

## Kate Blystone - Fwd: Birch Bay UGA & 2031 Planning

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**October 29, 2009**

**To: The Whatcom County Council**

**From: Kathy Berg**

**RE: *The Birch Bay UGA and the 2031 Planning Process***

**First, do no harm.**

- **Maintain the Birch Bay UGA boundaries exactly as they were adopted in 2004, and**
- **Remove all references to Provisional Rezone and Transfer of Development Rights.**

**If the County Council wants to do something useful and good for the area,**

- **Complete the above,**
- **Continue to work with the Birch Bay community on the Birch Bay Watershed Action Plan to develop future land use policies, and**
- **Work with the Birch Bay community towards the adoption of Birch Bay Design Guidelines for Commercial Development.**