



To: City Council, City of Shoreline, 17500 Midvale Ave N, Shoreline WA 98133

Mayor Scully, Deputy Mayor Robertson,

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