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To: <u>City Council</u>

Subject: Please Approve Comprehensive Plan Docket Item 1

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Good afternoon,

I live on Fremont near 182nd. In my 11 years at this address, I have noticed a significant increase in traffic and, recently, the increase in heavy truck traffic. There are often large, commercial delivery trucks on our street and big construction rigs of the type with a connecting trailer that is used to carry heavy loads of gravel. It often takes quite a long time to find an opening in the traffic for me to even leave my driveway. Of greater concern, though, is the fact that there is a large, high-pressure gas line under the street and I have no idea whether, or not, it was installed with a plan to protect it from vehicles much heavier than automobiles. I think the use of this street for heavy construction vehicles is inappropriate and potentially dangerous, which could also mean potentially catastrophic.

I would like to see some restrictions on the type of vehicles that use Fremont, especially before the Point Wells development further compromises the safe use of Fremont Avenue. Please accept my request to approve Comprehensive Plan Docket Item 1 and to set a v/c ratio limit on collector arterials. These collector arterials are residential streets that are not equipped for the volume and the scale of vehicles currently using them. And, it will only get worse once Point Wells is developed.

Thank you, very much, for your time and your labors on behalf of Shoreline.

Cindy