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**Sent:** Tuesday, April 14, 2026 12:19 PM  
**To:** Joseph Stapleton  
**Cc:** kelsey@thumbsupmission.org; Katie G. Ahmed (Planning); Kaitlyn Elliott (Planning); Anael Dominguez (Administration)  
**Subject:** RE: Rezoning for Thumbs up Mission

Your public comment was received and will be forwarded to the Board of Commissioners for their review.

Thank you.

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Hello county board of commissioners,  
I went to express my support for the thumbs up mission regarding the rezoning request.

My wife and myself have been actively involved in the thumbs up mission for years. This organization does astounding work with people who suffer from cancer. We are very fortunate to be part of the program's and events thumbs up mission offered to those who desperately need support.

Thumbsup fortifies families where a parent or child is fighting cancer. Our focus is to battle fear by infusing hope, inspiring laughter, instilling and inspiring laughter in each family that is served. The organization offers events and retreats that are designed with the whole family in mind. The retreat schedule is a beautiful blend of unstructured "free time" for families to spend together and planned group activities. Weekend retreats are held and the roster includes between 70 and 90 families at each retreat.

This is an organization that should be considered very valuable to the Hall county community and hall county family as the organization continues to do its good works.  
Your consideration and support of the rezoning would provide valuable support to this wonderful organization!

Thank each of you for your consideration.

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