## Jane Rasely

From: Heather Wright

Sent: Thursday, August 29, 2019 4:34 PM

**To:** Jane Rasely

**Subject:** FW: Winslow Hotel application

From: rssglobal . <rssglobal@gmail.com> Sent: Tuesday, July 30, 2019 10:25 AM

To: Heather Wright < hwright@bainbridgewa.gov>

**Subject:** Winslow Hotel application

Dear Ms. Wright,

I reside at 144 Hall Brothers Loop. This location is directly opposite the proposed 87 room full service hotel, conference center, and wedding venue. As such, I followed the application process closely and attended the public Planning Commission hearing to voice my personal concerns regarding traffic, noise, and especially the total lack of congruence with the Bainbridge Municipal Code, Comprehensive Plan, and the Winslow Master Plan.

I am now informed that the Planning Commission denied the hotel application based on similar concerns of mine and others regarding the outlandish size of the proposed hotel, the lack of coordination with various city plans, and lack of concern for local residents. I applaud this decision.

It is my understanding that the next point in the application process is your review. I urge you to please confirm the decision of the Planning Commission and the strong feelings of the local residents by denying the request.

My wife and I are new to the island having moved here from Washington, DC last year. We selected this island based on its bucolic nature, friendly confines, and proximity to Seattle. Our neighborhood is peaceful, quiet, and convenient, just like the whole of the Winslow area. We feel this is a direct result of reasonable and efficient City planning and oversite. Please accept the decision of the Planning Commission and deny the application request.

Sincerely, Robert Scott Schirmer Bainbridge Island, WA Mobile: 202 257 7048