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From: Kate <greatscott@rockisland.com>
Sent: Saturday, August 18, 2018 1:19 AM
To: Lopez Village Subarea Planning Comments
Subject: Lopez mobile food vendors.

Dear Lopez Village Planners,

Regarding limiting the mobile vendors days of doing business in the village, I would like to express my opposition to the limits, and my support for the vendors.

Almost all of the restaurants on Lopez Island close for the winter, leaving only one or two places for us year-rounders to eat. Even if the restaurants stayed open year round, not everyone can afford a sit down restaurant meal very often. A few bucks at a vendor's taco truck is much more doable for many.

Throw in people who work and have lunch hour time constraints, and it's even more beneficial to allow the food vendors, without being a detriment to local restaurants.

Many folks rarely have time to spend in restaurants for meals - but they could easily run by a mobile food vendor to quickly pick something up for lunch.

Placing time limit restrictions on the vendors with food trucks does a disservice to both local entrepreneurs and local workers who would patronize them and who are unlikely to patronize a sit down restaurant on their limited time schedules anyway.

Thank you for your consideration,

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