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October 11, 2016

Joe Kane Nisqually Land Trust 1420 Marvin Rd. NE, Ste. C PMB 243 Lacey, WA 98516

Dear Mr. Kane:

The purpose of this letter is to inform you that the Board of County Commissioners approved Capitol Land Trust's request for \$132,000 from the Conservation Futures fund to support the Nisqually River Whitewater Reach Shoreline Protection (Rodriguez) project. This project involves the acquisition of parcel 22716220000, totaling approximately five (5) acres.

The Board agreed to provide funds for the Whitewater Reach project with the condition that the acquisition be completed no later than September 30, 2017. Please note that you will need to complete a conservation agreement with Thurston County prior to the release of Conservation Futures funds. Also, note that invoices for Conservation Futures funds must be submitted at least two weeks prior to the escrow closing date.

Thank you for your interest in the Thurston County Conservation Futures program. Please contact Andrew Deffobis in our Resource Stewardship Department at (360) 786-5467 or deffoba@co.thurston.wa.us should you have any questions about this award.

Sincerely.

Sandra Romero, Chair

Cathy Wolfe, Vice-Chair

Byd Blake, Commissioner