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The Honorable Maralyn Chase Washington State Senator 218 John A. Cherberg Building PO Box 40449 Olympia, WA 98504

Dear Senator Chase:

On behalf of the Shoreline City Council I want to thank you for your great work during this tremendously trying and lengthy legislative session.

We greatly appreciate your support for the 145th St/SR 523 corridor project and the City's funding allocation of \$25 million in the statewide transportation package. We applied your commitment to local transportation funding through the new funding authority for Sound Transit (ST3), and the increase in the Councilmanic authority of the Transportation Benefit District. We also appreciate the restoration of state shared revenues to address issues related to alcohol sales and designating state shared revenues to address the impacts of marijuana sales, along with clarifying the competing marijuana regulations. Those are major accomplishments that are beneficial for the City of Shoreline and we are very appreciative.

We understand the tremendous challenge you had and continue to have to fund education within the confines of a split legislature. We truly appreciate your support for cities as we are the providers of local services and for your commitment to helping us better serve our residents.

Thank you again for all your efforts through the lengthy legislative session. We greatly appreciate all you do for Shoreline and the  $32^{nd}$  District.

Sincerely,

Shari Winstead

Mayor

cc:

Shoreline City Council

Debbie Tarry, City Manager

Scott MacColl, Intergovernmental Relations Manager