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Please make the following letter part of the record for the proceeding next week on the Sauvie Island Rural Plan:

County Commissioners:

I will be out of town next week when you deliberate on the Sauvie Island Rural Plan, so am sending comments via this email.

Several biologists, agency staff and I worked collaboratively on the natural resources policies in the plan and we are very proud of them and the impact they will have on our island wildlife and habitats. The natural resources policies were not controversial in any of the hearings and seemed to be universally approved of by agency folks and island residents alike.

In addition the recommended Transportation System Plan also includes policies that protect fish and wildlife, and I would urge you to adopt these as well.

Sauvie island is a treasure, not only for people, but for thousands of critters that depend on the habitat here.

Rare turtles, frogs, waterfowl and songbirds are at the mercy of our stewardship of the land. These policies are for them, and I hope you will adopt them as written.

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