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Hillsboro City Council
Civic Center, 5th Floor
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RE: TRK support of the appeal of land use application DR-044-25

Mayor Pace, Council President Harris, and members of Hillsboro City Council,

I reach out to you on behalf of Tualatin Riverkeepers (TRK) and our thousands of supporters, many of whom are residents of the City of Hillsboro. I appreciate the opportunity to comment on the Sky Harbour appeal in front of Council.

Tualatin Riverkeepers supports the appeal of land use application DR-044-25 ("Sky Harbour") and we request that the Council reverse the Planning Commission's approval decision. We believe that the application fails to meet multiple aspects of the criteria developed by the City of Hillsboro, including various sections of the Community Development Code (CDC).

The Planning Commission's decision approving the Sky Harbour application was improperly made and should be denied on the grounds that the application fails to meet the City's approval criteria, the applicant uses false statements made to the FAA, and the applicant fails to carry their burden of proof.

We further believe that the characteristics of the proposed development would cause perpetual harm to the residents of Hillsboro. The negative impacts of this development have not been fully evaluated, minimized, or mitigated as required by the Hillsboro Community Development Code. The impacts include noise and air pollution, carbon emissions, and pollution to Dawson Creek, a major tributary of the Tualatin River.

Tualatin Riverkeepers requests that DR-044-25 be denied.

Best Regards,

Glenn Fee, Executive Director