Resident of Walker County-The North End

On March 1st 2016 120 local residents met at Mission Glen Baptist Church. On April 25, 2016 80 local residents met at Simpson Methodist Church. Our next meeting is being planned now for the community.

The subject that is at the front of everyone's mind is #1- crime in our area and #2- the abandoned, burned, or neglected homes in our community and the lack of Codes Enforcement to deal with these eyesores.

We believe that crime and the neglected properties are connected as well as declining property values, higher crime, lack of County Enforcement with all three hurting our neighborhoods.

Now a Laundry is proposed by an out of Walker County builder on James St. and Wilson Road. We oppose this as we feel this may possibly contribute to more problems to our area.

Per the Walker County Sheriff and the Walker County Fire Dept. - Each visited the same 6 locations within a ½ mile of this proposed laundry over 800 times in the last 15 months. This is unacceptable as homeowners and business owners in this end of the county.

It's time we the residents start taking back our community and standing up for our rights as voters, tax payers and home owners and businesses.

Here's what you can do to take a stand with us and start the change:

- 1. Keep watch of this growing group at: www.walkertownhall.org for our upcoming meetings and community information you can use.
- 2. Sign and get signatures for as many petitions against the laundry as you can. Please have them to me by May 24. We need 1000 names and information.
- 3. Call the Commissioner at 706-638-1437 and tell her we want our community cleaned up, the eye-sores gone and pay attention to our needs on this end of the county.
- 4. Fax the Commissioner at 706-638-1453 of your concerns for crime, run down homes and lack of Codes Enforcement.
- 5. Call me at 423-760-4819 David Roden for more details and info.