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CITY OF BURIEN

Dear Sirs;

I believe it is important to prioritize and evaluate where time and energy should be spent, especially when it is the citizens tax monies being spent. This is something the Burien city council should consider, especially in these trying economic times. The Burien City Council is technically our employees and work for us and when driving thru Burien there never before has there ever been so many vacancies in both residential and commercial spaces, this is from the vantage of a being a long time resident of our beloved Burien. The first step in reviving our local economy should start here, rather than waiting for some federal aid to come to the rescue. A local effort would definitely more responsive and pertinent .

Instead of focusing on issues such as private property rights with shoreline management policies or expanding Burien's boundaries, we are better served by first focusing on what the city can do to revitalize our struggling community, then we can later address secondary issues.

Thank You,

Mark Pitzner



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