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Seattle, WA 98114
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6 November 2013

City of Seattle
Department of Finance and Administrative Services (FAS)
c/o InterIm CDA
Seattle, WA 98104

RE: DANNY WOO COMMUNITY GARDEN

Dear City of Seattle Dept. of FAS;

I am a business owner of an architectural practice located in the Seattle Chinatown/International District (SCID) since 1995. My office is in the Nihonmachi (Japantown) portion of the SCID, a short walking distance from the Danny Woo Community Garden. I am very familiar with the work by InterIm CDA in preserving, maintaining, and enhancing the qualities that create a viable and vibrant mixed-use neighborhood that includes one of the City's oldest urban residential neighborhoods. As an architect and designer of the built environment, I am well aware of the desirability of the creation of and investment in open space that help support a quality residential environment especially in an urban context.

I have been a strong supporter for InterIm CDA's work in the Danny Woo Community Garden in improving the lives of low-income residents in the International District. This Garden is one of the few green spaces in the neighborhood, providing the community's elderly the opportunity to garden, exercise, and maintain strong relationships with each other. The Children Garden Program also teaches a seed to plate curriculum to the teens and children who live in or near the community.

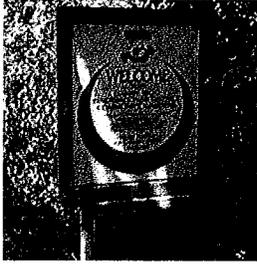
As a member of the Seattle First Hill Lions, a service organization that meets and conducts business in the SCID, we have also been longtime supporters of InterIm CDA and their programs. The entirety of our fundraising is dedicated to be returned back to the betterment of the community. We target programs that we feel best meets our mission to support community organizations and programs that serve and benefit the community at large. InterIm CDA programs including those at the Danny Woo Community Gardens have been recipients of our continued support over the years.

I am writing to voice my support of InterIm CDA's acquisition of land parcel 5247980-2025 from the Dept. of FAS, which I believe will further enhance the programs at the garden.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Gerald Chihara". The signature is fluid and cursive, written over a dark grey background.

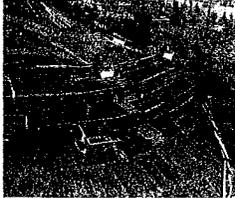
Gerald Chihara
Chihara Architect
jerrychihara@hotmail.com



November 13, 2013

Fred Podesta, Director, Dept of Finance & Admin Services
Hillary Hamilton, Real Estate Property Manager

Re: Transfer of Land Parcel 5247980-2025



Dear Mr. Podesta and Ms. Hamilton,

We strongly urge you to support InterIm CDA's acquisition of land parcel 5247980-2025 on South Main Street and Maynard Avenue adjacent to the Danny Woo Community Garden from your department.



The Garden is the one of the very few green spaces in the neighborhood, providing the community's elderly the opportunity to garden, exercise, and maintain strong relationships with each other. It also has the Children's Garden which teaches a seed to plate curriculum to the teens and children who live in or near the community.



We at Community Coalition for Environmental Justice advocate for more open and green spaces for Chinatown ID to assist the health and wellbeing for the environment, its residence and visitors.

As to our larger Asian Pacific Islander communities, it is a gathering place with the annual pig roast, a place to honor our leaders with tree naming, a place of peace and pride for the whole City.



We will forever remember your generosity and foresight.

Sincerely,

Bang Nguyen

Bang Nguyen, Co-Chair
Community Coalition for Environmental Justice
PO Box 95938
Seattle, WA 98145-2938





HISTORIC CHINATOWN GATE FOUNDATION

西雅圖華埠牌樓基金會

PO BOX 18922

Seattle, Washington 98118

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Daniel Bretzke

City of Seattle-FAS

P. O. Box 94689

Seattle, WA 98124-4689

Dear Mr. Bretzke:

We have been a strong supporter for InterIm CDA's work in the Danny Woo Community Garden in improving the lives of low-income residents in the Chinatown/International District. This Garden is one of the few green spaces in the neighborhood, providing the community's elderly the opportunity to garden, exercise, and maintain strong relationships with each other. The Children Garden also teaches a seed to plate curriculum to the teens and children who live in or near the community.

We are writing to voice our support of InterIm CDA's acquisition of land parcel 5247980-2025 from the department of Finance and Administrative Services, which we believe will further enhance the programs at the garden.

