

Sophia Cassam

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Subject: Fw: SJC Request for Review - LANDUSE-24-0105 San Juan County Public Works
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Dear Sophia Cassam,
The Lummi Nation has received notice of the proposed Shaw Island SJC Public Works Property Redesignation Project, located on parcel 262932006000 on Shaw Island, San Juan County, Washington and is responding as an affected tribe. The Lummi Nation Tribal Historic Preservation Office (LNTHPO) has reviewed the distributed project documents as well as records on file at our office.

Based on this review, an archaeological assessment of the project area is not recommended at this time. We recommend that the project proceed as planned with the San Juan County Inadvertent Discovery Plan (IDP) on-site and followed should cultural resources or human remains be encountered. The following contact phone numbers for the Lummi Nation should be included in the IDP: Lena Tso, THPO 360-961-7752 and Tamela Smart, Deputy THPO 360-927-2944.

These comments are based on the information available at the time of the review. The LNTHPO should review any changes related to the proposed project. Should you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me at 360-927-2944 or via email at tamelas@lummi-nsn.gov.

Sincerely,

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Hello,

Attached is a Request for Review from San Juan County Community Development Department for a DNS for LANDUSE-24-0105 San Juan County Public Works site-specific redesignation on Shaw Island. If you have any questions, concerns, or comments, please send to the email address on the cover page by the date indicated.

Sincerely,

Lynda Guernsey

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