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Subject: Request for comments

To: Director of Department of Planning and Development

Re: Opposition to a site being considered for location of a new regional jail. Seattle North - 1600 W. Armory Way

As a resident and property owner in the Interbay neighborhood, I object to the location of a jail facility at this location. Locating a jail facility adjacent to two of the cities highest tax and property valued neighborhoods (Queen Anne and Magnolia) makes no sense. A minimum security jail means repeat offenders, coming and going constantly. This will put dozens, if not hundreds of indigent persons on the street each week, walking away from the facility on foot, directly into our neighborhood. This presents increased risk to my personal safety. The site being considered is directly next door to the Seattle Animal Shelter, at which I am a volunteer and walk dogs after dark. I am concerned for the safety of the 180+ volunteers (mostly young women) who walk dogs from the shelter after dark in this area on a daily basis. This site also presents far too many places for dangerous people to hide nearby. The BNSF railroad yard has little security fencing, and the area is already over run with homeless camps. This would only exacerbate this situation.

Re-zoning of the Dravus St. corridor and pending development there means a large increase in housing units .10 mile from the site. I'd urge you to review the population density and demographics of the people in this neighborhood.

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Re: Scope of the Environmental Impact Statement on Shoreline

Dear Ms. Sugimura,

I question the reasoning behind considering a jail facility site in a neighborhood where there are young children and families. It would change the scope of the neighborhood, the traffic, and the desirability of the neighborhood from both an economical and safety point of view.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Anie Franey".

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Cc:
Shoreline City Council

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Irvin Prichard
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I am writing to you in regards to The Jail sight in shore line on 20th Ave. We moved to this neighbor hood in July of 2003. We chose to live here because it was Full of Families with children, schools, Playgrounds. We are raising our two children in A Now safe neighbor hood. This is not The proper Place at All to Place A Jail. How could anybody even think of Placing it right in The middle of a neighbor hood. There is A school for children across The street from The Jail sight. our son is in a Inhome Day care 1/2 A Block Away on 30th. We walk with our children All year long past The Jail sight and down to The Park. Everybody, All around here, is very up set. This Jail sight needs to be removed from The list. Our neighbor hood needs to remain a Family Friendly Place.

IF you have any comment I can be reached by mail, or email at elvin1984@comcast.net or my cell phone - 206-261-2517

There has to be A much safer Place to put A Jail other than smack in The middle of a neighbor hood Full of children

Sincerely
Irvin E Prichard