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January 23, 2018

Gina Auld  
King County Department of Natural Resources and Parks  
201 South Jackson Street, Suite 700  
Seattle, WA 98104

**Re: City of Sammamish – Permit SSDP2016-00415**  
**King County Department of Natural Resources and Parks – Applicant**  
**Disapproved Substantial Development Permit (SDP) 2018-NW-4068**

Dear Ms. Auld:

On January 23, 2018, the Department of Ecology (Ecology) received the City of Sammamish decision disapproving your SDP for improving 3.5 miles of the existing soft-surface interim East Lake Sammamish Trail, extending from SE 33<sup>rd</sup> Street to Inglewood Hill Road. The interim trail would be improved to a cross section of 12 feet of paved surface with two-foot gravel shoulders and a one-foot clear zone on both sides. In conjunction with the trail widening, the associated activities would take place: earthwork; drainage improvements; culvert replacements to improve fish passage; construction of rest areas with benches; improved intersections and sight triangles; mitigation and habitat enhancement; tree removal and replanting; landscaping and fencing; and access and traffic control (bollards, striping, signage, etc.).

By law, local governments must review all SDPs for compliance with:

- The Shoreline Management Act (Chapter 90.58 RCW).
- Ecology's SDP approval criteria (Chapter 173-27-150 WAC).
- The City of Sammamish Local Shoreline Master Program.

Local governments, after reviewing the SDP for compliance, are required to submit the SDPs to Ecology.

Your disapproved SDP has been received by Ecology.

### **What Happens Next?**

If **you** want to appeal this decision, you can find appeal instructions (WAC 461-08) at the Shorelines Hearings Board website: <http://www.eho.wa.gov>. Their phone number is (360) 664-9160. Appeal instructions are also posted on the website of the Washington State Legislature at

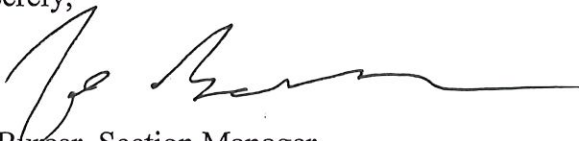


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<http://apps.leg.wa.gov/wac>. You have 21 days from January 23, 2018, the "date of filing," to file an appeal.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 425-649-7096 or by email at [joe.burcar@ecy.wa.gov](mailto:joe.burcar@ecy.wa.gov).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Joe Burcar", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Joe Burcar, Section Manager  
Shorelands and Environmental Assistance Program

By certified mail: 9171 9690 0935 0163 8137 59

cc: David Pyle, Deputy Director – City of Sammamish Dept. of Community Development  
Jenny Bailey, Applicant's Representative – Parametrix