going to play much less enjoy nature? Children learn to do things by playing outside, but in the subdivisions they are throwing up there is no place for children to play unless they play in the streets. They need to get busy planning to build new schools rather than subsidizing the manufacturing plants they intend to build. The influx of new folks in the area are going to cause more overcrowding of the schools and roadways. By the time winter is over, Ooltewah-Georgetown will be more of a disaster. The road is already sinking on the right side and the asphalt is breaking in those areas. With the freezing and thawing of winter, the asphalt will be completely broken up. Why don't you people get your priorities in order? Every cotton-picking one of you should be voted out or FIRED! Sorry I EVER VOTED for the mayor!!!!!!!!!	
2025-11-04T00:28:50.670Z				Yes	I oppose lifting restrictions on McDonald Farm and Enterprise South.	
2025-11-04T00:05:05.264Z	****_Jan			Yes	Enterprise South recreation area is too valuable to the community to swap part of it out for McDonald Farm. Please do not allow this.	
2025-11-04T00:00:03.847Z				Yes	We have enjoyed both parks and especially enterprise s. Please don't ruin it for our families	
2025-11-03T23:58:14.042Z	Barry			Yes	I oppose lifting the deed restrictions on enterprise South nature park.	
2025-11-03T23:37:31.525Z	****_Teresa			Yes	I oppose lifting the deed restrictions on enterprise South nature park. This is the people local park & should be protected in its entirety as such.	
2025-11-03T23:33:17.970Z	Jay			Yes	I oppose lifting restrictions on any Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
					HANDS OFF ENTERPRISE SOUTH!	
2025-11-03T23:23:09.416Z	Lauren			Yes	I oppose lifting restrictions on any Enterprise South Nature Park land. As good stewards of our natural habitats, we should NOT be destroying nature reserves to build chemical plants. This does not fit with being a Park City, nor the interests of many Chattanooga & Hamilton County residence.	
2025-11-03T23:21:23.176Z	Malco			Yes	I oppose lifting restrictions on pollution emissions at the Enterprise South park. You have plenty of ruined land at Old Hickory Valley Rd, what is this county thinking	
2025-11-03T23:03:47.252Z	David			Yes	I strongly recommend that Hamilton County continues to keep public parks and nature trails as they are. This city doesn't need more industrial plants; which those takes away natural resources like pollution control from trees, habitat for wildlife, rainwater and storm run-off areas, and suitable local and tourists nature walking/trails. The city SHOULD NOT BE allowed to sell off these natural resource areas without a vote from the population, to begin with.	
2025-11-03T22:59:56.887Z	Bryan			Yes	One of the things that makes Chattanooga nice is city parks. And let's face it- it's not a fair swap giving us park land in sale creek. I've lived here since 1991 and been there maybe 4 times. We need these city parks where people can go see nature and exercise even if they only have a little time. It's convenient to so many more people who only have a spare hour- instead of spending your spare hour driving to sale creek.. and yes, I ride the atlas trails at least once a week	
2025-11-03T22:58:21.970Z	Taylor			Yes	not plan to visit McDonald farm due to the distance it is from town, whereas I visit enterprise more than twice a month. Adding industry that introduces additional I strongly oppose any change to the enterprise park. It is an incredibly accessible green space, used by many Hamilton county residents (and beyond). I have not and do pollution and thus impacting the health of visitors to the park and surrounding community is upsetting, especially as our town has worked to hard to become more sustainable/healthier. This change is very obviously only to benefit the economic interests of local reps, not the community.	
2025-11-03T22:47:12.172Z	Karina			Yes	For the greater good and health of Hamilton County and East Tennessee, I strongly oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	

2025-11-03T20:43:30Z 2025-11-03T22:19:27.558Z	Colleen			^Yes	<p>childhood memories and is my favorite part about this city. My family and I have been using Enterprise South since our daughters learned to ride bicycles there. They are almost 21 &amp; 23 now. This park is an integral part of their Beyond riding bicycles with my family there, I have been running and walking the trails for almost 15 years. These trails are my sanctuary. They have listened to me laugh and cry and plead with God over the years. They have given me peace in the crunch of gravel, the rustle of leaves, the patter of rain, and the call of birds. I routinely see chipmunks, deer, snakes, turkeys, owls, butterflies, wildflowers, mushrooms and more. What better way to ruin the peace and serenity of this beautiful park than with allowing further industrial complexes to encroach on it. Have you walked on the riverwalk? Have you smelled the awful smells of everything from chicken waste to chemicals? That's not what Enterprise South needs. And do not think for one minute that anyone believes that once these protections are lifted, that this will be the end of this land grab.</p> <p>McDonald Farm is not an equal swap. You are not offering us the same in a different location. It is not conveniently located to the majority of Chattanooga or the people who use Enterprise South. It doesn't have the hills, woods, trails, or history that comprise Enterprise South. Please do the right thing and protect the things that make Chattanooga a desirable place to live and visit. Please.</p>	
2025-11-03T22:17:25.424Z	Kristen			Yes	No. We do not want this	
2025-11-03T21:58:13.273Z	^Bree			Yes	No. We do not want this	
2025-11-03T21:53:39.008Z	Benjamin			Yes	I oppose to lifting restrictions on any Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
					I oppose lifting restrictions on any Enterprise South Nature Park land. Please protect our parks.	
2025-11-03T21:59:36.266Z	Kennard			Yes	don't destroy the recreational resources that we have in place. ESNP has been a huge success, and it does not need to be made smaller. Please keep ESNP intact for Over expansion is everywhere. Neighborhoods with houses packed in tight and strip centers are popping up everywhere. Chattanooga is thriving! But, please, please generations to come. Thank you.	
2025-11-03T21:58:48.593Z	Garth			Yes	I OPPOSE the industrial development of Enterprise South Nature Park. It is a highly utilized green space and future trail development would be impossible if the land is lost to industry.	
2025-11-03T21:59:55.414Z	^Rhapsody			^Yes	Farm was originally purchased to serve as a new industrial park—until, it seems, someone realized there isn't a local labor force to support it. Maybe purchasing "The concept would permanently preserve more than 1,300 acres at McDonald Farm." Oddly enough, we were told ESNP would always be preserved as well. McDonald property for industrial development in an area where no one lives wasn't such a great idea. Seriously, who thought this was a good idea?	
					I oppose the deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park.	
2025-11-03T20:48:53.695Z	Robert			Yes	I oppose the "land swap" of anything at the ESNP established park and existing trails with anything far away, especially McDs farm. Everything at ESNP is close to me and 180,000 + residents. A swap with something 45 minutes away is not good for the majority of people who want & need to get to the nature area quickly without extra travel time and cost of gas. Chattanooga has many areas to travel 45 minutes to enjoy the outdoors. In fact, most are FAR prettier than a farm.	
2025-11-03T20:17:18.386Z	colleen			Yes	I appreciate the stated goal of balancing conservation, recreation, and responsible economic growth. However, I want to emphasize that economic growth must truly benefit the region's future, and not simply represent growth for growth's sake. I am concerned that many proposed industrial developments offer positions with wages in the \$17-\$20 per hour range. At that income level, local workers employed in these industries cannot afford even a basic, unsubsidized apartment in the area, where studio apartments are often unavailable and one-bedroom units exceed \$900 per month. They can afford \$835 a month for living quarters. I believe that true economic growth must provide a living wage that allows residents to thrive, not just survive. If industrial development at either McDonald Farm or Enterprise South Nature Park fails to offer jobs with sustainable wages, the potential benefits are outweighed by the negative impacts on our community. I urge you to prioritize preserving the natural beauty and outdoor recreational opportunities that make this area desirable. These assets are a significant driver of economic activity and attract residents and businesses willing to invest in our community. I believe that prioritizing green spaces and conservation is a more sustainable and beneficial long-term strategy than pursuing low-wage industrial development that ultimately diminishes the quality of life for our residents. I welcome further discussion and encourage you to consider these concerns as you evaluate the proposed transfer of deed restrictions. And will call out I am a republican I have donated to many of our current leaders but I vote for what is right and who shows character and transparency over party lines. And I will continue to donate in that same fashion.	
2025-11-03T19:59:54.303Z	April			Yes	This is a perfect location for an industrial expansion. VW is next door, and access to interstate, all infrastructure. Let's tell the truth, there are better locations for a park.	
2025-11-03T19:53:18.524Z	^Jessica			^Yes	I strongly oppose the deed swap and lifting of protection for any part of enterprise South nature Park land. This land should be preserved to protect wildlife and it is valued part of our city.	
					I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-11-03T19:59:53.073Z	^Daren			^Yes	diminish significantly!! We were promised 'protection unto perpetuity' of that parcel of land to stay pristine. Why would anyone ever want to surround a park with My property line is directly affected by the 500 acres the county/city wants to use for development. I am OPPOSED to the development !!! My property value will industrial/manufacturing facilities!! Move it to other parcels of land that do not several hundreds of residents bordering an industrial park. PLEASE DO NOT DO THIS! I have lived in Flagstone for 30 yrs and Congressman Fleishman lived in Flagstone for a very long time!! He knows how personal this is to us. I am deeply disappointed in his endorsement. County Mayor Wamp told me to my face one week ago he didn't have to listen to anyone who opposed this move!!!! Shame on ALL of you!!!	
					I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	

