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City of Mercer Island  
9611 SE 36<sup>th</sup> Street  
Mercer Island, WA 98040

RE: STATEMENT OF WORK ENGAGEMENT  
PERMANENT SHORING WALL DESIGN SERVICES  
PARCEL #3317500040 AT 8431 SE 47TH PLACE, MERCER ISLAND, WA

ATTENTION: Mr. Gareth Reece

Dear Gareth:

The purpose of this letter is to inform the City of Mercer Island that Ground Support PLLC has been engaged to design the permanent soil nail shoring walls for the Steinborn Residence project, located on Parcel #3317500040 at 8431 SE 47<sup>th</sup> Place on Mercer Island, Washington. We have reviewed the geotechnical report and architectural plans and will shortly be gathering the files necessary to start the design with the intent of having a 100% permanent shoring design prior to the permit issuance and that conforms to the permit intake site plan. If you have any questions, please call us anytime at 425-922-1501.

Sincerely,

GROUND SUPPORT PLLC

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'CJW', is written over a white background.

Chris J. Wolschlag, S.E., Ph.D.  
Partner

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