Every square inch

Re: "One more chance to deny Daybreak Oct. 23," Oct. 16:

A cursory look around the greater Reno-Sparks area makes clear that is what developers desire to exploit — every square inch — of undeveloped land in our communities.

Money is the goal as thousands of homes and other buildings are rapidly thrown up. And the voting majority of Reno's elected officials demonstrates its willingness to cave to such desires, rather than support their constituent's desires.

And now comes the "Daybreak" project, one that should have been summarily rejected at the outset for numerous deleterious reasons. But no, and as Elizabeth Stewart points out, we now face a second reading of that project because of a 4-to-3 vote of our acquiescent City Council.

Unbridled growth causes damages that can ruin a city. Orlando is a prime example. A smaller scale here for sure, but unbridled growth can ruin the essence of any city. "They" want every square inch.

Doyle Ruff, Reno