2025-11-03T18:48:17.722Z	Cameron			Yes	<p>County and is a popular mountain destination for folks that live in the county as well as others from all over the Southeast. The neighborhoods around ESNP do not want</p> <p>I do not support this proposed transfer of deed restrictions between McDonald Farm and Enterprise South Nature Park. Enterprise is the most popular park in Hamilton to see more of the park being taken away from them and being used for commercial uses. ESNP is a park that will be able to be accessed by more Hamilton County residents on a daily/weekly basis than McDonald Farm. A lot of folks I have discussed this with said that McDonald farm is too far away for them to be able to enjoy/visit. Thank you for your time.</p>	
2025-11-03T18:08:30.192Z	Kelly			Yes	<p>Hello. I'm a long time resident of Hamilton County. I oppose any land swap deal that takes away land from Enterprise South Nature Park. I urge the County Commission to listen to its citizens and ensure that this deal does not happen.</p>	
2025-11-03T17:57:36.738Z	else			Yes	<p>to help the few. I live in contaminated soil that is costing tax payers millions to remediate. My neighborhood deals with flooding due to the paving over of creeks and</p> <p>I write to you as someone living in an area that used to be a manufacturing area. To develop land that is being utilized for it's natural resources is to steal from the future wetlands. We've had an empty factory for decades in this neighborhood where mosquitoes breed and it's taking millions to fix and still tax payer dollars go into that.</p> <p>There is plenty of blighted land that can be used for industrial purposes. Why do we consider pristine public land that has already been subsidized heavily by tax payers to be the place to further rob us? Because y'all are viewing your personal interests and short term gain over the long term health of the community.</p>	
2025-11-03T17:47:17.562Z	Stake			Yes	<p>Absolutely do not approve any development on these lands. Developers and Industrialist aside, the planet requires wetlands and forests to sustain life. We are the most biodiverse place IN THE UNITED STATES. This development is an affront to life on this planet. Grow up.</p>	
2025-11-03T17:33:53.648Z	Jillian			Yes	<p>To whom it may concern,</p> <p>As a citizen of Hamilton county, I oppose the proposed agenda for the McDonald Farm and ESNP land swap. This action would create significant and lasting damages to our precious land and community. Lower Property Values, Increased Pollution, More Noise, Brighter Nights, Poor Air Quality, Higher Energy Bills, Increased Flooding Risk, Heavier Traffic, Destroyed Wildlife, Hotter Summers.... Please consider the voices and opinions of your community members. We do not want this. Thank you.</p> <p>J. North</p>	
2025-11-03T17:30:03.162Z 2025-11-03T17:18:05.181Z	*** Cody			*** Yes	<p>Chattanooga because of the close proximity and availability to green space the public has. I have faith that the city can utilize industrial space that is currently</p> <p>I use Enterprise all the time to ride my bike, run, and walk my dog. I am against this proposal to swap land and remove the green space from this park. I moved to abandoned or that you can swap with. Green spaces should be protected at all costs.</p>	
2025-11-03T17:15:33.033Z	Jamie			Yes	<p>I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.</p>	
2025-11-03T17:15:25.341Z	Aaron			Yes	<p>I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.</p>	
2025-11-03T17:13:03.490Z	Sara R (Becky)			Yes	<p>I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.</p>	
					<p>Do not deed swap and take away any acreage from our natural resources. Sincerely, Becky McCallie</p>	
2025-11-03T17:10:04.001Z 2025-11-03T16:54:44.401Z	Christopher			*** Yes	<p>I love Enterprise Park and I have become a solid mountain biker because of that place. It's where I learned to bike and become better at it. I loved riding all of the trails and can't imagine them being taken away. I think that we should stop the industrial growth and look elsewhere.</p>	
2025-11-03T16:52:19.222Z	**** Geneva			Yes	<p>No, I do not agree</p>	
					<p>I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land</p>	
2025-11-03T16:16:04.178Z 2025-11-03T15:24:24.008Z	*** Kevin			*** Yes	<p>I fear for the wildlife at Enterprise South and they can't just move out and pack up their things.</p> <p>Please save enterprise south</p>	
					<p>I am against removing portions of enterprise south nature park. Please keep the trails.</p>	
2025-11-03T15:15:27.405Z	Cecilia			Yes	<p>Enterprise South property that is part of the Nature and recreation area should remain as nature and recreation. This space is very important to our community. There is structures instead of our natural areas for our industry.</p> <p>no reason to build on this land when other land is available in the county that is old industry use land that is no longer being used. Use space that has delapidated</p> <p>The McDonald property should be maintained as open area. Too much of our open areas are being taken from us. People move to this area for the mtns river, trails etc. yes industry support this, but it is not necessary to take from our natural resources to support industry.</p>	
2025-11-03T15:06:12.136Z	Susan			Yes	<p>we discover something new almost every time we go. I see no reason why both McDonald Farm and ESNP can't be protected. We also need to know more about the</p> <p>I am strongly opposed to this land swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land. We frequently hike at Enterprise South and feel like expense of preparing the ESNP land for industry, as quite a bit of habitat destruction and land flattening would have to happen before utilities could even be brought in.</p>	
2025-11-03T14:58:48.862Z 2025-11-03T14:49:26.895Z	*** Caitlin			*** Yes	<p>Please don't detract from what makes Hamilton Co. a great tourist destination and an even better place to live. Citizens use those trails at ESNP to "unplug," mentally, to help recharge their battery to go to work and be a productive citizen. If those are taken away, then less activity on trails and more chatter in mind leads to increased risk of depression, suicide, drug dependency, avoidance of social situations and all that is good and healthy in life.</p> <p>Having accessible trail systems so close to residential areas allows kids the opportunity to find a hobby, outdoors, early in life and potentially avoid the deep, sad chasm of falling into a life a video games and only communicating with peers via the anonymity of a computer where they're mentally/physically safe from others, not maturing through growth that happens when you spend time with, and for, others! This type of life leads to the quintessential "living in their mothers basement at age 40," whilst collecting a myriad of bad habits including, but not limited to, hardcore, barely-legal pornography and paying for online smut because he never learned how to properly converse with the opposite sex so he spends his mothers disability cheques every month just to have some girl treat him like a real human for once in his life. Then, upon his mothers passing, he is left with no one, so he reaches out to men's gay chat rooms for approval and becomes deeply entrenched in the dark, drug-riddled underground world of being a Furry, eventually becoming a submissive slave to a monetarily-driven BDSM women who had control of his bank account, and his mind. These, and others, are the kinds of fuck, beta males we try to keep our offspring from becoming. We need the help of outdoor recreation to forge a strong, confident</p>	

					winner in all of our children. They need a place to scrape up their knees as a young kid so they're not still on their knees, out of necessity, in their 40's. Not only should you not take away current/future recreation in Hamilton Co. I feel it's necessary to create a wider array of options within our city limits to further separate ourselves from other Tennessee cities to show our dominance of making better decisions than "Their" town! We are Chattanooga, we explore and make stuff happen. Making memories with friends/family on the trails and in the woods is invaluable to the well-being of everyone who calls this lovely place, "Home."	
2025-11-03T14:38:38.289Z	Jonathan		Yes		Already permanently protected public land should remain that way and not be developed in any way	
					I oppose the deed swap and the lifting of any protections on the Enterprise South Nature Park.	
2025-11-03T14:39:04Z 2025-11-03T13:46:38.530Z	Jeffrey		Yes		properties are so far apart. Both help the wildlife in each area and are equally important environmentally. Once some of these lands have been sold off for either dense There are limited protected green spaces and conservations in the area. I think it's a shame to pull from one nature preserve to satisfy another, especially when the subdivisions or industrial parks, we can never get them back. I live in East Brainerd, and it always saddens me to see big chunks of land mowed down for economic gain. Enterprise nature Park is such a gem in the area and it breaks my heart to think about all of these animals trying to relocate just so we can destroy their habitats for industrial and/or economic purposes. We need to learn how to work with the land, not against it - especially if we are to be recognized as a National Park City (I hope we can live up to the name)	
					I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land. It is a park and should always be a park.	
2025-11-03T13:31:49.000Z 2025-11-03T13:31:42.195Z	David		Yes		I've donated to help fund the trails. This includes The newer Atlas trail. Please don't take this protected land off from us who have worked hard to help build this amazing I have been using the mountain bike trails at ESNP since the park open in the late 2000's. I have volunteered with SORBA Chattanooga to build and maintain the trails. place. My family opposes the land swap. It's not good for Hamilton County. The park is protected land. Swapping it for something that's not in community interest.	
	Leslie				This should not go forward! We don't have the infrastructure for any more development. We have to keep our parks..	
2025-11-03T13:20:51.067Z	Joe		Yes		I am opposed to the proposal to rezone any of Enterprise South Nature park. This sets a precedent for future rezoning of our protected areas and it must not be set.	
2025-11-03T13:23:22.548Z	Paul		Yes		The root cause of this PR fiasco is the decision - with no public input - that McDonald Farm was not viable for development as an industrial park. The county invested \$16 million in public funds to purchase the site, stating it would be developed as an industrial park, since the Enterprise site was virtually built-out. There was even a pharma company interested in investing \$3 billion in the property, before they were turned away by the current administration. Then all we heard was the site would be preserved as a "farm" that would draw major tourism dollars. That is nonsense. The site is adjacent to a U.S. highway and a rail line. It has a live stream (McGill Creek) on site, and is roughly 2 miles from the Tennessee River for barge traffic. It is actually better than the old "Volunteer" site in terms of terrain and the obvious lack of hazardous waste. If the county is going to continue to grow, it needs the jobs the McDonald industrial park would create. It's also a good location for badly needed sewage treatment expansion in the north end of the county. "Preserving" McDonald Farm is a gross misuse of public funds ... and has the reek of cronyism. If it were made a ballot issue, there is no question the citizens of this county would favor economic development over wasting \$16 million of their hard-earned tax dollars!	
2025-11-03T11:33:57.532Z	Lora		Yes		Hamilton County never should have been able to purchase McDonald Farm without numerous assessments to determine if development was appropriate for that site. Hamilton County is being destroyed by all of the new development. Everything that we loved about Hamilton County is being taken away. Stop the development!! Take Enterprise South out of the development equation.	
2025-11-03T10:12:28.700Z	Mindi		Yes		Please, please preserve Enterprise South Nature Park. All of it. McDonald farm is too far away for most people to easily access, and it doesn't even compare to the diversity of life found in the forests of Enterprise South.	
2025-11-03T10:12:28.010Z	Mark and Vicki		Yes		We have lived here 37 years. There has been enough development up here. Traffic is a nightmare already! Take this to the opposite side of town that has more room, leave Enterprise Park alone! Country Village is already suffering due to Miller and Uhaul. It's political but for once do what's right and logical. Get industry started on that side of town . WE ARE FULL !	
2025-11-03T10:02:42.533Z	Mark and Vicki		Yes		Lived here 37 years same house. Way too much development traffic is a nightmare already. Take this industrial expansion to that side of town ! We don't need it! We are FULL UP HERE !! Pute political. Leave our space , what's left of it , like it is.	
2025-11-03T04:57:03.275Z	Thomas		Yes		outdoor recreation opportunities does. Hamilton County could be known as a destination spot for outdoor activities, a major boon to the local economy. It's already One of the unique aspects of Hamilton County is the access to nature. Industrial parks don't bring Chattanooga national attention, but the abundance of top-notch well on the way there. Carving up part of Enterprise South for an industrial park is a step backwards, and this proposed "land swap" between McDonald Farm and Enterprise South is a false choice. Industry does not need to be in either place. It seems very likely that there are plenty of abandoned or empty low-cost land tracts that could be used to house industry. Don't slice up Enterprise South and diminish one of Hamilton County's gems.	
2025-11-03T03:32:56.469Z	Whitney		Yes		This land is invaluable to the preservation of wildlife, air quality, and citizens of the county and city. To destroy it to build more factories and cheap over priced houses locals can't afford doesn't make sense when we have so many dilapidated buildings around. It just seems like greed that benefits a small subset of people with no consideration to the environment or the county and city citizens. We are a National Park City and this goes that concept.	
2025-11-03T02:42:48.242Z	Chris		Yes		I strongly oppose the development of Enterprise south for for industrial use. Stop cutting down all the trees! There are plenty of vacant industrial sides that can be used instead of ruining more natural wooded areas.	
2025-11-03T02:24:25.355Z	Anna Claire		Yes		I strongly oppose the land swap and the lifting of protections for ESNP!!!! This will only hurt our community, and environment. Please consider us and the animals when you make this decision.	
2025-11-03T02:14:59.807Z	Mark		Yes		McDonald Farm unwillingly as it is too far from most of the population to be useful. We shouldn't have to also give up public green space that is close to a large majority I oppose the land swap between ESNP and McDonald farm as ESNP was intended to be kept as a nature preserve. The taxpayers of this county already bought the land at of the county's population. Not to mention already developed trails and countless volunteer hours to upkeep all of the area many use to experience nature before during or after their workday. We are a national park city willing to destroy green space in the name of progress. McDonald farm should also be preserved as public lands as there are plenty more areas suitable for development already destroyed and no longer in their natural state.	

