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**Subject:** Comments on 2020104385 Inspiring Kids Preserve RUE, SUP, and Forest Land Conversion Permit  
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Dear Sonja,

I support the planned improvements at Capitol Land Trust's (CLT's) Inspiring Kids Preserve (IKP), located at 4849 Johnson Point Road NE, in Olympia. I have visited this preserve and believe that the proposed improvements will provide significant increases in safety and function of the preserve. Environmental education for school children should be a high priority to reconnect kids with the natural world and improve mental and physical health of the community. CLT, as a respected local conservation organization, will be very mindful of preventing and mitigating any environmental impacts from the project. In addition to the benefits for kids, the project proposal will allow the entire community to safely access the preserve and improve the ecological benefits of the the property.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide input on this important project.

Sincerely,

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