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September 21, 2022

Thurston County Board of Commissioners 2000 Lakeridge Drive SW Olympia, WA 98502

Subject:

Planning Commission Recommendation on Comprehensive Plan Amendment Docket #CPA-4 - 2023-2028 Capital Improvement Program

The Thurston County Planning Commission has completed their review of the 2023-2028 Capital Improvement Program (CIP), which will repeal and replace the 2022-2027 CIP as Appendix G in the Thurston County Comprehensive Plan. The Planning Commission held one (1) work sessions on August 17, 2022, followed by a public hearing on September 21, 2022.

No written or oral public comments were received for the public hearing. Following the public hearing on September 21, 2022, the Planning Commission voted unanimously (9-0) to recommend approval of the proposed 2023-2028 Capital Improvement Program (CIP):

"Move to recommend approval of amendments to Appendix G of the Thurston County Comprehensive Plan, the 2023-2028 Capital Improvement Program, by repealing and replacing the 2022-2027 CIP in its entirety."

The Planning Commission recommends approval with the following findings:

## Findings:

- 1. The proposed amendments are consistent with the Growth Management Act 36.70A RCW.
- 2. The proposed amendments are consistent with the Thurston County-Wide Planning Policies.
- 3. The Thurston County Planning Commission held a duly noticed public hearing on September 21, 2022, as required by Thurston County Code Chapter 2.05 Growth Management Public Participation.

Thank you for the opportunity to review and comment on the proposed amendment. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

Eric Casino, Chair

**CC:** Thurston County Planning Commission Members

Ramiro Chavez, County Manager Joshua Cummings, CPED Director

Travis Burns, Deputy Prosecuting Attorney