2025-11-03T02:07:00.288Z	Paul			Yes	I oppose the deed transfer swap of any portion of the Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
					I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-11-03T01:18:06.331Z	Addison			Yes	Any amount of land taken from ESPN would not be acceptable. Public lands and parks are not to be infringed on. McDonald farm was a failed attempt and two wrongs do not make a right.	
2025-11-03T00:32:46.816Z	Dawson			Yes	happy I was to be able to have this in my back yard. After 13 years in the military before I was medically retired, I was glad to be able to finally have tranquility and peace I am a homeowner that borders this property your wanting to rezone. I am 100% not for this whatsoever. When I bought my home here two years ago I cant tell you how and a place I could play with my daughter in the future that had just been born. Now it seems like that may no longer be possible. I have been all throughout the area you are trying to take, and that is where you will find the most wildlife and ecosystems anywhere in the park. I fear squeezing this park tighter may allow certain diseases to spread and potentially wipe out a deer population if CWD was ever contracted or other harmful diseases. There has to be a better option then wiping out a densely populated wildlife area. I will be attending one of the future meetings to voice my opinion further.	
2025-11-02T23:54:24.887Z	Renee			Yes	I oppose this land swap deal and snag to see ESNP left alone as protected federal land. Who is gathering this information ? Also, as a taxpayer and voter I would like to know: How is it going to be shared and with whom? When will we the citizens be able to see the results of this feedback?	
2025-11-02T22:41:09.599Z	Jennifer			Yes	personally donated to help build those trails, as did many in our community. Is the county going to reimburse the mountain biking community for the cost and volunteer. I do not support the transfer of deed restrictions as outlined. The mountain bike trails that will be destroyed at Enterprise South are of Great Value to the community. I hours lost building these trails? Atlas is one of the best trails in hamilton county. This is a gem for our community and brings in people and tourist \$\$ from all over. Enterprise South is much more accessible to the community than driving all the way out to McDonald farm. The travel distance to sale creek with be prohibitive for many to access. And there are currently no finished trails there. The government should serve all of its constituents, not just corporate interests. If this beloved trail system is to be ripped from those of us in the community who contributed to its development and use it frequently, what does the county plan to do to compensate us and replace what was taken without consent?	
2025-11-02T22:25:20.180Z	Anthony			Yes	The plan submitted for Enterprise does not maintain existing trails. It would result in the loss of 6 miles of trail as well as invaluable urban green space. This swap should not happen. Both spaces should remain natural.	
2025-11-02T22:15:03.762Z	Arthur				Why are local officials presenting this as a "land swap" and as if we must choose between two natural areas? These are entirely separate natural properties, over 33 miles apart. It's not a trade-off; it's a political maneuver that risks permanently damaging Enterprise South Nature Park. Reporting at the Chattanooga Times Free Press brought this to light, as County Mayor Weston Wamp and other supporting officials had not planned to share details until the deal was much farther along. Now that we know, it's critical for the public to show up and speak out. We have plenty of undeveloped land outside this park that you can use. Wamp just wants to back door deal public property for presumably political favors for his friends. He doesn't care about this city or the people that live in it unless it benefits him. This is the first national park city and this is OUR land, not his. I vote NO on the "land swap". I also vote for Wamp to be investigated about this.	
2025-11-02T22:14:01.870Z	Lori			Yes	planned in the county or in areas that are considered to be a habitat for wildlife or possibly farmland. I would like to continue to encourage our officials to keep our rural I am completely opposed to the proposed land swap and any roads that take away from EPS nature park. Further, I am also opposed to any industry being placed or areas rural and slow down on growth. We cannot have it all. At some point you will run out of room. Please be more selective about what we do with the land we have. Thank you.	
2025-11-02T21:50:01.059Z	***Melinda			***Yes	I disagree strongly of the plan of our county's mayor. You can't swap forests land with farm land and have the same use for your outdoor enthusiasts.	
					I oppose the land swap between McDonald's farm and Enterprise South Nature Park.	
2025-11-02T21:14:36.014Z	Fletcher			Yes	Enterprise south is a huge part of serving the greater Chattanooga outdoor community & would be a tragic loss to all. Enterprise south is a staple to the health & I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land. wellness of all new & original residents of the city. It would be a big dishonor to the newly claimed "1st national park city". As leaders of the community it is your responsibility to protect the originality of what has always been here. Over development in the wrong areas will degrade what makes Chattanooga so special. Please respect what makes our city one of a kind & special to all who currently live here & to all that will be in the future.	
2025-11-02T21:12:13.276Z	Rebecca			Yes	Don't take the centrally located land at Enterprise South away from the community. It's accessible for the everyday citizen to fit in a daily or weekly routine. McDonald farm is inconvenient & seems like the county is trying to find an excuse for use of the land that was a poor purchase to begin with.	
2025-11-02T20:42:18.726Z	***Frea			***Yes	I echo the words of Bob Corker saying that the outdoor industry (tourism and recreation) is currently the one with the greatest potential to have a positive economic impact on Hamilton County—with no negative impact on the quality of life here. It can also increase property values, make our county more attractive for people to move here, and more attractive for businesses to move here, especially small businesses that drive the economy. While the Chamber of Commerce and some other focus on how important it is to have increased business and industry in our county in order to keep taxes down, I'd say two things: First, I don't see that increased business and industry has had much impact on taxes. Second, it's not up to the Chamber of Commerce and other business interests to decide for Hamilton County residents which is more important: industry that might keep taxes down or preserving natural areas for current and future generations? These documents I prepared may be helpful: <a href="https://docs.google.com/document/d/1IdCqUNPVbegjP5hlbnOgNiPr_L8E0mRaFt5vib1b00/edit?usp=sharing">https://docs.google.com/document/d/1IdCqUNPVbegjP5hlbnOgNiPr_L8E0mRaFt5vib1b00/edit?usp=sharing</a> and <a href="https://docs.google.com/document/d/1y16BrX_59fdFYc_G61vian-ShpRH699sxYzRwiSvs/edit?usp=sharing">https://docs.google.com/document/d/1y16BrX_59fdFYc_G61vian-ShpRH699sxYzRwiSvs/edit?usp=sharing</a>	
2025-11-02T20:41:06.801Z	Sheila			Yes	We should not allow the deed swap of land in the Enterprise South Nature Park area. I am against any development in that area.	
					I am against any development or deed swapping of land in the Enterprise South Nature Park.	
2025-11-02T20:40:00.269Z	M. M. Elendof			Yes	I strongly oppose the deed swap of any portion of land on Enterprise South Nature Park. We MUST have nature areas for our health and the longevity of an organized society.	
2025-11-02T20:37:13.175Z	Stephanie			Yes	safe, well-maintained environment to enjoy nature and outdoor recreation. I urge the continued protection and preservation of Enterprise South Nature Park. This park is an invaluable community asset that provides residents and visitors with a Enterprise South offers extensive walking and biking trails, a dedicated dog park, and family-friendly spaces that promote health,	

					wellness, and community connection.	
					It serves as a vital green space within our region — one that enhances quality of life, supports environmental stewardship, and strengthens our local identity. Our community takes great pride in maintaining and respecting this area. We ask that Enterprise South Nature Park remain protected and accessible for the enjoyment of current and future generations.	
2025-11-02T19:48:49.767Z 2025-11-02T20:32:29.805Z	-----Gabriela		^ Yes		monumental impact it would have on the area. No one remotely close goes to the McDonald Farm. LEAVE ESNP and the surrounding land ALONE! Nothing but political BS getting spun to look like gansette Avenue, Chattanooga, TN 37415 I oppose this deed swap & any lift that will end the protection on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park.	
2025-11-02T20:31:51.537Z	Gabriela		Yes		I oppose this deed swap & any lift that will end the protection on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park.	
2025-11-02T20:13:26.975Z	Dean		Yes			
					I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land. Keep it protected!	
2025-11-02T19:48:49.767Z 2025-11-02T19:05:44.811Z	-----Jason		^ Yes		I am fully against the land swap. The land at ESNP has much greater access as it is in the heart of our city, it is well used and loved. No one wants to hike or recreate next to "saving" anything by cutting our community green space that already has everything being promised at McDonald Farm. Both properties are already owned by the to industrial buildings or more roads. This is an intentional piece of land that was already set aside for its intended purposes of conservation and recreation. We are county, we are not saving anything by cutting up ESNP. We are only losing public land. Adding trails on a farm one hour from our existing park is not in the best interest of your citizens.	
					Leave the land as is and stop over developing the land. Enough is enough..	
2025-11-02T19:04:06.078Z	Jacob		Yes		Even if these companies are developing recreational area I have zero trust in them to not pollute the area. Even if it isn't now they'll slip eventually	
2025-11-02T19:00:48.458Z	Whit		Yes		ESNP is a great place for recreation - a trade deal of land would be bad because the land is an hour away from ESNP and would affect the people that live close	
2025-11-02T18:59:28.174Z	Brian		Yes		The entire premise of this deed restriction swap is preposterous. You are inventing an issue that simply does not exist. No one who has reviewed this is frankly stupid understand voters aren't as stupid as you believe us to be. I am a lifelong Republican and a Conservative and I will be doing everything I can to see that Mayor Wamp is enough to believe you are not destroying a significant portion of Enterprise South Nature Park. One county owned park has nothing to do with another. Please not re-elected.	
2025-11-02T18:59:00.111Z	Jim		Yes No		What's the point of a deed restriction if just changed when ever? What's the point of being a national park city if we bulldoze the land when ever the key players can profit from it?	
2025-11-02T18:44:50.924Z	Charlie		Yes		behind closed doors before the story was broken by the media is nothing short of shady and erodes trust and faith of our local government and its leaders. Please, do not This debate was never a choice between McDonald Farm keeping all protected land at Enterprise, protected. The way Ham County leadership was planning this swap develop either parcel. Our city is known for its nature, it's why people move and live here. Not its industrial parks. Does Mayor Wamp want his legacy to be the long term protection of natural assets enjoyed by many generations to come or the creation of industry for short term economic gains that contribute negatively to our cultural heritage of this amazing place we call home?	
2025-11-02T18:15:25.601Z	-----Juniper		^ Yes		I would strongly urge Hamilton County to preserve the entirety of Enterprise South as a nature preserve, with the knowledge that a wildlife corridor is just as essential to our green spaces as the actual trails themselves.	
2025-11-02T18:07:36.755Z	Will		No: Yes		I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
					How you gonna preserve "all" at Enterprise?	
2025-11-02T18:02:58.369Z	Quentin		Yes		No land is underused and underutilized. This city is dying a slow death due to the unchecked growth and lack of infrastructure. Manage what you have before killing the land around it.	
2025-11-02T18:01:31.921Z 2025-11-02T17:45:58.695Z	-----Sandra		^ Yes		ESPN park, and it is very important to me that this park remains protected. I do not agree to the industrial rezoning of any portion of ESPN park. I think additional I oppose lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park (ESPN) land. I do not agree with the land swap deed. My family and I are frequent visitors of protections and conservation of McDonald farm is a great idea, but not at the expense of ESPN park. Overall, ESPN park is located in an area that makes in far more accessible to Hamilton county residents than McDonald farm. With this in mind, ESPN park protection should take priority over any initiative for the McDonald farms area. The conservation of McDonald farms should be considered a separate issue.	
2025-11-02T17:38:11.082Z	Sam		Yes		I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-11-02T17:35:07.244Z	Jackie		Yes		"I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land."	
					I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-11-02T17:09:01.012Z 2025-11-02T16:49:59.685Z	James		^ Yes		and usage of the park. It makes imminently more sense to use undeveloped land, close to the interstate rather than part of the McDonald Farm miles from the interstate. My comments are specific to Enterprise South Nature Park. As I understand it, the potential industrial conversion of part of the park in no way impedes on current trails. The area is already industrialized to a certain extent with the presence of Amazon and Volkswagen facilities. I am not opposed to expanding that area to include a portion of ESNP.	
	Michelle				I OPPOSE the land swap deal and want to see ESNP left as a federally protected park	

