# Re: Please Approve the Permit for Segment 2B of the ELST

## **Lindsey Ozbolt**

Mon 2/6/2017 1:19 PM

To:jonhc@frontier.com <jonhc@frontier.com>;

Dear John,

Thank you for contacting the City of Sammamish regarding the current Shoreline Substantial Development Permit Application for East Lake Sammamish Trail Segment 2B (SSDP2016-00415).

Although the official comment period has closed, as of January 27, 2017 at 5:00 p.m., your comments have been received and will be considered.

Regards,

Lindsey Ozbolt
Associate Planner | City of Sammamish | Department of Community Development 425.295.0527

From: John Christensen <jonhc@frontier.com> Sent: Saturday, February 4, 2017 11:02 AM

To: Lindsey Ozbolt

Subject: Please Approve the Permit for Segment 2B of the ELST

Dear

Dear city of Sammamish,

I'm writing to express my support for completing the ELST and approving permit SSDP2016-00415.

Please approve the permit, as submitted.

Approval of the permit will advance completion of the 44 mile regional trail system between Seattle and the foothills of the Cascades. The trail, as proposed in the permit, will provide a safe walking and biking route through Sammamish. Please support the proposed trail widths, which reflect industry standards (AASHTO).

I use the trail occasionally (bicycle), and have a sort of nostalgia for it. I had 57 years service with the Northern Pacific, BN and BNSF Railways, and worked this line from time to time as fireman on steam locomotives and engineer on diesels. These trails are always a plus when developed.

A 12ft trail with 2ft shoulders will create a safe trail with space for the various different uses of the trail... from running to riding a bike. Please approve the permit with the trail widths as proposed.

Ensuring crossing priority for the trail is an important safety issue. Giving priority to the trail when roads and driveways cross the path will be intuitive for all users, whether in a vehicle, on foot, or on a bike. The trail alignment, as proposed in the permit, provides sight lines for good approach visibility for people on the trail and people crossing the trail.

Please approve the permit, as proposed, with expediency.

John Christensen 1592 9th Avenue North Edmonds, WA 98020 425-778-2755

# Re: Please Approve the Permit for Segment 2B of the ELST

## **Lindsey Ozbolt**

Mon 2/6/2017 1:18 PM

To:joann.ten\_brinke@frontier.com <joann.ten\_brinke@frontier.com>;

Dear JoAnn,

Thank you for contacting the City of Sammamish regarding the current Shoreline Substantial Development Permit Application for East Lake Sammamish Trail Segment 2B (SSDP2016-00415).

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Regards,

Lindsey Ozbolt Associate Planner | City of Sammamish | Department of Community Development 425.295.0527

From: JoAnn Ten Brinke <joann.ten\_brinke@frontier.com>

Sent: Saturday, February 4, 2017 9:24 AM

To: Lindsey Ozbolt

Subject: Please Approve the Permit for Segment 2B of the ELST

Dear

Dear city of Sammamish,

I'm writing to express my support for completing the ELST and approving permit SSDP2016-00415.

We live in Redmond and have used the Sammamish trail for over a decade and have enjoyed each additional segment as it is built, riding with all 3 kids over the years. Please approve permit for segment 2, as submitted, so that users of all ages and abilities can safely use the trail. A trail built to national standards (AASHTO), that is 12 ft, plus gravel shoulders, will allow for safe use by a variety of different users, including people who walk and bike.

As proposed in the permit, priority at trail crossings should be given to the trail and trail users. Consistent crossing priority is intuitive and safe for users of both the trail and the driveways and roads that cross the trail.

When complete, the trail will be an even greater community amenity than in it's interim state, and will provide a safe option for people who bike to travel to and through Sammamish. Please complete the trail.

Sincerely,

JoAnn Ten Brinke

JoAnn Ten Brinke 18109 NE 101st Court Redmond, WA 98052 425 556 9035

# Re: Please Approve the Permit for Segment 2B of the ELST

### **Lindsey Ozbolt**

Mon 2/6/2017 1:19 PM

To:sarah.lee1207@gmail.com <sarah.lee1207@gmail.com>;

Dear Sarah,

Thank you for contacting the City of Sammamish regarding the current Shoreline Substantial Development Permit Application for East Lake Sammamish Trail Segment 2B (SSDP2016-00415).

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Regards,

Lindsey Ozbolt
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From: Sarah Lee <sarah.lee1207@gmail.com> Sent: Saturday, February 4, 2017 9:29 PM

To: Lindsey Ozbolt

Subject: Please Approve the Permit for Segment 2B of the ELST

Dear

Dear city of Sammamish,

I'm writing to express my support for completing the ELST and approving permit SSDP2016-00415.

Please approve the permit, as submitted.

My children and I frequently make use of various portions of the current trail. As a mother of young children, who often walks our very active dog, I am concerned about the safety of the trail, as the permit allows for.

Approval of the permit will advance completion of the 44 mile regional trail system between Seattle and the foothills of the Cascades. The trail, as proposed in the permit, will provide a safe walking and biking route through Sammamish. Please support the proposed trail widths, which reflect industry standards (AASHTO).

A 12ft trail with 2ft shoulders will create a safe trail with space for the various different uses... from people running to people riding a bike. Please approve the permit, including the proposed width of the trail.

Ensuring crossing priority for the trail is an important safety issue. Giving priority to the trail when roads and driveways cross the path will be intuitive for all users. The trail alignment, as proposed in the permit, provides sight lines for good visibility for people on the trail and people crossing the trail at trail intersections.

Please approve the permit, as proposed, with expediency.

Sincerely,

Sarah Lee, 12-year Sammamish Resident

Sarah Lee 1026 224th Ave NE Sammamish, WA 98074 4258946803