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Dear City Council Members,

Thank you for your work on behalf of all of us Shoreline residents!

Please pass the ordinance purchasing the beach parcel at the southern end of 27th Ave NW. I have used that access point for over 30 years and so have my family, now 3 generations. I was shocked when I saw signs from some residents attempting to designate a public road as "private", this is public property and the access to the beach should remain public as it has been for decades now. Only by purchasing the land parcel can we guarantee this benefit for future generations.

Beach access through Salt Water park is increasingly difficult, due to my handicap I have to drive there and try to find close parking, nearly impossible during the summer, we need multiple access points for the beach, the one on 27th NW is within walking distance for many residents. I understand and support the residents of 27th Ave NW in their position to restrict vehicular traffic, but pedestrian access should not be impeded in any way.

If the City does not act on this opportunity when will there be another? Please vote to secure our access to our beach.

Sincerely,

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