2025-11-02T16:43:55.633Z	Terri			Yes	<p>Enterprise Nature Park. This project directly contradicts the environmental values that Chattanooga proudly upholds as the first officially designated National Park City</p> <p>I am writing to express my strong opposition to the proposed land swap and industrial park development planned behind our neighborhood, which would take land from in North America.</p> <p>To move forward with an industrial project that removes protected green space is not only environmentally damaging but deeply hypocritical to the very identity Chattanooga has worked so hard to build. This proposal undermines our city's credibility and would make a national mockery of the "Nature Park City" designation we claim to represent.</p> <p>As residents, we expect our elected officials to protect our parks and natural spaces—not trade them away for industrial gain. Should this plan proceed, our community will use every lawful and public avenue to ensure accountability, including widespread awareness and action during future elections. Please honor the promises and principles that earned Chattanooga its recognition as a National Park City. Preserve Enterprise Nature Park and stand with the community that entrusted you with this responsibility.</p> <p>Thanks for your time in this matter, Terri Stockstill</p>	
2025-11-02T16:28:39.147Z	Nick			Yes	Leave enterprise south the way it is. Its not our fault you sunk money into Macdonald farm. Developing more close to enterprise south will take away from the quite nature. I dont want to hear traffic and construction while I enjoy nature.	
2025-11-02T16:20:03.469Z	John			Yes	There should be no development for industry on McDonald's Farm at all. We don't need it or want it. Preservation of all wild and natural areas should be our top priority. We don't need the pollution it would invite.	
2025-11-02T16:23:43.227Z	Rebecca			Yes	I don't want a land swap. Keep Enterprise south whole the way it is. My family love Enterprise south and use it weekly. And there are hundreds of animals in this park that need the space.	
2025-11-02T16:43.049Z 2025-11-02T15:37:44.296Z	LaDonna			Yes	<p>space around it. To us, green space is just as important as industry. We bought our home thinking we'd have a peaceful place to retire, close to woods and animals.</p> <p>I can't understand why we need more industry when we're already growing too fast for the area. I recently moved to the area and we bought our home because the green. With this "deed swap" and industry moving in, what once was a dream will become a nightmare. Furthermore, I absolutely believe this has been done behind the backs of the people it can nothing but distrust from her on out!</p>	
2025-11-02T15:28:18.085Z	---Campbell			Yes	Conserve the land.	
2025-11-02T15:23:30.524Z	Philip			Yes	NO	
					No. Protect the land, we don't need any more development to line politicians pockets with kick backs	
2025-11-02T15:22:51.046Z	Jim			Yes	Ideally preserve both, but if that's not possible then the Enterprise South parcel makes more sense for development due to proximity of the necessary infrastructure.	

2025-11-02T15:09:48.013Z	Michael			Yes	<p>promises to maintain that land as public are superseded by profit and crony capitalism. You are reneging on past agreements (previously also for profit) Those</p> <p>This plan is oriented around development. Profit. Not conservation. You're conservatives. Conserve. Or, let everyone know that this is about money, and that the agreements should stand. The hand of government should not supersede them. Keep that land as it is: we use it! My family uses it! Quit hurting regular people for your richest constituents. When I voted for conservatives, I voted for conservation. This is not that. You are ruining the reason people love our area. Please please stop pretending this swap is good. It isn't you are trading unusable land for pristine public used recreational land. We will lose hiking and biking trails that are heavily used. We pay taxes here. I pay a lot actually on multiple properties in our area. Please listen to ALL of your constituents.</p>	
2025-11-02T15:01:51.472Z	Stephany			Yes	Instead of breaking the preservation of natural land agreed upon when Enterprise South was established, County officials should instead promote the development of existing lots in the city, where the infrastructure already exists.	
2025-11-02T14:59:21.397Z	---Kelly			Yes	I suppose the changes to the enterprise south park. As proposed, it impact to much and to close to the nature park. It would encroach upon the sunshine trail and parking lots of the area. The plan needs to not impact the green space most people use. There are other derelict areas available for development.	
					I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-11-02T14:44:39.146Z	Sharon			Yes	I oppose the land swap. You keep letting builders take over building more and more homes apartments etc out in the Ooltewah Birchwood Harrison area now this! Stop the madness. Listen to the people who vote you in.	
2025-11-02T14:42:49.573Z	Michael			Yes	I oppose the said land swap, Enterprise park south is a great family site & thousands of people use it per week. Great hiking & biking trails. Also it is close to town but feels like your way out in nature.	
2025-11-02T14:42:04.185Z	Jennifer			Yes	<p>across running Deer, who seemed more surprised to see me than I them which tells me there is a lot of wildlife in the area they want to develop. That area is their home</p> <p>I'm regular user of Enterprise Nature Trail and I find the Land swap proposal concerning on many levels. Though, I mainly use the Poe Run Trail I have at times come where they can be undisturbed by people and I strongly feel it should stay that way. Also, I have a friend who lives in the community bordering the proposed land swap</p> <p>and any development in that area would greatly impact them and their neighbors as far as property values, light, and noise. Many were told when they moved there, that the land would not be developed due to its present codes. It is not right to change that. Then there is the Atlas trail and the old cemeteries. How can that piece of land be developed without effecting one or the other or both? I feel that this proposal, if implemented, would do more damage than good in the long run and should be carefully reconsidered. Thank you.</p>	
2025-11-02T14:20:31.396Z	---Genna			Yes	I oppose this deed swap and any industry at the ESNP. This will negatively affect the environment and the local community if it goes through.	
					No!! I oppose this in every way possible. Leave the green space alone! No, no, no!	
2025-11-02T14:13:48.591Z	Victoria			Yes	Enterprise park has been a refuge for my family and dogs since we moved here. The entire park is home to a family of deer and many wildlife. It is imperative that it stay in tact as is for wildlife and humans to enjoy.	
2025-11-02T14:08:00.002Z 2025-11-02T13:59:46.566Z	---Pam			Yes	I oppose the deed swap that would open any portion of enterprise south nature park to development. These areas are protected for the people the people want it protected!	
					Please don't do anything to take away any part of Enterprise South.,	
2025-11-02T14:01:41.002Z 2025-11-02T13:47:32.193Z	---Bobby			Yes	Stop accusing people of "misinformation". You elected people don't have a track record of honesty that gives any validity to the premise that you	

					are not the ones manipulating and misleading. We are not the ones with reputations as liars. You just sound foolish when you do that.	
					I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land."	
2025-11-02T13:27:34.573Z	--- Wesley			--- Yes	I oppose the land swap deal. The proposition does NOT preserve established recreation areas at ESNP: it completely wipes out one of the trails. ESNP is partly a draw because of the ecological preservation there, and it's more accessible to the city.	
2025-11-02T13:28:42.163Z	Meaghan				I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-11-02T13:48:38.365Z	Eric			Yes	I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
					I oppose the land swap and lifting and protections of any portions of Enterprise South Nature Park.	
2025-11-02T13:13:05.045Z	Tamie			Yes	I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park. I live here because I see this as a community that values conserving its nature and recreation within that nature. Our representatives must find a way to make space for growth without sacrificing that value.	
2025-11-02T13:08:41.082Z	---_Jen			--- Yes	I oppose the Land swap. I live in the neighborhood it sits on and all it would do would degrade our neighborhood, cause more flooding, take away animal homes and nature trails and more as well as create more traffic noise and pollution. I do not support this land swap and oppose it completely	
2025-11-02T10:23:07.991Z	Ronald			Yes	Enterprise South should be preserved as is. McDonald Farm is not a viable substitute as a recreation facility.	
2025-11-02T08:04:39.551Z				Yes	I oppose	
2025-11-02T07:08:11.993Z	Cathy Brice				OPPOSE	
2025-11-02T07:08:54.143Z	Vanessa			Yes	I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
					I OPPOSE	
2025-11-02T05:48:43.291Z	Zachary			Yes	I oppose this deal of land swapping between enterprise. Nature Park and McDonald Farm both can be preserved. Protecting green spaces within the Chattanooga area is important recreation at an outdoors drives a lot of what brings people to Chattanooga, and this nature park was originally created as an offset to the destruction of land for Volkswagen in the industrial Park	
2025-11-02T05:24:47.379Z	Amanda			Yes	I oppose this deed swap. Enterprise South Nature Park is a core part of protecting our local ecology, and more valuable as open, natural space than as yet another development.	
2025-11-02T04:32:13.352Z	Keith			Yes	I oppose the deed swap being done at Enterprise South Nature Park. We were told the area behind our home (where we have lived for almost 30 years) would always be kept as a preserve--no building would be done. We have watched the trees grow up back there and enjoy the wildlife. We don't want more displacement of wildlife, as we are seeing on Hunter Village Road where apartments are being built. I like not having other homes or business behind our house.	
2025-11-02T04:29:24.342Z	--- Kyle			--- Yes	I oppose the deed swap at Enterprise South Nature Park. I do not want industry behind my house. Traffic here is already getting worse and a business would make it a worse travesty. I like the woods and wildlife behind my house and do not want trails lost at ESNP. Let me be very clear: I OPPOSE THE DEED SWAP for ESNP!!	
2025-11-02T04:13:00.378Z	Alexander			Yes	Please leave ESNP untouched! Disturbing any of this land would be an atrocity. We do not need more development in the area.	
2025-11-02T03:35:23.886Z	Jennifer			Yes	I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-11-02T02:59:20.127Z	Teresa				I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on Enterprise South Nature Park.	
2025-11-02T02:59:14.028Z	Shea			Yes	I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land!	
					I OPPOSE the land swap!	
2025-11-02T02:53:41.666Z	Annie			Yes	I know we have a big number of new people in our area but we are losing too much wildlife and trees. We will be a big city before too long as it is. All the main roads are so in need of work. We cannot keep up with that. Let's try to fix what we have already and keep what little wildlife we can.	
2025-11-02T02:53:08.373Z	amanda			Yes	Infill and density development is preferable to destroying our little remaining intact habitat and natural areas. If you think you're representing Hamilton county residents and you're making decisions like this, then you've clearly lost touch and need to spend more time in your district. Stop trying to infringe on ANY of enterprise south.	
2025-11-02T02:48:46.162Z	Elizabeth			--- Yes	conservation area, in area of easy access for many residents, for "hypothetical" future conservation area so far from the center of the county is beyond ridiculous. I have I strongly oppose the land swap between Enterprise South Park and McDonald farm for the purpose of removing acreage from Enterprise South. To remove established been an employee for Volkswagen since the plant opened in 2010, and I use Enterprise South Park constantly, as do many other employees and residents. It would also be tragic to disrupt established native flora and fauna who make their home there. I cannot overstate my opposition to removing any land area from Enterprise South, and I cannot possibly believe this is the only or best or even slightly acceptable solution.	
	Kenneth				I oppose the deed swap and I want ESNP to stay the way it was intended.	
2025-11-02T02:41:49.767Z	--- Charles M			--- Yes	Strongly opposed the swap. I oppose Why eradicate this natural forest with so much recreational and environmental value? Used daily by loads of people and that farm is basically wide open land already.... Be smart....	
2025-11-02T02:37:33.965Z	Chelsey			Yes	I oppose this deed swap and any new industry in the ESNP.	
2025-11-02T02:27:02.210Z				Yes	I OPPOSE the land swap or any industry on or near the Enterprise South Nature area. This is such an important area for our community!	
	Bobby				Ooltewah has had enough growth. Find space elsewhere	

