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Dear Lynda Guernsey, Timothy Blanchard and attending members of the CompPlan meeting:

Orcas Island has been my home for the last forty years. The changes in population growth and island development over the last twenty years has been alarmingly aggressive. Years ago many of us worried about the changes foreseen and painstakingly formulated a Vision Statement for the future protection of our island habitat and unique and precious island rural life. This Vision Statement was then adopted by the county.

Unfortunately this marvelous and very thoughtful document has largely been ignored in recent years as exploitive pressure for rapid development has taken the drivers seat in county decision making. The county needs to slow down long enough to really educate itself and with critical thinking consider and begin more careful and consistent regulation of permits with regard to population growth, environmental degradation and rapacious land development.

I agree with Joe Symons letter of request to you for all the reasons stated in his letter to the county dated May 14 2019.

I ask along with Joe that you recommend that Docket 19-0002 advance to the CC and be included. Current buildout is not consistent with the Vision Statement.

Furthermore I was not informed of this meeting and as a co applicant should have been notified.

Thank you

Lesley Liddle