# SIMS GATEWAY AND BOAT YARD EXPANSION PROJECT

# **STAKEHOLDER GRAPHICS**

Prepared for the May 10, 2022 Stakeholder Meeting and the May 24, 2022 PRTTAB Meeting



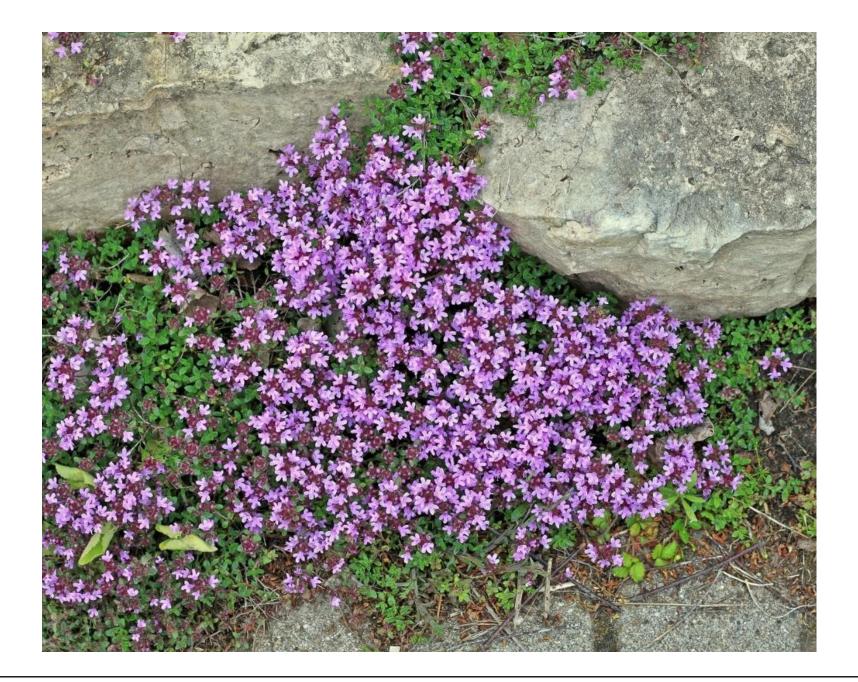
## Stakeholder Ideas

One of the agenda items for the May 10, 2022 stakeholder meeting is to brainstorm ideas. The following slides is an accumulation of information provided by the stakeholders.

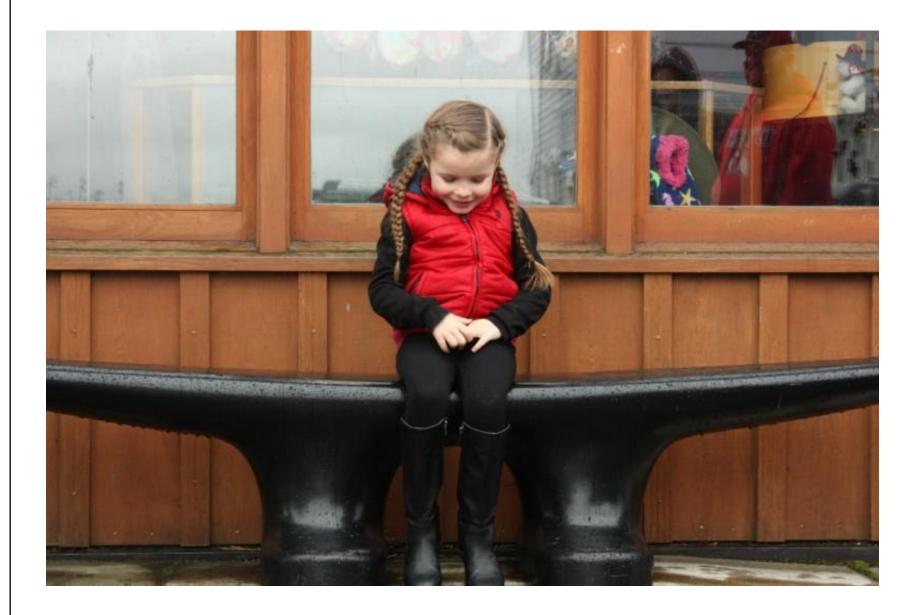
### Arlene Alen

## Joni Blanchard

See following pictures:









### Dan Burden

See Short Presentation Attached.

Notes: See meeting recording. Also See Slideshow.

# Russell Hill

- Pictures from University Place
- Pictures from Federal Way
- Diagram of Larry Scott Trail option
- See meeting recording

## Pictures from Federal Way





Pictures at Lakota Middle School - Student Safety First project creating a pedestrian way.

#### Larry Scott Trail Diagrams



### **Boat Yard Parking and Operations**



#### Steve Mader

## Jennifer Rotermund

## **Ron Sikes**

Existing sucker growth on Kah Tai side of the street. Shows overcrowding of other tree species.

See meeting recording











#### **Forest Shomer**

# Public Suggestions

- Poplars could be replaced with Shore Pines
- Preserve the Poplar Trees
- Put trees between cars and bike lanes/sidewalks
- Perform soil tests and install right tree for the right place.
- Consider setbacks from the street. Do not make corridor too narrow.
- Do not move boat yard closer to street.
- Concern over poplars failing in the wind
- Poplars produce a lot of pollen
- Replace with Native Trees
- Plant mixed species
- Consider ornamental varieties in addition to natives for aesthetics
- Shore Pines, Evergrees and Madronas would not work due to pollen. Plant female trees that won't pollinate. Replace with Poplars.

# Public Suggestions

- Prefer a natural edge to Sims Way instead of block wall
- Consider Co2 impacts of removal and variety selection
- Trim Poplars on Kah Tai side and remove on the boatyard side.
- Re-use wood. Ied wooden shoes in Netherlands use Poplar
- Allergens are a concern with poplars and birches. Consider allergens in selection of trees.
- Diversify the plantings is recommended
- Consider flowering cherry trees.
- Strategically replant for the entrance. Consider links to Larry Scott trail visually.
- Continue to further native species along Kah Tai
- Consider impacts of climate change (heat and floods, winds, etc.) on tree selection.
- Remove trees in stages to allow replanted trees to fill in.
- Include a long term tree maintenance plan.
- Consider environmental impacts of the entire project.