



**SHORELINE
CITY COUNCIL**

February 6, 2015

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Rep. Hans Dunshee
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Dear Representative Dunshee:

On behalf of the Shoreline City Council, I am pleased to provide my letter of support for the Ronald Commons project and my recommendation for the Hopelink and Compass Housing Alliance (CHA) Capital Budget Requests that will both support the build out of Hopelink's space, and bring LEED certification and a high degree of environmental sustainability to the project.

The City of Shoreline is a strong supporter of the Ronald Commons project, which will provide safe, decent affordable housing and social services space to the people of Shoreline for years to come. If Hopelink and CHA are successful in securing funds to create highly efficient building systems, the project's livability and sustainability will be enhanced for its many years of operations. And the project will become a model for other development in the City's Town Center.

The City of Shoreline is strongly committed to the success of the Ronald Commons project. The City Council has committed CDBG capital funds for the project and it is included in the City's Legislative Priorities. Thank you for your support and consideration.

Sincerely,

Shari Winstead
Mayor of Shoreline

cc:

Representative Ruth Kagi
Representative Cindy Ryu
Senator Maralyn Chase
Beth Boram, Compass Housing Alliance