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1. I would like to suggest that threshold to qualify for HPGA definition be lowered to preferably 15,000 AADT and in any case no more than 20,000 AADT.

2. The projects addressing water quality problems in known problem areas seem to be unfairly treated by the existing and proposed point system. I firmly believe that the water quality projects should be given a much larger share of weightage compared to other project types. The point system based solely on the total benefit area (acres) doesn't do justice to these projects very well as the project benefit areas are often not as large compared to other project types but the benefit out of these projects is of superior quality and make immediate and a real impact to protecting Salmon in the receiving water.