

**From:** [Amanda M](#)  
**Subject:** Northpark Clean Air Act- Ozone & Loosened Standards  
**Date:** Thursday, December 4, 2025 12:11:49 PM

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Honorable Members of the Phoenix City Council,

I am writing today *in my personal capacity*. Although I serve as a board member of a local community organization, the views expressed in this letter are my own, grounded in deep concern about the future health, safety, and livability of the neighborhood I have called home for the past 16 years. Phoenix is where I was raised, where I have raised my children and where I had hoped to retire. I've poured countless hours into volunteering for my neighborhood, driven by the hope of making it a place where families genuinely want to live.

In a New York Times [article \[nytimes.com\]](#) published today, one passage stood out with particular urgency:

**"Last year, the Environmental Protection Agency notified Maricopa County, which includes Phoenix, that it intended to reclassify the local ozone threat as serious. That would have made it far harder for TSMC to gain Clean Air Act approvals. Under President Trump, the agency loosened its standards."**

This is not abstract. This is Phoenix. This is our air.

We already live in one of the most polluted air basins in the country. Many of us receive regular advisories telling us not to let our children play outside due to poor air quality. Yet the City is now considering a rezoning that would enable a more than 200-acre expansion of TSMC's industrial operations even closer to our homes & Sonoran Preserve.

This is reckless.

This is irresponsible.

And it is the opposite of what a non-partisan, community-focused city council is supposed to stand for.

The majority of this Council identifies as Democrats- leaders who have publicly committed to environmental responsibility, climate resilience, and public health. But zoning decisions like Northpark are where those commitments either become real or evaporate. When our neighborhoods are being asked to absorb enormous industrial impacts, the Council's duty is not to multinational corporations. Your duty is to the people breathing this air, walking these streets, and sending their children across these school crosswalks every day.

We deserve a city government that prioritizes:

- **The air we breathe over corporate convenience**

- **Safe streets and school crossings over foreign direct flight talking points**
- **The health of residents over lobbying pressure**
- **Transparent, community-centered planning over fast-tracked industrial expansion**

Voting NO on the Northpark rezoning is not anti-business. It is pro-responsibility, pro-public health, and pro-community. Growth can and should happen in Phoenix- but not at the expense of the well-being of thousands of families already living here.

Please demonstrate that this Council takes seriously its responsibility to protect the people of Phoenix. We are counting on you to stand with us and vote **against** the Northpark rezoning without substantial changes that protect our neighborhood and address our concerns.

Respectfully,

Amanda McGowan

From: [@northpark](#)  
To: [Adam S. Jacobson](#)  
Subject: A couple photos to consider  
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**Subject:** RE: A couple photos to consider  
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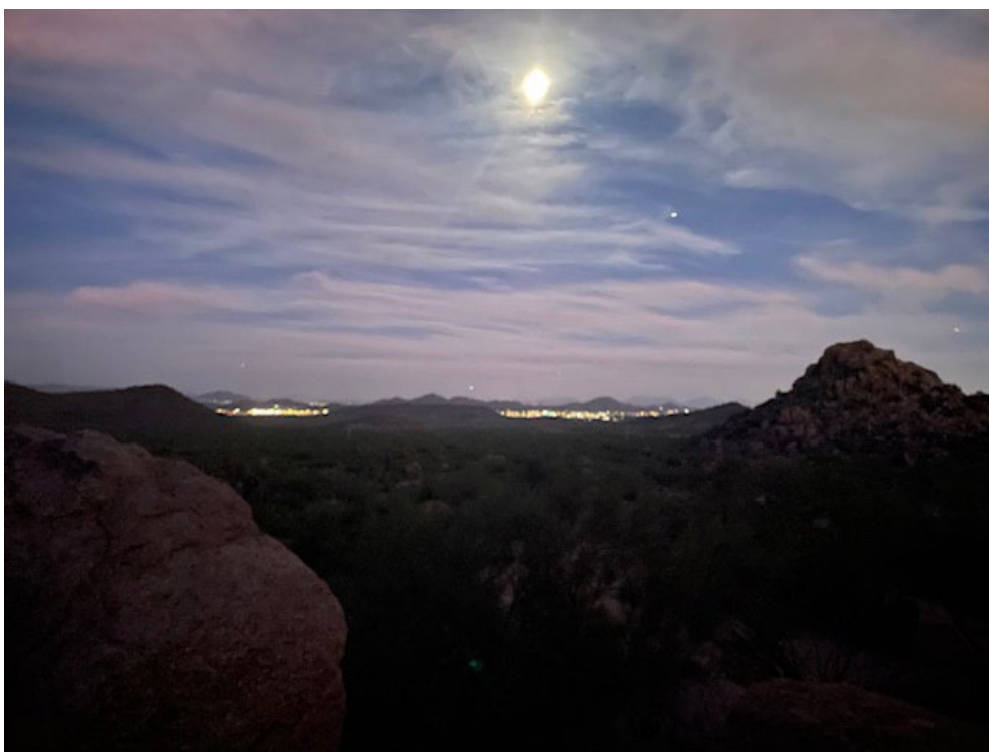
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Thank you for your email. I have saved it to the case file and it will be forwarded to the Planning Commission.

Best regards,

**Adrian Zambrano** *(he/him/his)*

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