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Good day, Rochelle,

Thank you for submitting comments regarding the Ag Study for the Land Use Alternatives to be studied in the DEIS.

These will be entered into the Comprehensive Plan Index of Record.

Best regards,



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Dear Council Members,

Late last year the Clark County Council voted to move forward with an agricultural lands study as part of the comprehensive plan update. I'm told that the 2025 council is attempting to halt the plans for a study. Without this study Ridgefield, La Center, and other smaller Clark County towns won't have the autonomy or capacity to grow in a way their citizens and council see fit. As a homeowner in La Center, I feel like you are clearly overreaching and restricting the autonomy of our towns.

Community character is what makes Clark County cities and towns so vibrant and it must be protected. I expect you to move forward with the agricultural lands study as the 2024 council agreed to do. We are all counting on that study to properly update the comprehensive plan. Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Rochelle Gano