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- 1. (o) Richmond Beach
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- **6.** karen12n@yahoo.com
- **7.** RE: Shoreline Council Meeting November 16, 2015

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To me, it feels very irresponsible to move forward with any action regarding Point Wells without having ALL of the facts regarding ALL of the possible options PRIOR to making any decisions.

I know that when I make significant decisions in my household as well as in my business, this is the prudent course to take. I feel it is also the prudent course my City should take as well.

Specifically, I believe the decision by Shoreline of whether to annex Point Wells (or not) must examine all of the facts.

But we do not have all of the facts. We have no emperical data contrasting annexing with tolling.

Therefore, I believe our 2016 budget should include a study of tolling on Richmond Beach Drive at the Snohomish County line so that we can analyze the facts.

Only then can we determine which is the better alternative, as opposed to "annexing just feels like a good idea" or "we guess that annexing is the better option".

It makes absolutely no sense to move forward with such a SIGNIFICANT, long term decision with without knowing ALL of the facts.

Karen Briggs Richmond Beach, WA

Thank you,

City of Shoreline

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