



CITY OF FERNDALE

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Mr. Kirk Vinish
Planning Director
Lummi Nation
2616 Kwina Road
Bellingham WA 98226

Re: FASTLANE Grant Application

Dear Kirk,


This letter is regarding to your Fastlane grant application for improvements along the Slater Road corridor here in Whatcom County. As you are aware, some of the conceptual improvements are within the City of Ferndale and will be constructed on city right-of-way. As a result, we have been involved in the various planning activities undertaken over the last few years.

With the allocation of Connecting Washington capital improvement dollars to the Washington Department of Transportation (WSDOT) for these corridor improvements in 2019, we look forward to working with WSDOT, your office and all of the other various stakeholders to best determine the specific scope and scale of these improvements. I believe we all have agreed that a series of roundabouts along the corridor may be best to adequately serve this area.

We understand that your Fastlane grant application includes some of these envisioned roundabouts along Slater Road and we support your utilization of the Fastlane grant dollars for these corridor improvements.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to give me a call at 360.685.2350. Thank you for your time and attention.

Sincerely,


Jon Mutchler
Mayor
City of Ferndale WA