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Att: Andrew Leon

CC: John Kenney

COMMUNITY PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT

9611 SE 36th Street | Mercer Island, WA 98040

RE: 2110-193-Sub3-Planning Tree Review request, relating to CAO21-006 – Bosveld & Lin CAR2  
7345 SE 38<sup>th</sup> ST, Mercer Island, WA 98040; Parcel Number 3623500037

Dear Mr. Leon:

In reference to the feedback request in by 2110-193-Sub3-Planning Review document as pasted below, I have attached Geotechnical Engineering recommendations.

*Provide a tree watering plan to ensure the new trees survive regardless of when they are planted. In conformance to the geotechnical engineer's recommendations is required. This will preferably be temporary drip irrigation.*

In summary, our Arborist, Bob Layton of Layton Tree Consulting, Inc recommends during the dry season watering new trees every 7-10 days not to exceed 20 gallons using temporary drip irrigation. This Arborist recommendation fits within our Geotechnical Engineering not-to-exceed guidance for new tree planting (*'We recommend these new trees be watered bi-weekly with approximately 20 gallons of water. New trees should receive no more than 20 gallons of water per tree twice a week, using drip watering techniques'*) as enclosed.

For additional reference, John Kenney and I previously discussed the enclosed Geotechnical Engineering recommendations by email on Friday, Dec 23, 2022. Mr. Kenney provided feedback in reference to the document that, 'The memo is sufficient... Please submit this with your response to our comments.'

Please let me know if any additional information is needed.

Sincerely,



Paul Bosveld

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Enclosed:

Tree Watering Recommendation & Minimum Risk Statement (from Geotechnical Engineer Geo Group Northwest, Inc.)