



BLOEDEL RESERVE

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Dear Olivia,

After careful review of the feedback received during the public comment period, I am writing to inform you of Bloedel's decision to withdraw the application for a Minor Amendment to its existing Unconditional Use Permit from consideration and decouple the associated projects from it, including the Floral Workshop, Compost Shed, and Gatehouse renovation.

Moving ahead, we will re-evaluate the planned new exit and consider various other options for exiting the property, including some suggested by neighbors. We will engage the City if and when Bloedel Reserve decides to make improvements that necessitate a change to its CUP.

Thank you very much for your help and feedback during this process.

Most sincerely,

Edward Moydell
Executive Director