From: <u>Craig Sisson</u>
To: <u>Sonja Cady</u>

Subject: FW: Project #2023105144, Parcel #359-0450-1700 **Date:** Tuesday, February 13, 2024 10:09:02 AM

Per our conversation, this will be exhibit 2.

From: Rachael Soumis <rachael.soumis@co.thurston.wa.us>

Sent: Tuesday, February 13, 2024 7:05 AM

To: Craig Sisson < craig.sisson@co.thurston.wa.us>

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Support for.

Rachael Soumis

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From: Jules James < julesjames 1885@gmail.com>

Sent: Tuesday, February 6, 2024 5:17 PM

To: Rachael Soumis < rachael.soumis@co.thurston.wa.us > **Subject:** Project #2023105144, Parcel #359-0450-1700

Hearing Examiner:

I am unable to attend the February 13, 2024 Public Hearing regarding the proposed alley vacation for Parcel #359-0450-1700 so I submit comments in writing. I own property approximately 1,000 feet from this location.

I support the proposal. Thurston County has no need for this land. I'd rather have it on the tax rolls. The Boston Harbor area has an inordinate amount of unused right-of-way. This project - in process and pricing -- may become an inspiration for more right-of-way purchased by adjacent property owners and added to the tax rolls.

This is a beautiful wooded parcel and selfishly I would prefer it remained as such, but not enough to pay the \$36,000 selling price. So the purchaser deserves neighborly support for improving the property as the zoning and building codes allow.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on this proposal.

Jules James 425 72nd Avenue NE Olympia, WA 98506 206-329-1885