

Theresa Rice

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From: Brett Johnson [<mailto:bjohnson@arcticstorm.com>]
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Good Morning,

I have been following the process of the SMP for a while now. I must say that in light of the current plan I am starting to feel like giving my home to you now rather than wait for the process to unfold further. My property is worth approximately 67% of what I paid for it in 2007. I have no one to blame for that other than my self up to this point. If further restrictions, including designation as a non conforming structure, are put into place, it seems that it will continue to reduce the value of our property further. My problem is my own to deal with, but as our community, (which is firmly rooted in a culture that is centered around the shoreline and access to the sea and sea life), is further separated from that which binds the community, the community will cease to be a community.

I have lived my entire life on the shores of Puget Sound. My Grandparents built the first house on Point Pulley which is Now Called 3 Tree Point. The home I live in was built by others that had owned their property since the 30's. The idea that it is now non conforming or that it should not be there for my children or their children to enjoy is a saddening thing.

Best Regards
Brett Johnson

The Blue Shack
With the Red and Blue
Barking Dogs
The Surf Boards
The Two Johnson Boys
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