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Hello,

I am a Lopez Island resident who is opposed to increasing the number of vacation rentals on the island. The current number of vacation rentals is already straining the resources of the island. There is currently a desperate shortage of affordable rental housing which inhibits the community's ability to retain and attract vital workers. We do not want more housing taken out of the long-term rental market to house more tourists. I do not want the island to become a resort community which will drive out the middle and lower income families who make up a diverse community and economy.

Please save the character of Lopez and do not increase the number of vacation rentals!