I write with a time-sensitive update to the proposed *Alta Mira Walled Community* development slated for Joshua Tree. We want you to know that, as of today, copies of San Bernardino County Planning Department’s “support documents” are posted on the [MBCA website](#).

On this MBCA website link you can review the support documents, read MBCA's assessments and learn how to register your comments to the County Planners.

*Attend the MAC meeting: Monday, Sept. 8th, 6:30 PM, Joshua Tree Community Center, 6171 Sunburst Ave., JT, CA 92252.*

*Learn more about the Alta Mira project & its implications!*

*Deadline for public comments: Friday, Sept. 12th, 5PM.*

*It’s critical to make our strong objections heard!*

*As reported earlier this week in MBCA E-Blast:*  
"Alta Mira Gated Community" is proposed by developers to consist of 248 single family houses, 40 multi-family units and a clubhouse on 105 acres surrounded by a wall with one unguarded gate entrance card activated by the residents.

The location on Sunny Vista Rd. surrounds Friendly Hills Elementary School to the North and West, to the West of Sunny Vista Rd. and to the North of Alta Loma Rd.

Fierce community opposition was voiced when the project became public in February, 2009 at the JT MAC meeting. The approximately 110 people in attendance voiced their strong opposition. After a 5-year hiatus, developers are now attempting a comeback.

Thanks again for your involvement and support.
Sarah Kennington,  
MBCA President