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Comment Summary:

Pacific Street Interchange Option

Response:

See Section 1.2 of the 2006 Draft EIS Comment Response Report.

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Subject: Pacific Interchange alternative

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I have been a Montlake resident for some 20 years now, and I would like to make a brief comment on the Pacific Interchange alternative.

There have been, over the years, many proposals affecting transportation issues. Without question the degree of contentiousness generated with each issue posed is always very divisive, engendering such degrees of passion, anger, hatred etc., as I have ever experienced throughout my long life. Incidentally, I come from New York originally, so I know when "bad is really bad". It is no wonder how little, if anything is eventually ever done. Just look at the failed Monorail issue for example. What a tremendous waste of time and resources, both of which are so very precious these days.

In any event, I mention this in passing only because, I sense a real difference this time regarding the Pacific Interchange alternative.

It is almost unbelievable the total unifying force this proposal is having in the Montlake community.

Just think of it, the Montlake community! With all that has been "shoved down our throat" over the years, to see such a positive stance on a major transportation issue which so greatly affects this area, is as rare as hen's teeth.

Please consider this, for it is a powerful force, and this time it is very positive

Regards,

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