

## Sophia Cassam

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Hello Planning Commissioners,

I believe this issue is on your docket for discussion today. As a tennis player and twenty-five-year resident of Orcas Island (and Planning Commissioner for six years in the 1990s!), I hope you will decide not to wait three or four years to consider whether to allow indoor tennis courts to be built on the island. We have at least 50 avid players on Orcas alone, and the numbers are growing. As you know, we are unable to play in the winter due to weather. Allowing indoor courts would open the possibility of serving this growing population of players, including many of our youth.

Thank you for your good work and dedication to this county!

- Jonathan White  
Orcas Island