2025-11-02T02:14:27.475Z	Paul			Yes	I oppose the swap and think the land should be left alone please this area is already overpopulated and the infrastructure can not keep up with the growth this is also people's back yards literally please take this into consideration thank you	
2025-11-02T02:12:07.426Z	Wile			Yes	I oppose this because I see Ooltewah as the last price of country for miles in Hamilton County. This is bad for nature and the community of people who have enjoyed peace but every year are being more and more crowded and less peaceful..	
2025-11-02T01:49:06.762Z	***** Ruth			*** Yes	<p>I am very much <b>OPPOSED</b> to this transfer of deed restrictions. As a relative newcomer to Hamilton County (coming from Boulder County, which is well known for its green spaces and open space land management), I have very much appreciated how Enterprise South Nature Park (ESNP) provides a "green break" and provides a buffer between I-75 and the industrial areas of Volkswagen. While it is <b>POSSIBLE</b> to have too much open space (as might be the case in Boulder County), Hamilton County is at the far other end of the spectrum. Coming here, I am surprised at how few open spaces and buffer spaces there are. There are already significant swaths of Hamilton County that are industrial, and I'm sure there are opportunities for "brownfield" redevelopment in these areas.</p> <p>The proposed deed swap would swap out land that has great value to the public of Hamilton County with land that is much farther away and is not close at all to most of Hamilton County. I don't even know where McDonald Farm is and couldn't find it in Google maps. I strongly urge the leaders of Hamilton County to put the kabosh on this ill-planned land swap and keep ESNP as is. Please focus on reclaiming and reusing already zoned industrial areas for new industrial development.</p>	
					oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-11-02T01:49:06.762Z	***** Danielle			*** Yes	I think Enterprise South is the much better solution. Especially as it won't impact any trails or nature areas. McDonald Farm is not conducive to industrial facilities. As there is already established industry in the Enterprise South area this would fit in without any problem.	
2025-11-02T01:43:28.740Z	Marie			Yes	PRESERVE PRESERVE PRESERVE	
					I think the nature park is a real jewel of the county. I would hate to see even more of the adjacent land go to industrial development.	
2025-11-02T01:31:15.820Z	***** Avery			*** Yes	<p>The poor handling of this matter has caused deep mistrust on the part of the public along with a tremendous public outcry in opposition. I was dismayed to learn of the plan to swap of deed restrictions from Enterprise South to McDonald Farm. Both of these areas should be protected. Regardless of intentions, state officials seem to have supported this change in writing prior to any feedback from the public. I respectfully remind you that elected officials work for their constituents.</p> <p>The development of the area of Enterprise South in question would be a detriment to ESNP by impacting trails, wildlife habitats, and the general peace of the area. Additionally, adjacent residents would be negatively impacted by loss of privacy, peace, and property value.</p> <p>I have heard it suggested that it "might never be developed". There is no reason for a deed swap if this is the case.</p> <p>I urge you to listen to your constituents and abandon this destructive plan.</p>	
					I wholeheartedly oppose the plan to bulldoze sections of Enterprise South Nature Park.	
2025-11-02T01:18:04.697Z	***** Brittany			*** Yes	<p>this swap and disappointed at the shortsightedness shown by the county. From the numerous events throughout the year to the time I've spent with loved ones and</p> <p>As someone who has used and enjoyed the space at Enterprise South for years, including the trails that would be impacted by this proposals, I am wholly opposed to friends on the trail, it makes me feel incredibly frustrated that this plan was implemented with zero input beforehand from the community. The purchase of property at</p> <p>McDonald was one of many failures by county leaders and their inability to come up with a scheme to monetize that property does not justify destroying any part of the most visited recreational space in the county. The plan makes even less sense factored with the recent layoffs at VW. If the existing commercial space is not even being used to capacity, in what reality does it make sense to destroy public space only for it to sit un-utilized.</p>	
2025-11-02T01:19:48.994Z	Elliott			Yes	I oppose the land swap.	
2025-11-02T01:10:05.150Z	Courtney			Yes	I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land	
2025-11-02T01:09:28.004Z					I OPPOSE this deed swap and any industry at the ESNP.	
	Bethany				I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-11-02T00:35:38.676Z	Julie			Yes	I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-11-02T00:34:08.432Z	Richard			Yes	I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-11-02T00:34:08.432Z	Janice			Yes	If all recreation areas in Enterprise South are in fact preserved, this seems to be a good compromise. However, early reports said that the majority of the forest would be bulldozed for commercial use. This would be a travesty for an area that has already removed the beauty and nature of East Brainerd.	
	Cindy				I oppose!	
					I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-11-02T00:34:08.432Z	***** Cindy			*** Yes	The purchase of McDonald farm was a mistake by the county in the first place. The land swap proposal is another mistake to try and rectify the first and to appease those wanting to save McDonald farm. McDonald farm should stand in its own merits and should depend on loosing acreage at Enterprise South Nature Park for it to survive.	
					Oppose	
2025-11-01T23:10:32.200Z	Jeff			Yes	<p>I highly oppose this land swap and would like to see Enterprise South Nature Park left as it is, our federally protected park!!</p> <p>purchased by a former City Mayor and was supposed to be used as for manufacturing! You have one manufacturing company on this site as we speak!</p> <p>We have land</p> <p>We have other areas in our city and in Hamilton County that can be used as industrial manufacturing! One example is the old Boon Hysinger property that was available off of Hickory Valley Road as well between Discovery Drive and Hwy 58 that can be used for manufacturing and you already have infrastructure in place!! Look</p> <p>around our county and use other areas that already have infrastructure in place before you destroy a Nature Park that all citizens of this county use as well as citizens visiting our great city!!</p>	
2025-11-01T23:04:51.690Z	Carolyn J			Yes	I'm opposed to the proposed land swap and any industry at Enterprise South. It's a wonderful place to walk and bike, and it saves all the wildlife that have been basically kicked out of the surrounding area, where everything has been overbuilt!	
2025-11-01T23:02:03.598Z	Rodney			Yes	I oppose lifting of the deed restrictions. More Hamilton county citizens utilize the land in and around esnp than will use McDonald farm. Additionally	

