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**Subject:** RE: Growth Management Boundaries around Yacolt  
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Good day, Jim,

Thank you for your comments regarding changes to the Urban Growth Area. I have forwarded these to Staff, and will enter your comments into the Comprehensive Plan Index of Record.

Regards,  
Jeff Delapena

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**From:** kk7al <kk7al@centurytel.net>  
**Sent:** Sunday, September 22, 2024 10:08 AM  
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I am opposed to any increase of land to be added to the Yacolt urban growth area. The roads out here are not adequate to handle increased traffic. I am concerned that increased development will contaminate the groundwater that supplies the towns water supply. Additionally, the creeping gradulism of growth is harming bird and wildlife habitat surrounding town. I used to have deer , rabbits, and an occasional bobcat pass through my property and many of the bird species I observed through the years no longer come around due to loss of habitat and travel corridors. Please do not increase the growth area of Yacolt.

Thank you  
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