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Dear Christie, Gordon, Bill and Tim:

The City of Lake Forest Park encourages both parties to enter into the upcoming mediation in good faith, and to honor their contractual obligations as set forth in the 2003 signed agreement. The position of the Lake Forest Park City Council has not changed since the Council adopted resolution 807. We continue to want "King County to provide protection of the District's aquifer related to the Brightwater tunnel effluent conveyance system...."

The City of Lake Forest Park is interested in the outcome of the agreement because all of the households and businesses served by the Lake Forest Park Water District fall within our jurisdiction. The City has been supportive of test well sites. The City supports working in cooperation with Seattle Public Utilities within their property rather than disturbing the City's most actively used park. We will be in contact with Seattle Public Utilities in the near future to see if we can move this site forward as a possibility.



Again we urge thoughtful consideration of all of the issues and encourage both parties to remain focused on resolving this issue to ensure uninterrupted water service to all customers. If both parties see an additional role for the City in assisting to resolve this dispute, please contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "D. Hutchinson", with a stylized flourish at the end.

David R Hutchinson
Mayor, City of Lake Forest Park

Enclosure: City of Lake Forest Park Resolution 807, dated October 23, 2003

Cc: City Council Members
David Cline, City Administrator
Mike Ruark, City Attorney

RESOLUTION NO. 807

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAKE
FOREST PARK, WASHINGTON SUPPORTING LAKE FOREST PARK
WATER DISTRICT IN ITS EFFORTS TO SECURE AN INTERLOCAL
AGREEMENT WITH KING COUNTY TO PROVIDE PROTECTION OF
THE DISTRICT'S AQUIFER RELATED TO BRIGHTWATER**

WHEREAS, the City of Lake Forest Park has been working with King County related to the Brightwater project, and

WHEREAS, the City of Lake Forest Park has emphasized protection of its sensitive areas and environmental assets related to the Brightwater project, and

WHEREAS, approximately 2,500 Lake Forest Park residents are served by the Lake Forest Park Water District, and

WHEREAS, the Lake Forest Park Water District receives its water from an aquifer, and

WHEREAS, the effluent tunnel of the Brightwater project is proposed to be located in or near the aquifer serving the Lake Forest Park Water District, and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of the Lake Forest Park Water District have asked for support from the City of Lake Forest Park in urging King County to conclude an interlocal agreement with the Water District prior to the issuance of the Final Environmental Impact Statement (FEIS) on the Brightwater project.

NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Lake Forest Park hereby supports the Lake Forest Park Water District in its efforts to secure an interlocal agreement with King County to provide for the protection of the District's aquifer related to the Brightwater tunnel effluent conveyance system and that this be effected prior to the issuance of the FEIS on the Brightwater project.

PASSED BY A MAJORITY VOTE of the members of the City of Lake Forest
Park City Council this 23rd day of October 2003 and signed into authentication this 27th
day of October 2003.

APPROVED:

David R. Hutchinson, Mayor

ATTEST:

Susan Stine, City Clerk

*Resolution 807
Approved by Council
October 23, 2003*