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Zoned Residential

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In the green paddock beside
Las Residencias Aregueney
a pair of yellow turpials
plump their breast feathers,
chirp a note or two,
dance a slow waltz
on the broad brown back
of a grazing cow,
bury their beaks in the soft hide
and savor the midges waiting there—

A planned community.