## Suburban Family CU expansion plans generate concerns, questions

Plans for Suburban Family Credit Union's expansion have generated both interest and

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The business, located on Grand River and Lakeway, plans to expand from 2,000 square feet to 5,000 square feet, including a drive-through.

Driveways are planned for both Grand River and Lakeway. Officials said two entrances on Grand River aren't possible.

"Traffic is so horrendous there now," said Helen Stuleck, a Lakeway resident. "We have all the high school traffic coming down that way, down Lakeway to Grand River."
Farmington City Manager

Cerns there for 30 years, Lauhoff said. It is significantly better this year during the day because the high school climinated open lunch hours (allowing students to leave the school building during the day)."
Brookdale has the same problem, he said.
"At 20 minutes after two, my windows rattle, with the boomboxes and the cars coming from the high school." Stulock said. "They don't crawl, they fly down."
Lauhoff said he hasn't

down."

Lauhoff said he hasn't received requests from residents for more attention, but the public safety department is willing

to help.
"I'm tired of complaining," Stulock said.

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Frank Lauhoff said traffic there

is "an historic problem"

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Stulock, who criticized the time
of the planning commission
study session held at 9 a.m. May
29. Typically, meetings are held
at 7 p.m. the second Monday of
the month.
Mike Smith, a Lakeway resident, said he took off work to

ham, who never showed up. David Russell, credit union manager, said he had no explanation. Cousins was expected to bring the landscape plans.
Russell said the credit union wants to upgrade and expand space, though not specifically to increase credit union membership.
Residents said Russell, not the city, told them about the study session.

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This is normally not for residents, "Lauhoff said. "We're centre," Lauhoff said. "We're centre," L

Smith presented a copy of the residents' written concerns. "I'm

going to hang onto this, Lauhoff said. "This isn't a meeting to deal with this kind of issue. This would be done at a public hearing. This is not a public hearing. This type of meeting doesn't were take input from citizens at this point. Since you're here, we do want to answer as many questions as we can."

The city favors both a larger berm and a masanry wall (similar to the one at the LOC Federal Credit Union on Farmington Road) which would back up to the residential area.

"As far as the city administration's point of view, there will be no leeway on this whatsoever," Lauhoff said. "Residents said they want to maintain their privacy as much as possible. I can't stand here from the city administration's point of view and say you can cut corners on that."

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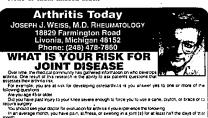
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