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KING COUNTY COUNCIL

Dear King County Council Members,

We, the elector-residents of Merganser precinct in the Black Diamond-Lake Sawyer area of Southeast King County, hereby respectfully request that the King County Council create a NO SHOOTING ZONE adjacent to our neighborhoods.

We petition that a No Shooting Area be approved for the following area:

All that portion of Section 15, Township 21 north, Range 6 east, W.M. lying westerly of the corporate city limits of Black Diamond.

Reason for petition:

For many years, hearing the sound of firearms being discharged on the properties identified above has caused concern because it is close to our homes and roads, and in the woods where we enjoy walks. This concern turns to fear, however, each time an area resident sees a new bullet hole or experiences hearing the distinct *whiz of a bullet* going past them and their family on their own property. In spite of No Target Shooting signs being posted by Plum Creek Timber, this past year we have observed an alarming increase of indiscriminate and prolonged shooting of firearms, some which sound like automatic weapons, at all hours of the day and night and sometimes very close to our homes. Despite numerous calls to 911 and the cooperative efforts of Plum Creek Timber, this problem not only persists, but is escalating.

Please grant this request to provide safety to our neighborhoods and give the Sheriff deputies a tool of enforcement.

Thank you for your consideration,

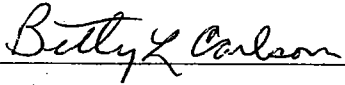
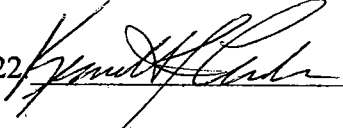
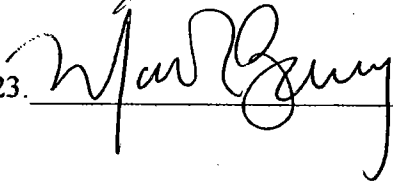
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| 1. <u>Barbara Rush</u> | Barbara Rush | 32626 224 PL SE |
| 2. <u>Christine Rush</u> | Christine Rush | 32626 224 P1 SE |
| 3. <u>Mike Campbell</u> | MIKE CAMPBELL | 32818 227 PL SE |
| 4. <u>Kathryn A. Johns</u> | Kathryn A. Johns | 22505 SE 329 th ST |
| 5. <u>Douglas C. Herbig</u> | DOUGLAS C HERBIG | 32729 224 th SE |
| 6. <u>Cynthia B. Herbig</u> | Cynthia B Herbig | 32729 224 th P1 SE |
| 7. <u>Bobbie Hayes</u> | Bobbie Hayes | 32610 224 th PL SE |
| 8. <u>Richard Hayes</u> | RICH HAYES | 32610 224 th PL SE |
| 9. <u>Alan Byar</u> | Alan Byar | 22421 SE 329 th ST |
| 10. <u>Ann Byar</u> | Ann Byar | 22421 SE 329 th ST. |

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| 11. | | Douglas Sampson | 22504 SE 329th St, Black Diamond |
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| 13. | | VIOLA TEASLEY | 22331 SE 328th Pl, Black Diamond WA 98010 |
| 14. | | Harold Hutchins | 22327 SE 328th Pl, Black Diamond, WA 98010 |
| 15. | | Barbara Manuel | 32700 224th Pl SE, Black Diamond, WA 98010 |
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| 17. | | GLORIA T. BERKHEIMER | 22710 SE 329th St, Black Diamond, WA 98010 |
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| 20. | | Daryl L. Rush | 32626 224th Pl SE, Black Diamond, WA 98010 |

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| 23. |  | Mark Berry | 22715 SE 324th St
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April 6, 2005

Metropolitan King County Council
King County Courthouse
516 Third Avenue, Room 1025
Seattle, WA 98104

Re: No Shooting Zone Petition For Merganser Precinct

Dear King County Council members:

Plum Creek Land Company supports the No Shooting Petition presented to you by the residents of the Merganser voting precinct in the Black Diamond-Lake Sawyer area of Southeast King County. Despite Plum Creek's best efforts (including posting "No Shooting" signs and erecting access barriers to areas frequented by prohibited shooters), and the best efforts of County law enforcement, there are still some individuals who continue to discharge firearms on our property in Section 15, Township 21 north, Range 6 east, W.M. lying westerly of the City of Black Diamond. In the interest of protecting the public safety, we concur with and endorse the request of our neighbors to have this property included on the County's list of No Shooting Zones.

Sincerely,



Randy Hamblin
Development Manager, Real Estate