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Joshua Cummings, Director

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Eric Erler  
Nisqually Land Trust  
1420 Marvin Rd. NE  
Ste. C PMB 243  
Lacey, WA 98516

Dear Mr. Erler:

SUBJECT: 2019 Thurston County Conservation Futures Program Award Letter

The purpose of this letter is to inform you that the Board of County Commissioners approved Nisqually Land Trust's request for \$400,000 from the Conservation Futures fund to support the Baird Cove acquisition project. This project involves the acquisition of parcels 11904420000 and 11909120100, totaling approximately eighty-eight (88) acres.

The Board agreed to provide funds for the Baird Cove project with the condition that the acquisition be completed no later than **December 31, 2020**.

Please note that you will need to complete a conservation agreement with the County prior to the release of Conservation Futures funds. A copy of the Conservation Futures Administrative Guidelines has been attached to the digital version of this letter for your reference. Changes to the scope of this project may require further approval by the Board of County Commissioners.

Thank you for your interest in the Thurston County Conservation Futures program. Please contact Andrew Deffobis in Community Planning & Economic Development at (360) 786-5467 or [andrew.deffobis@co.thurston.wa.us](mailto:andrew.deffobis@co.thurston.wa.us) should you have any questions about this award.

Sincerely,



Joshua Cummings, Director

Attachment via email