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To whom it may concern,

I missed the meeting yesterday about vacation rentals on SJI. Frankly I didn't see it posted anywhere and stumbled upon it last minute so I feel like it wasn't very well advertised. I feel like it's my duty to contribute to this conversation because of my years of experience on the subject. To let you know I have owned and operated a residential house cleaning business in Seattle since 2006. I have lived in the Central District renting a house in the heart of Seattle since 2007. My husband and I have been priced out of buying a house in Seattle. We purchased a house with property on SJI last December. We were lucky. I thought about house cleaning on SJI but I can make twice as much in Seattle. I have cleaned for most of my clients for over a decade. I have worked many many Air B&B rentals. Most service workers just don't have the bandwidth to show up for these sorts of discussions. They are too busy living hand to mouth. I am more than happy to share my experience and opinions around vacation properties and how it affects service workers. There is an underlying economic "class" consideration to be respected. Wealthy vacation owners really need to consider their service workers they rely upon and be sure they can afford to live in the area for which they need to work. I don't think many vacation owners feel like it's their responsibility and so it's everyone for themselves and sadly the ones to lose are always the less fortunate.

Anyways please do LMK how I can get involved and help to find any healthy solutions that help everyone coexist.

Thank you

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