					the change will have a negative impact on property values in the around surrounding esnp.	
2025-11-01T22:59:18.668Z	Steve			Yes	Moved here 7 years ago. Few things in Hamilton County are as well done as Enterprise South. It would be foolish to alter the park as has been proposed. My wife and I hike here. My son in law bikes on the trails including the one being threatened.	
2025-11-01T22:59:43.880Z 2025-11-01T22:52:46.335Z	*****yle			Yes	Trading land between Enterprise South and McDonald Farm does not benefit the community. Enterprise South is accessible to a vast majority of residents in Hamilton County and provides access to trails and other recreation that is ideal for all ages, with the youngest benefiting from the maintained trails, to the most experienced mountain bikers. McDonald Farm is too far out of the way to provide those same benefits to the community.	
					I oppose this land deed swap and any lifting of protection of the park.	
2025-11-01T22:59:40.590Z	Kyle			Yes	My family and I have used Enterprise frequently and appreciate living in a county that values nature and the environment. As a result I strongly oppose lifting any environmental protections on Enterprise park and any other undeveloped land.	
2025-11-01T22:50:47.730Z	David			Yes	We have greatly supported you as our mayor. This land swap is questionable. If the Sale Creek property doesn't want development don't offer the developer a property near us. We love our area of the county, too. We want to continue to support you.	
2025-11-01T22:29:07.015Z	Carolyn			Yes	We strongly oppose the "deed swap". Enterprise Park is a wonderful resource which is enjoyed by many. Converting part of it for industrial use would be tragic.	
2025-11-01T22:27:39.980Z	Jennifer			Yes	I STRONGLY OPPOSE the deed swap between Enterprise South and McDonald Farm. I oppose disturbing and or swapping land that is protected. I oppose the tax burden the value of my home, my community and my peace. As a homeowner of Hunter Village I will not be able to escape the negative impact of this decision. In 2026 I will of cleaning up the land of Enterprise South which once was the land of TNT. I oppose the negative impact this deed swap will bring to the wild life and nature, my health, have a complete physical. I will keep records of my health as proof of any negative impact this deed swap and industrial growth will bring to my health for a class action lawsuit if necessary.	
2025-11-01T22:16:07.040Z 2025-11-01T22:16:07.555Z	*****Daren			Yes	neighborhoods in that area (Hunter Village, Flagstone, Country Village and Twin Oaks). This represents well over 1,200 homes, and many more people. Disturbing the I OPPOSE the land swap deal with Enterprise South Nature Park and the McDonald farm. This would negatively impact both the nature park, and the surrounding land at Enterprise South will release all kinds of toxins into the air from its previous use as a T-N-T plant during WWII. People using the Nature Park can come and go at will, but the individuals living in the neighborhoods listed above cannot flee the pollution, noise, and traffic that will come with the development of that land into manufacturing use. I OPPOSE this land swap deal.	
2025-11-01T22:12:31.900Z	Sondra			Yes	I love enterprise South and use it run the trails. Great area to preserve.	
					I am opposed to any deed changes, land swaps or further industrial development at Enterprise South.	
2025-11-01T22:11:41.040Z 2025-11-01T22:09:30.200Z	*****Kris			Yes	refuge, and sanctuary for people and wildlife within a jungle of concrete, asphalt, heat, traffic, and over development. No number of jobs will make this ok. If you want Hello, I'm writing to vehemently oppose the conversion of any part of Enterprise South Park to anything, much less industry. This is a crown jewel of the area, a retreat, jobs, open more schools, hire more teachers, improve existing infrastructure and roads. Keep our City in a Park!	
					I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-11-01T22:07:36.071Z	Maria			Yes	natural recreation, a home for wildlife and wildflowers, a buffer to the sight and noise of passing cars, and a resource for combatting climate change. We need to do I don't want any of the land set aside for the Enterprise South Nature Park to be swapped or repurposed. Those beautiful woodlands are irreplaceable as a site for more to preserve our woods and trees, not destroy them, to keep the beauty and character of the place where we live. Our county should preserve and protect both Enterprise South and the McDonald Farm, and go even farther to purchase more sites for the people's enjoyment of the natural world and conservation of native wildlife and plants. Once gone, they would be gone forever, and they are too precious to lose.	
2025-11-01T22:06:00.000Z 2025-11-01T22:05:12.044Z	*****Deborah			Yes	magnitude. I oppose disturbing the land of Enterprise South which WILL negatively impact our health due to pollution from the old TNT site. To clean this land will be a I OPPOSE the deed swap between Enterprises South and McDonald farm. I oppose bringing more Industry into Ooltewah. Our community cannot handle growth of this tax burden for our community. I oppose the noise, lights, and traffic that will come if industry is brought to Enterprise South. I oppose disturbing Enterprise south eco system, destroying the home off wildlife and nature. I oppose being lied to when I was told that the land of Enterprise South was protected land and could never and would never be built on only to find out that this is your plan. I oppose the way that this was planned and carried out behind our back without consulting us first and listening to our concerns. I want those who use the park to be able to continue to do so. However they can come and go at will. For the homeowners of Hunter Village, Flagstone, Country Village and Twin Oaks we will never be able to escape the wreckage created by bringing industry into Enterprise South. Our home values will plummet while our health is comprised by this decision. PLEASE do not tamper with Enterprise South. PLEASE do not bring industry into Enterprise South. PLEASE protect my health and my home. Thank you.	
					I oppose any industry backing up to any residential neighborhood. I oppose the lights, noise, and traffic.	
2025-11-01T22:02:16.370Z	Travis			Yes	Please do not take land from our beloved enterprise south. Having lived in this community for over 15 years, I can count on more than two hands how many times I have count on one fingerless hand the amount of times I have been to McDonald farms. enjoyed the serene nature of ES knowing, and the silence such a large wooded area provides. Its closeness to town is a great resource for many suburban families. I can Thank you for the consideration!	
2025-11-01T21:50:18.040Z	Elen			Yes	The Aebig household is against using any part of the nature park for an industrial park. This park is a resource for community activities,nature,outdoor activities, etc. if you take any part of this beautiful nature park for the greedy corporations and politicians, you are taking away the health and happiness of this community. Not to mention, the probable pollution and disturbance of the ecosystem of the nature park we are against this deep swap	
2025-11-01T21:27:56.790Z	Charles			Yes	I OPPOSE the land deed swap with Enterprise South Nature Park and McDonald Farm. This will significantly impact in a negative way both Enterprise South Nature Park AND many of the neighborhoods immediately surrounding Enterprise South (Hunter Village especially). We DO NOT want this decision to be approved.	
2025-11-01T21:19:35.864Z	Alecia			Yes	city. It would help us all understand, I think, if we knew WHAT YOUR INTENTION WITH THE LAND as ESNP is. I think you also need yo make use of all the different unused	

					I absolutely OPPOSE this land "swap." I've lived in different parts of Ooltewah my entire life. I can't believe y'all are even trying this after declaring Chattanooga a national park industrial areas around here first before taking away from what's supposed to be protected land. Thank you for the attention to this matter.	
2025-11-01T21:12:49.763Z	Daniel			Yes	the cost of land used by hundreds and thousands of Hamilton County residents every day. I do not appreciate the lies in which the county has attempted to obfuscate I strongly oppose the sale or otherwise change in usage of Enterprise South Nature Park land. This is a decision being made purely to enrich Hamilton County officials at this proposed land loss. Do your jobs and work for the residents of Hamilton County, not your own bank accounts.	
2025-11-01T21:06:10.387Z	Taylor			Yes	I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any and a wonderful place to live would be a tremendous mistake. Our land, the earth, is more precious than frivolous profit for men who already have hundreds of portion of Enterprise South Nature Park Land. Chattanooga is known for it's beauty of the outdoors and nature. Desecration of what makes Chattanooga so charming thousands of dollars. Do not forget, Jesus' warning that "life does not consist in an abundance of possessions". Plus Socrates once said that "he is richest who is content with the least"	
2025-11-01T21:00:39.042Z 2025-11-01T21:00:19.740Z	Linda			***Yes	Just having the current construction is taking a lovely place to live, chaotic with traffic, questionable persons coming through neighborhood. In addition the changes it I Oppose the deed to make Enterprise property to industrial construction. will be to the ecology balance. Again I OPPOSE!!!	
	Andrew				I OPPOSE this proposal.	
2025-11-01T21:00:00.000Z 2025-11-01T20:52:26.164Z	***Carol			***Yes	Eastern Hamilton County needs industry. The purchase of the McDonald Farm is a boondoggle ,if it is not at least half used for industry and jobs. ADDITIONALLY, BE TRANSPARENT!!! Show a detailed map of the Enterprise South property in question. I would expect restrictions would be placed on the types of industries placed in Enterprise South. No loud or overnight operations if located any where near neighborhoods! I OPPOSE THIS "TRADE"!!!	
					I oppose any development at Enterprise South. There is no valid reason other than greed.	
2025-11-01T20:52:11.517Z	Amy			Yes	Really? You need more feedback? Why? So you can try to hear what you want to hear? We've told you to leave Enterprise South alone already - just do it!	
2025-11-01T20:52:29.531Z	***Melissa Ann			***Yes	management. There's still plenty of industrial land at ES. There are other ways to preserve the land at McDonald Farm. There's no good reason to destroy ESNP in order Please cancel plans to remove/swap the conservation easement at ESNP. This would set a troubling precedent and create huge distrust in well settled land to preserve McDonald Farm. The long term beauty of ESNP is worth sacrificing any gain from creating more industrial land. I think the community is in favor of making that sacrifice. BTW the introductory paragraph above is not truthful. A good example of "government speak."	
2025-11-01T20:31:53.047Z	Antonice			Yes	I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land. Protect ESNP.	
2025-11-01T20:10:25.003Z	Tim			Yes	STOP DESTROYING OUR NATURE PARKS THANK YOU	
2025-11-01T20:06:50.007Z	Melissa			Yes	Oppose	
2025-11-01T20:06:18.688Z	Mark			Yes	I oppose any change to the Enterprise South nature park. It needs to be completely protected. No deed swap!!!!	
2025-11-01T20:02:50.094Z				Yes	I do not want the transfer of deed restrictions between McDonald Farm and Enterprise South Nature Park to go through..	
2025-11-01T19:48:43.754Z	****Zack			Yes	I OPPOSE this deed swap and any industry at the ESNP.	
2025-11-01T19:48:02.728Z	Tangela			Yes	I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-11-01T19:44:38.894Z	Scott			Yes	I oppose the land swap and any development of Enterprise South Nature Park.	
					I OPPOSE	
2025-11-01T19:43:06.476Z	Elan			Yes	Enterprise South Nature Park is an incredible place and very conveniently close to hundreds of homes and families that use it. Enterprise is shaded, which offers a lovely break from the summer heat, and fully protected by forest and peaceful trees from the noise and hustle of the local businesses. We regularly visit for walks, hikes, and for the best dog park anywhere in Chattanooga. Shaded, spacious, with running water. Enterprise had been expanding - disc golf, dog park, etc. with a goal of growing more. It has so much potential for incredible growth, but this new plan would put a stop to that. Enterprise would lose its peaceful buffer from the world. The way this plan was gone about is destroying public trust in local leadership. Some of who are up for reelection. The announcement came as a huge shock to our outdoor community. This is a safe park, filled with walking mothers and children, just 10 min from countless neighborhoods. Neighborhoods that don't offer sidewalks or parks. There is no park like it anywhere close by. As the neighborhoods the Hunter rd multiply, I would love to see enterprise nature park expand, not shrink. It will be used and loved by more and more. McDonald farm is not close by. It does not offer the same benefits. And errors on the part of the county for acquiring it can not be undone by trading it for a dearly loved park that is much closer for many of us.	
2025-11-01T19:41:00.732Z 2025-11-01T18:41:20.455Z	***Kenny			***Yes	To whom it may concern, Please reconsider the proposal to reduce the footprint of Enterprise South. Preserves like this one encourage healthy lifestyles and access to nature improves mental well being. In turn, this leads to a happier and more productive community. Industry is important, but not when it is a detriment to the community's health and happiness.	
					I Oppose	
2025-11-01T18:40:04.047Z 2025-11-01T18:40:37.057Z	***Jennifer			Yes	"The concept would simply exchange certain deed restrictions to give future community leaders and residents greater flexibility, should they ever decide it is necessary." Sounds like the deed swap would open enterprise trails up to future development potential.	

