

Thousands support R-1 zoning

A recent letter to the editor referred to supporters of R-1 at Ponte Vista as the "outrageous few," ("Looking for a few good leaders," Your Views, Sunday). If this is so, why then has the R Neighborhoods Are One movement gathered the support of the entire Rancho Palos Verdes City Council, more than 8,000 local petition signers and the current support of Councilwoman Janice Hahn? Clearly, this is not a fringe movement - it represents the will of the majority.

Not just average folks, but prominent members of both the San Pedro and Ranchos Palos Verdes communities support maintaining the present zoning of R-1 at Ponte Vista.

The writer of the aforementioned letter to the editor also references a litany of dead politicians and pompously implies they would have supported Bob Bisno's development. To this I say: Not so! This is 2007, not 1970, and responsible politicians do not support unbridled development that will destroy the character of a community.

Thankfully, Councilwoman Hahn has the vision and fortitude to demand Bisno develop the land responsibly.

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