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To whom it may concern:

We tend to hear about loopholes when they involve money (loopholes in tax codes, energy permits, and land).

Now fish

Steelhead vs Salmon. This loophole is the only reason we are still having this conversation. This is not what the voters want (the city of Bainbridge Island as recent as October 14, 2020 City Council Meeting is publically supporting other uses for the location). **THIS IS NOT WHAT THE PEOPLE WANT.** Except for the people and organization who benefit - which is a foreign corporation!

Jobs will be created with the proposed land use from Wild Fish Conservancy plan which will support the cleanup and resulting dock use.

The current jobs at the facility are skilled workers (welders, divers) who have the skills to find employment at other facilities. This is not about losing work.

This is about stopping a foreign corporation from exposing a loophole.

Stop this permit, and stop this loophole.