2025-11-01T18:40:10.285Z	Rita			Yes	I Oppose the land swap and and industry at ESNP	
					I OPPOSE!	
2025-11-01T18:39:41.508Z	Michael			Yes	I oppose the transfer of deed restrictions between McDonald Farm and Enterprise South Nature Park. This plan fails to bring substantial jobs to Sale Creek, and the promise of "permanent preservation" is meaningless if this proposal is enacted.	
2025-11-01T18:34:38.847Z	Lindsey			Yes	permanent natural refuge, a rare green space where people can experience quiet, wildlife, and recreation close to the city. Removing deed protections there, even for I OPPOSE the proposed deed swap and industrial development at Enterprise South Nature Park. Enterprise South was created and promised to the public as a industrial use elsewhere, breaks that promise and sets a dangerous precedent for future conservation lands. While protecting McDonald Farm is important, it should not come at the expense of an existing park already valued by thousands of residents. Industrial development brings noise, traffic, and pollution. All incompatible with the park's purpose and the surrounding neighborhoods. True conservation means preserving what we already have, not trading one natural space for another. Hamilton County should pursue industrial opportunities on already developed or underused land instead of carving into a nature park.	
2025-11-01T18:23:37.260Z	— Zachary			— Yes	I oppose the deed swap and any industrial development at Enterprise South Nature Park. There is absolutely no reason for this to be an either or situation. Both properties can be saved.	
2025-11-01T18:23:865Z	Cody			Yes	I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-11-01T18:19:38.046Z	Kari			Yes	I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-11-01T18:18:23.121Z				Yes	This is the backyard to my subdivision and I am not wanting any more industrial in this area	
2025-11-01T18:09:51.254Z	— Heidi			Yes	I OPPOSE the proposed land swap and any industry at ESNP. Leave enterprise south alone!	
					I oppose!	
2025-11-01T18:09:56.399Z	Derrick			— Yes	I would like the opportunity to ask why at least bow hunting isn't allowed on county property in rural areas. with the amount of diseases coming into our area with deer would it not make sense to hunt the population down.	
2025-11-01T18:04:38.184Z	— Madison			Yes	It sickens me that this desecration of nature would even be considered. Please get your hearts in order!	
					I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-11-01T18:03:02.948Z	— Erik			— Yes	We are being fed a false equivalency. The county can preserve both Macdonald Farm and ESNP. Let nature be nature. Trees, clean air, a lack of air and water pollution has their own intrinsic values.	
2025-11-01T18:01:46.765Z	Laura			Yes	I oppose this transfer, I think we should preserve Enterprise South Nature Park.	
2025-11-01T17:58:13.357Z	Casey			Yes	I oppose this deed swap and lifting protections on any portion of Enterprise South Nature Park land.	
2025-11-01T17:47:16.676Z	Sarah			Yes	I OPPOSE THIS DECISION	
					I oppose this deed swap and any industry at the ESNP.	
2025-11-01T18:00:48Z	— Christina			— Yes	happen, a voter and a taxpayer. I strongly oppose the deed swap and any industry at the ESNP. There are other places to do this. I am a Hamilton resident, I, home owner who will be affected if ruined to We don't and this!	
					I OPPOSE 100%	
2025-11-01T16:32:28.250Z	Stephen			Yes	I ride, walk, and even hammock on the Atlas and Sunshine trail. I walk the roads and trails with my dog and wife. 3-4 times a week. Deforestation of the outer property will increase noise and pollution. It is a bad plan.	
2025-11-01T16:19:47.397Z	DaDe			— Yes	and never to be built on. And current elected leaders who are trying to lie to the public doing deals behind our backs that only benefit their wallets while trying to spin it I live in the affected area of Flagstone where ESNP will be built on. I OPPOSE this swap and feel lied to and betrayed by our city officials past who said it was protected into how it will save McDonald farm which they already own. But the truth is, they spent way too much money on unbuildable land. Now they're trying to destroy our nature park to provide land for industries without any regard to how this affects the wildlife and people in the area.	
2025-11-01T15:49:41.694Z	— Jake			Yes	I believe all the land in question should be preserved for our future to have access to without worry.	
2025-11-01T15:42:26.351Z	John			Yes	If park gets demolished, not voting for Wamps again.	
					I oppose this.	
2025-11-01T15:41:31.463Z	Angela			Yes	around here. If you take it away, those animals will have nowhere to go. Taking away. That land also takes away the buffer that keeps the park so peaceful. It's an amazing My family and I really love the Enterprise South Nature Park. We go there all the time. I really value it as part of our community. There aren't many refuges left for animals park. Please don't take it from us!	
2025-11-01T15:25:26.038Z	— Jessica			— Yes	ESNP is a haven. Industrializing this area would be a huge disservice to people and animals. It'd be a disruption to an entire ecosystem. Build elsewhere.	
					I am OPPOSED to the transfer of deed restrictions between McDonald Farm and Enterprise South Nature Park. Our park is not for sale.	

2025-11-01T15:17:28.184Z	Heather				I would like to see Enterprise Nature Park remain as it is now. I believe our county government can find a way to balance business development interests while preserving the natural environment that makes our county special. Thank you all for the work you do and for giving residents this online platform to comment!	
2025-11-01T15:12:35.145Z	chris			Yes	NO. 100% Appose	
2025-11-01T14:51:23.167Z	Christian			Yes	Do not continue with this land swap. The enterprise south nature park is highly utilized by myself, my family, and by the community. The McDonald farm track is significantly further away for my and many people and will not offer the same recreational and mental benefits of getting away to enterprise south nature park.	
2025-11-01T14:50:19.420Z	Evan			Yes	I do not support the sale of enterprise south. Develop other land. We have plenty of old business buildings and factories to demolish and build new projects on. Why are getting rid of public parks to build new project on? It's stupid, irresponsible to the environment, and goes against the whole state park city marketing campaign we pushed to get more tourism and make this place a hotter destination on the map. Do better	
2025-11-01T14:51:51.772Z	Zack			Yes	I think it is absolutely abhorrent that this would even be considered. Instead Weston Wamp tried to make this happen without any consideration. The Enterprise South Park should be expanded, and at the very least preserved.	
2025-11-01T14:02:18.371Z	Sarah			Yes	I am opposed to industrial development on the land occupied by Enterprise Park. This is an important green space to the community, and any transition to industrial development should not be approved without public buy in. Moving forward with this plan would be in direct opposition to the desires of your constituents	
2025-11-01T13:37:59.137Z	Simone			Yes	exploding area of growth. Densely packing industry into a single area increases pollution, traffic, and diminishes the use beyond what the county can promise to I oppose developing enterprise south any further. Enterprise south is a unique opportunity to preserve nature and recreation for a large number of people in an already preserve. Not only does it shrink the habitat but it will also diminish the quality of nature in ways the county isn't currently considering. Such as increased water and air pollution, reduced storm water capacity, increased noise and activity that disturbs wildlife and residents in the area -- and goes beyond just a number of acreage. Once a wooded area gets developed there's almost no chance it will ever go back to being wild again. It is one of our rarest and most precious resources in cities and provides incalculable value to residents and the county in the form of health, mental health, community, and ecotourism benefits as well as being an attractive feature for families and reducing crime. It is a false option to say we have to give up land at enterprise south to preserve land elsewhere. The better option is to invest in revitalizing brown space and look for areas to invest in in soddy daisy that are already ecologically far more damaged to encourage healthy supportive growth for communities that can be positively impacted by both a tourism investment AND a business investment for a community that, historically, has needed those investments.	
2025-11-01T13:40:080Z 2025-11-01T13:32:19.030Z	*** Peter			*** Yes	constituents, and the county will lose millions of dollars in tourism. Not to mention the blight residents will suffer as their property values drop. As a voter, I ask that the I strongly oppose this land swap. The county should stop pursuing this and stop wasting taxpayers resources. This is fiscally irresponsible, hugely unpopular with county cease action on this land swap immediately.	
2025-11-01T13:23:46.625Z	Alan			Yes	America has been exponentially sliding away from the beauty it was founded on. I am vehemently against this step in that slide.	
					Please provide a detailed plan. Would like to better understand exactly what will happen at Enterprise South.	
2025-11-01T13:23:49.000Z 2025-11-01T13:22:32.655Z	*** Derrick			*** Yes	This "swap" is the kind of garbage that makes people distrust and dislike politicians. There is no need for a swap. There's no need to develop a huge parcel of our as a nature-loving, outdoor city. That nature-focused ethos is what makes it a great place to live. Destroying trails, destroying habitat for our natural Tennessee wildlife, beautiful county to serve the need of some unnamed corporate entity who has undoubtedly made a back room deal with county leadership. Chattanooga is being sold disturbing cemeteries, and crowding the remaining portion of Enterprise South with unending construction is a huge disruption to the good people of Hamilton County. It is a disservice to the citizens. It also begs the question: where will it end? For now it's 1/3. What's protecting the other 2/3? We know you're here to exploit our public spaces for your own private profit, and it's finally out in the open. Greed never ends, and the current county leadership won't be happy until they've cut down every tree in the county to build their own pile of cash.	
2025-11-01T13:15:30.937Z	Zak			Yes	Do not touch Enterprise South Park. No one wants the land swap.	
					there is not a plan here to respond to.	
2025-11-01T12:51:25.026Z	Cathleen			Yes	Leave Enterprise South Nature Park, as is. This location is perfect for the community. There is so much to do there and the beauty and peacefulness is beyond words. This is what the people want. LISTEN to the people.	
2025-11-01T12:43:27.814Z	Wade			Yes	Do not alter Enterprise South! Do not reduce the conserved area! Also conserve McDonald Farm! Find somewhere else to put your industrial zone!	
2025-11-01T12:44:04.040Z 2025-11-01T12:27:11.740Z	*** Andrew			*** Yes	that you all want to overtake. More people live in that area and utilize that space a years than driving north Hamilton county with less of a population. We are a national Leave enterprise alone period. It's a great centralized location in Hamilton county where many residents live and have easy access to the park including the atlas trail park city leave the trails alone and green space. Infact we need more green spaces instead of empty business buildings and apartments and condos. So at least put green spaces and trails at McDonald's farms bc north Hamilton county has nothing.	
2025-11-01T11:48:00.881Z	Laura			Yes	I urge support of Enterprise South and the area around it. McDonald Farm does not offer the same benefits.	
					Do not take away mtn biking from my husband and kids at enterprise south. Please. They enjoy it.	
2025-11-01T10:59:17.200Z	Jeff			Yes	No deed restrictions need be lifted. No land swaps. The county must live with the poor choice to tell us the farm would be for industrial development when it isn't financially feasible. Do not take part of a park that was saved as such. Leave them both as natural, outdoor recreation spaces or trusts.	

