ZBEFORE THE SKAGIT COUNTY HEARING EXAMINER

FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATION

Applicant: Larry and Gloria Dunn

Address: 21994 Bulson Road

Mount Vernon, WA 98274

File No: C/U Open Space Land App #01-2017

Request: To include 9.6 acres in the Current Use Open Space

Land Program

Location: Portion of \$1/2NE1/4NE1/4 Sec. 29, T33N, R4E, W.M. (For

complete description see Staff Report)

Assessor's No: Portion of P17438

Public Hearing; After reviewing the report of the Assessor's Office, the Hearing

Examiner conducted a public hearing on April 12, 2017.

Recommendation: Approval

FINDINGS

- 1. Larry and Gloria Dunn request the inclusion of land in the Current Use Open Space Land program.
- 2. The property is located east of Cedardale Road and west of Bulson Road within a portion of \$1/2NE1/4NE1/4 Sec. 29, T33N, R4E, W.M.
 - 3. The requested transfer involves 9.6 acres.
- 4. The open space status is sought to conserve or enhance natural, cultural or scenic resources.
- 5. The hearing was held after due notice. There was no public testimony and there were no written comments.
 - 6. The Examiner admitted the Exhibits submitted by Staff.
 - 7. The Examiner finds that the property meets the definition of the classification sought.
 - 8. The Staff recommends approval. The Examiner concurs with Staff.

RECOMMENDATION

The Examiner recommends approval of the application.

Wick Dufford, Hearing Examiner

Date: May 3, 2017

Copies transmitted to Applicant, Assessor, County Commissioners: May 3, 2017