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Hello everyone,

Thank you again to those of you who shared your input on scoping for the City of Puyallup's <u>Knutson Farms Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) project</u>. Your comments were used to help identify possible areas of impact and to determine the extent of the EIS analysis. The scoping report comment summary and all comments received during the scoping comment period are <u>now available</u> online and **PHASE 1** is now complete.

PHASE 1 reports:

- Full scoping summary report
- Full list of comments
- <u>Scoping report presentation summary</u>

The City is now moving into **PHASE 2** of the project, which will include an in-depth analysis of the proposal's impacts. The city has hired a team of environmental consultants to conduct a rigorous and independent review of the project. This phase is expected to take 8-10 months, concluding with a draft Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) report in the fall of 2021. During this process of drafting the EIS, you may receive occasional updates from the city through email, social media or the knutsonfarmseis.org website. In **PHASE 3**, there will be further opportunity for public review and comments when the draft EIS report is released. This will be the next opportunity to provide formal input, but in the meantime, feel free to email me with any questions – Chris Beale, Senior Planner, <u>cbeale@puyallupwa.gov</u> or (253) 841.5418.

For more information about the EIS process and to sign up for project updates, visit <u>knutsonfarmseis.org</u>. Keep an eye out for more information as we prepare the Draft EIS – we will be back in touch.

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