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Subject: Ordinance limiting the size of large retail

Hello Barbara-

Yesterday you handed me the minutes from agenda bill 2008-112A (the limitation in the size of large commercial retail). I was able to track down that agenda bill which was adopted as Ordinance 2008-039. Here is a link to that ordinance: <http://www.co.whatcom.wa.us/council/2008/ord/ord2008-039.pdf>. If you scroll down to page 5 you can see what was added into the General Commercial and the Light Impact Industrial zone. Nevertheless, this would be consistent to staff's recommendation for maximum allowable (or "threshold" as Gary Davis termed it) floor area in the Rural Business designation. Let me know if you have any questions.

Regards,

Nick Smith