2025-11-01T10:37:48.318Z	Tammy		Yes	<p>I voted for you. I thought that voting republican would always ensure caring for Hamilton county constituents. I thought we would be represented. I've learned a lot through a few things. Lee Helton represents my area. He's used similar tactics of spin to not only pad his own pockets as a builder but his friends as well. I moved to this house with a toddler and pregnant in 2010. I cannot wait to move out of this county, and it's our goal. Our area has been overrun with roads that do I support what the county has allowed due to irresponsible growth. What used to be a 20 min drive to work is now double that. I watched True Value go out of business due to the constant one lane highway road work that has continued to happen - over 2 years now. Hundreds of more houses being built right now by McCoy. Over by ESNP hundreds of homes stand to drop in value by what you are proposing and will likely do since no one is listening. I'm all for growth as a life long republican. People need jobs. I work in finance and understand all of it very well; however, I'm disappointed that the spin here is pointing fingers at the TFP and even using what the democrats did during COVID "misinformation." Stop it with the blaming and using the same rhetoric they did. Open up that you were trying to get this done and likely did without public awareness. We moved here due to Volkswagen. My husband is an engineer. You need to be more focused on Germany pulling out of Chattanooga in the next 5-10 years than developing more untouched land. There's land already developed that could be used and as far as roads go, that's the cost of unchecked development. I sat in a county commissioner meeting and heard David Sharpe say we build the homes all on top of each other first because we need the tax dollars. The infrastructure comes later. Irresponsible. That's the trend of this county government.</p> <p>I know every inch of the park. What you are proposing isn't right for what the land was intended and deeded. I really hope this fails completely and that before my taxpayer dollars are used to purchase McDonald farm someone would think to examine it before purchase. To say it's for industrial and then back pedal it's not suited is irresponsible government. Proposing to land swap as a fix for the mistake is even worse.</p> <p>I'm speaking up because I'm really disappointed in what's unfolding in this county, and Weston Wamp is the leader. Leadership comes with a price... and that is I will never vote for people with this mindset ever again. I will do my own due diligence and if I have to cross party lines from now on.</p>	
				I don't want Hamilton County to touch it. The Panning Commissioners, County Commissioners etc are destroying Hamilton County	
2025-11-01T10:30:18.881Z	Mark		Yes	<p>the current BEAUTIFUL walking, kicking, biking, and picnicking trails close to developed areas. There is currently a sufficient buffer between the forest and the adjacent</p> <p>I am 100% opposed to more industrial development so close to the eastern and northern borders of the former ammunition plant. Hamilton County is LUCKY to have industry. McDonald Farms is sufficiently large enough to support both a major industrial park, and a family hiking, recreational use area. We do not need more industrial sites close to I-75 and the dense residential areas surrounding Enterprise South.</p>	
2025-11-01T10:21:42.216Z	Jeremy		Yes	Develop McDonald Farm for industrial use to the fullest extent possible. We are out of space to attract employers needing industrial space and the county spent \$16MM to acquire the farm to have options. It is essential for our future to develop the farm in that way and not waste taxpayer dollars.	
2025-11-01T08:04:24.196Z	Maureen		Yes	NO. Mayor Wamp and others, read the social media to your own posts, did deeper into groups online and you'll see it is overwhelming a bad idea! 9000 petitions signed in 3 weeks... and still growing. You are not listening....	
2025-11-01T04:34:50.194Z	Leigh		Yes	Enterprise South is a gem in our city. We hike it all the time. Our child has grown up hiking those trails. I can't imagine it becoming industry. It is so saddening to our quality of life.	
2025-11-01T02:39:22.997Z	Johanna		Yes	Leave both McDonald Farm and Enterprise south as is. There are plenty of empty and abandoned lots from previous businesses throughout Hamilton county that can be repurposed for new development. For example the lot behind the Waffle House off exit 11 (I believe there used to be a Krystal's there) is just sitting abandoned and looking ugly.	
2025-11-01T01:07:09.000Z 2025-11-01T01:39:57.952Z	Amber T		Yes	I ride the paved roads in ESNP on a regular basis. The plans show those will not be impacted. The county has VERY FEW safe paved roads, trails, and bicycle lanes. I suggest that the county should look to what is available in the southwest Denver area as a model of what could be done here.	
				Leave them both alone	
2025-11-01T01:07:09.000Z 2025-10-31T23:04:39.236Z	Rebecca		Yes	Build McDonald farm was bought to build on. You can build partly on it to build area up. Enterprise already has enough over growth and congestion. Keep Enterprise just like it is.	
	Elizabeth			Not every piece of property needs to be developed. Leave McDonald Farm alone.	
2025-10-31T22:27:30.019Z	Linda		Yes	my entire family. Please let us keep something so precious and place focus elsewhere on unused property. Ooltewah has become way too overrun with development	
				I have been going to Enterprise South since it opened and have walked, biked, drove through just about every inch of the park! It has been a priceless respite for me and it's not even recognizable. My husband has lived in Ooltewah his entire life and I have been here for nearly 40 years! Go find a quiet spot inside the park, sit a minute, and ask yourself how could I destroy this???????	
2025-10-31T22:22:32.434Z	Courtney		Yes	It should absolutely not be transferred. McDonald's farm has the room and the capacity for such an endeavor. Enterprise South is the only greenway and preserve in Ooltewah.	
2025-10-31T22:22:02.116Z	Samuel		Yes	<p>As a resident that backs up to the proposed area for development, I can't stress enough how opposed to this I am. First off the area in question that had the atlas trail and old cemetery are the most logical for development due to the more level terrain. Having heard that there are other areas for development would mean industry closer to my residence and lower property values. Industry also brings the added drawback of possible light pollution and chemical pollutants that may cause unwanted odors or</p> <p>possibly pose harm to residents. The displaced woodland area would also cause more flooding risk which is a worry due to the terrain in our area. I didn't spend hundreds of thousands of dollars on one of the largest investments in my life time, my home, to have the value drop due to being sandwiched in between the interstate and an industrial complex. We chose to settle in this house due to the proximity to the remote park and wooded area around us knowing the land deed had restrictions on development. To remove the deed restrictions would not only directly impact us, but it would also set a precedent on doing so to other areas. Making the vice president of the North Chickamauga Creek Conservancy, I actually am a conservationist. I work with the county in creating parks and green spaces and giving Hamilton county green space to benefit the residents of this area for future generations to come. To have deed restrictions removed from areas meant for conservation, is a slap in the face to organizations like ours and make us wary of future land donations to the county. In closing, my public input is against any deed restrictions removals. I applaud your efforts to try and conserve other areas of Hamilton County, but that does not mean we need to remove restrictions already in place that would possibly lower my property values and negatively affect mine and my families personal wellbeing.</p>	
2025-10-31T22:08:55.032Z	Jesse		Yes	Please don't do anything with Enterprise South. It is one of the great outdoor parks we have in this city for biking, hiking, disc golf and more. It is also one of the only good parks for all these things close to Ooltewah, Harrison, Brainerd and east Brainerd. Chattanooga is a National park city so we shouldn't be looking at getting rid of one of the best outdoor spaces the city has. The city is already starting to ruin the river gorge with all the sewage they dump in it	
2025-10-31T22:08:55.032Z	Zachary		Yes	existing parks. That's ridiculous and you know it. Sell out somewhere else, there's plenty of empty industrial space. This is a wildly unpopular proposal. You have an I do NOT support the proposed swap between Enterprise and McDonald. It's great that you want to preserve more park land for the community, but not at the expense of obligation to your constituents. Voters are watching.	

	Ashley				Leave Enterprise South 100% alone. No one wants this. While you're at it, the tree of life park could use some love as well.	
2025-10-31T20:40:47.589Z 2025-10-31T20:40:47.589Z	Yann Randall			Yes	<p>children here, I am very concerned of the potential rezoning of enterprise south that directly impacts our home. Not only the potential loss of protected land our While it's continuously been stated that "recreational spaces" in enterprise south will not be effected, I as a resident of the flagstone community raising 3 young neighborhood backs up to, pushing wildlife into our already overdeveloped and chaotic streets. I'm worried of the unknown health hazards that come with industrial runoff and waste into our ground and environment where my children live and play. I'm worried we are only caring about money and growth, versus the future of quality of life for our children. Ooltewah has been destroyed by overdevelopment. Our local schools are overcrowded and underserved. Growth is normal, and great but what has been going on in Hamilton county has been irresponsible. The people have not been heard in our concerns. If there is one thing you truly take the time to hear out is that enterprise south should not be touched.</p>	
					would love to see McDonald Farm protected and turned into a park	
2025-10-31T20:22:17.019Z	Gary			Yes	<p>Nature Park. The concept would simply exchange certain deed restrictions to give future community leaders and residents greater flexibility, should they ever decide it You stated, "It is important to remember that despite widespread misinformation, no changes to the current recreational use are being proposed to Enterprise South is necessary." I think that is political double-speak. What it says to me is that there are no changes until the leaders change their mind and the intention is to attract some industries to the area using that property. Why else would you propose changing the deed restriction. I oppose changing the deed restrictions. I also wish to leave McDonald Farm as an agritourism site. Put the industry downtown instead of building housing along the river. That TIF is a loser and almost always has been in other municipalities. Wait on VW's option to develop the property adjacent to their site. You probably will have them cutting back or leaving anyway based on allowing the UAW to come in. A strike will almost guarantee it, in my opinion.</p>	
2025-10-31T20:09:17.778Z	Eddy			Yes	<p>I have enjoyed many of the events at the McDonalds Farm. The "development" will mean the permanent loss of agricultural land, open space, and scenic beauty that define the county's identity. Factories WILL affect wildlife habitats and local quality of life. The traffic, the noise and pollution also will make and impact. Lastly, if the factories close or relocate, the county could be left with vacant industrial land and cleanup costs.</p>	
2025-10-31T19:51:42.030Z	Dr Christie			Yes	<p>all can make an Amphitheater out at Ronald McDonald Farm where concerts can be hosted along with other fairs. This would be something neat for the County. There is Let's keep Enterprise just what it is, a park. Do not open the door for developers to come in and destroy what the city/county is built off, a National Park City. I think you also room for some sports facilities out there as well. I'm all for growth and change except for disturbing our parks with more development. The traffic is already terrible in the Bonny oaks area with the congestion and terrible driving from VW and Amazon workers let's not add on to that.</p>	
2025-10-31T19:51:34.540Z	Mark			Yes	<p>Please, please ensure the protection of the nature aspects and recreational opportunities at Enterprise South. It is extremely disappointing and disheartening that one of the area's first actions after receiving a National Park City designation is to remove the largest trail from our county's most popular and visited park at Enterprise South. This is also on the heels of our former mayor and Senator pointing out how important natural preservation and outdoor recreation are to our growth and identity. I was hopeful after reading the mayor's comments that the "industrial use would not interfere with the adjacent nature park." However, this unfortunately was not only misleading but seems to be a well-orchestrated lie. The county's renderings of the nature park and the proposed development conveniently removed the Atlas trail system from its maps to the public, and the office continues to emphasize that it will not impact the nature park (I believe Atlas may technically be an easement, allowing the office to intentionally misguide the public that it won't technically interfere with the park itself while removing its largest trail). While losing the park's largest trail is problematic, it is only the start of the concerns with this proposal. The other trails will now be surrounded by industrial development. Instead of looking around and seeing nature, users will get to see concrete, development and traffic – removing the natural element of the nature park. While gaining recreational opportunities at McDonald Farm is nice, it is not easily accessible or convenient for the county's population. A 50 minute one-way drive is hardly doable on an open Saturday, let alone a quick trip following a day at work. It is not a place families can access and enjoy. Please protect the public lands that make Hamilton County a gem. Stop trying to put the north part of the county against the southern portion. Enterprise South Nature Park is a fabulous place. Please don't allow your administration to come in and ruin it for future generations.</p>	
2025-10-31T19:35:40.054Z	Tim			Yes	<p>Open Green Space will become a more and more scarce resource in the future. Removing protections from any designated green space is the wrong direction, as these developing new land currently earmarked for recreation. The voters are watching. It will be very clear if the feedback that has been given loud and clear is ignored, and spaces were designated as such for a reason. Let's protect BOTH properties for years to come. Our focus should be on optimizing the already developed spaces, not we will remember at the polls.</p>	