Sincerely,

Tuck Eng

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611 S Lane St
Seattle WA 98104

T 206.624.5633
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November 15, 2014

Fred Podesta, Director
Department of Finance and Administrative Services
City of Seattle
700 5th Avenue, 52nd Floor
P.O. Box 94689
Seattle, Washington, 98124-4689

Dear Mr. Podesta:

Chinese Information and Service Center (CISC) has been a strong supporter for InterIm CDA's work in the Danny Woo Community Garden in improving the lives of low-income residents in the International District. This Garden is one of the few green spaces in the neighborhood, providing the community's elderly the opportunity to garden, exercise, and maintain strong relationships with each other. The Children Garden also teaches a seed-to-plate curriculum to the teens and children who live in or near the community.

The Department of Finance and Administrative Services' (FAS) interest in transferring ownership of the property to InterIm with the conditions that InterIm CDA maintain and continue to utilize the space as an extension of the community garden will provide great benefits to the community. These benefits include: seating for the public and for elder gardeners; a beautiful green space in the ID which has very little outdoor opportunities for its residents; an area in which the DWCG will be able to maintain and increase programming for neighborhood children – for example, cooking, crafts, garden games; and lastly, an event space, such as its use at the recent harvest festival for cider pressing and live music.

Additionally, InterIm CDA's ownership of this land will increase the security of the Danny Woo Community Garden into the future, excludes this land from development, and retains the elevated food security of 70 elders living in the International District.

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Sincerely,

Dorothy Wong
Executive Director



November 12, 2014

Dear City of Seattle Finance and Administrative Services Department,

City Fruit is a strong supporter for InterIm CDA's work in improving the orchard in the Danny Woo Community Garden. By restoring the orchard to productivity, InterIm CDA is improving the lives of low-income residents in the Chinatown/International District. The Garden and orchard are one of the few green spaces in the neighborhood, providing the community's elderly the opportunity to garden, exercise, and maintain strong relationships with each other. InterIm CDA and City Fruit have worked together to educate neighbors of the garden about fruit tree care and brought them together to harvest fruit and press cider. We look forward to continuing this partnership into the future.

City Fruit strongly supports InterIm CDA's acquisition of land parcel 5247980-2025 from the department of Finance and Administrative Services. We believe this acquisition will further enhance the programs at the garden. As one example, the FAS space was used to host a lively community cider pressing event this October: many adults and children gathered to press fruit from the orchards. These events are invaluable in building community – especially in parts of town where outdoor space is so precious.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Gail Savina".

Gail Savina
Executive Director, City fruit



November 8, 2013

Dear City of Seattle Finance and Administrative Services Department,

The Denise Louie Education Center has been a strong supporter for InterIm CDA's work in the Danny Woo Community Garden in improving the lives of low-income residents in the International District. This Garden is one of the few green spaces in the neighborhood, providing the community's elderly the opportunity to garden, exercise, and maintain strong relationships with each other. The Children Garden also teaches a seed to plate curriculum to the teens and children who live in or near the community. Our children have participated in gardening projects with InterIm's staff and benefited from this program.

We are writing to voice our support of InterIm CDA's acquisition of land parcel 5247980-2025 from the department of Finance and Administrative Services, which we believe will further enhance the programs at the garden.

Sincerely,



Janice Deguchi
Executive Director

City of Seattle Finance and Administrative Services Department

P.O. Box 94680

Seattle, WA 98124-4689

Re: Land Parcel 5247980-2025, South Main Street and Maynard Avenue South

親愛的 西雅圖市財務和行政服務部:

我支持 InterIm CDA 在丹尼吳社區菜園的工作以及他們為唐人街/國際區的老人和孩子努力提供的服務。我相信 InterIm CDA 從西雅圖市財務和行政服務部取得的這塊土地(#5247980-2025)能進一步加強在菜園的活動。我支持西雅圖市轉讓此土地所有權給 InterIm CDA。

謝謝!

姓名(請填寫): Jin xing Wu

簽名: Jin xing Wu

電話號碼: (206) 682-4546

口語/語言: 廣東話

日期: 013/11-26

鄰里地區或公寓大廈名稱:

520. S. MAIN ST #1002 Seattle, WA, 98104

意見:

沒有意見。我們希望一是能保留我現在耕的這塊地。

City of Seattle Finance and Administrative Services Department
P.O. Box 94680
Seattle, WA 98124-4689
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謝謝!

姓名(請填寫): Li zhan Lei

簽名: Li zhan Lei

電話號碼: (206) 6824546

口語/語言: 廣東話

日期: 013/11-26

鄰里地區或公寓大廈名稱:

520. S. Main St #1002, Seattle, WA. 98104

意見:

沒有意見。我希望一定能保留我現在耕種的這塊地。

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圖市轉讓此土地所有權給 InterIm CDA。

謝謝!

