AWV Draft EIS Comment Form Results:

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Project Comments:

I-472-001 Please rebuild or build an aerial alternative. Enjoying the terrific views in one of the reasons I like living in Seattle. Plus I find it an excellent way to get where I'm going and avoid the freeway hassles. NO Tunnels please. If I wanted a tunnel, I can stay home in my dark and dingy basement.

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Comments apply to:

Rebuild Alternative

Aerial Alternative

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FHWA, WSDOT, and the City of Seattle appreciate receiving your comments on the Rebuild and Aerial Alternatives. Elements of the Rebuild and Aerial Alternatives have been combined to form the Elevated Structure Alternative, which was analyzed in the 2006 Supplemental Draft EIS and the Final EIS.

The views of Elliott Bay, Puget Sound, and the Olympic Mountains are prized by many. Views are currently enjoyed by motorists and passengers traveling on the upper deck of the existing viaduct. However, the views for motorists and pedestrians using downtown streets in the vicinity of the waterfront are interrupted by the existing viaduct structure. This structure is considered by some to be a substantial visual intrusion as well as a source of noise and shadow for the Pioneer Square Historic District and the Central Waterfront. Impacts to views are discussed in the Final EIS and considered in detail in Appendix D, Visual Quality Discipline Report.