First of all I want to say Thank You to all the POSAC people who have worked so very hard, and provided so much information on the EBC trail system. We realize that it's not easy to go into a historical neighborhood where the neighbors have chosen to live there because they are adjacent to Open Space, that they feel will never be developed. However I realize this open space is public land that has every right, to be shared with the the public. We have dreamed of this land going through restoration, as it certainly needs it. And are thrilled that this is one of the goals of creating this trail system. But a parking lot in any of the locations mentioned would be a serious detriment to neighbors enjoyment of their own land. I would very much like to see Erie convinced that now is the time to put the parking lot on Jasper where many, including adjacent neighbors, have suggested. Erie would already have a parking lot in place when it was time to connect to BERT.

Also while there is much talk about where the parking lot should go Mike & I don't want it to go unnoticed that if the last portion of the trail heading east and ending on 119th remains on the north of the silo as proposed, then instead of us enjoying the very reason we bought this as our forever home we would now be waking up to people with a view of us. As our bedroom and bathroom would be in full view from the trail. We understand this is public land, and Boulder County can do what they want, but it would serve the public much better because of the way the land is used by lessee and the fact that there is irrigation overflow in this area, and the land slopes downhill which would make a trail north of the silo a very, wet, high maintenance, and more expensive project, without offering any more enjoyment to the trail users than moving this small section of the trail south a little bit. We would ask that the respect to the neighbors that POSAC has shown would take this matter in hand.

Tara Matzuk had to leave.
So is for sitting her time,
Thank You for this opportunity