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Not many Cheyenne or County residents travel Parsley Blvd. It can be used to get to Stride Learning Center; an isolated residential area; Gill Window factory; the former Unicover building; I-25; etc. So, few have seen the dilapidated building which will be foisted on residents as a southside "Community House." Missing from this impossible conversion (from a Kiwanis storage shed to a presentable Community House) is money from the Kiwanis Club itself. They contributed a pittance toward the stately Community House in Lions Park (for naming rights) but not a penny toward this structure on the southside. Makes one think the Club may be a tad elitist.

The land which will someday be called a community park is adequate. In fact, except for a lack of trees, it has a topography conducive to a park setting and, in a generation or two, will be a welcome addition to the southside.

But, the shed?

It is a storage building that should have been taken from the Kiwanis under condemnation, torn down and hauled to the landfill. It is an embarrassment to the

City and an insult to southside and all Laramie County residents who overwhelmingly voted in favor of a southside park. Cocoon a worthless old shed with a fancy facade and consider it anything beyond a shed? No.



Above: View of the former Kiwanis shed from Parsley Blvd., traveling westerly from Ames and Deming intersection.

Left: View of the abandoned Kiwanis shed from Parsley Blvd., from the northwest corner of the shed, coming from the former Animal Shelter.