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Thank you for choosing to do an environmental impact study in Sammamish

- 100% stormwater retention will hopefully be noted as the most responsible way to allow development
- widening roads to accommodate all of the growth will wipe out habitats for wildlife and destroy the natural fabric of the community and, without direct freeway access, will continue to lead to more bottlenecks and backups
- while the environmental impacts are being examined, the City should look at down zoning throughout the city to maintain limited growth based on what is already overwhelming the infrastructure without piling onto the waning systems especially considering that adequate down zoning has not taken place since incorporation from King county.
- this environmental impact study will hopefully support clean streams and lakes which is critical to our fish and wildlife
- I hope this effort helps preserve our tree canopy which is critical for a healthy ecosystem
- Thank you for doing this study, it's taxpayer money well spent to preserve this community and to keep our greener city green.

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