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Message

It is with great sadness and some anger that I write Ms Olson, Ms Stewart and Mr Boldt about your decision to overturn the Alternative 4 plan approved in November 2015. I don't own any rural land to subdivide. However, I would like to retire on a couple of acres and spend my last days in peace and quiet with my children and grandchildren. We've been looking for a small parcel of land for over 1 year and have seen virtually none become available. What few parcels have come onto the market have been ~\$100,000 per acre.

Did you put yourself in the shoes of the landowners you denied choice to? Did you consider that you have taken away their rights but still demand that they pay the taxes and fees you deem critical? Did you decide that everyone should live in cities and only a privileged few can live outside the walls?

Did you survey those you have shackled? Apparently you didn't believe those who testified. Why have you chosen to turn your backs on the very people who supported you in your election? If those people had known your true views and your stance on their freedom and rights would they have voted for you?

As a conservative I'm disappointed in your action. As a person I'm saddened by your lack of concern for your fellow citizens. As a voter you have sent a clear signal that the will of the people means little or nothing. As a citizen I am ashamed of your action.