姓名(請填寫): MEI QIONG HUANG, WU FU XIN

簽名: MEI QIONG HUANG WU FU XIN

電話號碼: 206-748-9696

口語/語言: 粵語

日期: 11.24-2013

鄰里地區或公寓大廈名稱: 202.6th-AVE SAPT606
SEATTLE WA 98104

意見:

堅決支持西雅圖市財務和行政服務部把這
塊土地(#5247980-2025)交付丹尼吳社區菜地
管理和使用。

City of Seattle Finance and Administrative Services Department
P.O. Box 94680
Seattle, WA 98124-4689
Re: Land Parcel 5247980-2025, South Main Street and Maynard Avenue South

시애틀 재정 및 행정 서비스 부서 담당자께,

저는 인터림 씨디에이(Interlm CDA)의 대니 우 커뮤니티 정원과 차이나 타운 / 인터내셔널 디스트릭트에서 노인들과 아이들을 위해 인터림 씨디에이(Interlm CDA)에서 제공하는 서비스를 지지합니다. 저는 인터림 씨디에이가 토지구역 5247980-2025 를 인수하게 된다면, 대니우 커뮤니티 정원의 프로그램을 더욱 향상시킬수 있을 것이라고 믿습니다. 저는 시애틀 시에서 토지의 주권을 인터림 씨디에이(Interlm CDA)로 이전해줄 것을 지지합니다. 감사합니다.

이름 (정자로 작성해주시오): _____ 서명: Hee Woon Huang

전화 번호: 206-328-6691 사용하는 언어: 코리아

날짜: 11-19-13

거주하는 지역 또는 아파트 건물 이름: _____

댓글:

취미생활과 건강을 위하여
꼭 필요합니다

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이름 (정자로 작성해주시오): PAN YE MO 서명: MO PANYE.

전화 번호: 206-622-1083 사용하는 언어: 49, ~ 60.

날짜: 여주

거주하는 지역 또는 아파트 건물 이름: INTERNATIONAL TERRACE

댓글:

감사합니다 집에 잇다가 봤래가면
후 조와유 반태가면 차와도보고
판도보고 웹스씨 빌딩 더 잘나지요 크면우리가
쉽키요면 맞있서요 참감합니다
고맙스니다

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P.O. Box 94680
Seattle, WA 98124-4689
Re: Land Parcel 5247980-2025, South Main Street and Maynard Avenue South

Dear City of Seattle Finance and Administrative Services Department,

I support InterIm CDA's work in the Danny Woo Community Garden and their effort to serve elders and children in the Chinatown/International District. I believe that InterIm CDA's acquisition of land parcel 5247980-2025 from the department of Finance and Administrative Services will further enhance the programming at the garden. I am in support of the City transferring ownership of this property to InterIm CDA.

Thank you,

Name (Please print): Barbara Billings Signature: Barbara Billings
plot 59, 71
Phone number: 206-624-6633 Languages Spoken: English

Date: 11/8/13

Neighborhood or Apartment Building Name: The Loft (210 3rd Ave S)

Comments:

I strongly encourage the City of Seattle to transfer ownership of the parcel of land in front part of the garden off S. Main St to the Danny Woo Community Garden (Interim CDA)
I have been gardening here for over 13 yrs, and totally enjoy meeting and interacting with the dedicated gardeners and community supporters.

Barbara Billings

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Seattle, WA 98124-4689
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다스트릭트에서 노인들과 아이들을 위해 인터림 씨디에이(Interlm CDA)에서 제공하는 서비스를
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이름 (정자로 작성해주시오): KIL YONG PARK 서명: 박길용

전화 번호: (206) 621-1733 사용하는 언어: Korean and English

날짜: Nov. 08, 2013

거주하는 지역 또는 아파트 건물 이름: The Chancery place Apartment
910 manion st. apt # 103 Seattle WA 98104

댓글:

I am full support to transfer ^{to} Interim CDA which
we are using vegetable farm from the city of Seattle. We are
enjoying very much have a good vegetable harvest so far
so good. we have a lot of good memories in our
gardens. we hope the Interim to be used as vegetable
garden and outdoor kitchen.

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圖市轉讓此土地所有權給 InterIm CDA。

謝謝!

姓名(請填寫): KAM TOI CHUN

簽名: Ka

電話號碼: 206-625-5343

口語/語言: Cantonese

日期: 11-11-2013

鄰里地區或公寓大廈名稱:

306 6th Ave S N.P.

意見:

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謝謝!

姓名(請填寫): ZHINAN WEI

簽名: Zhinan Wei

電話號碼: 425-463-9274

口語/語言: Chinese

日期: 11/08 / 2013

鄰里地區或公寓大廈名稱:

925 E Alder street APT 212

意見:

我支持西雅圖市將這塊土地所有權給 interIm CDA.

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謝謝!

姓名(請填寫): Shuyao Shan

簽名: Shan

電話號碼: 206 623 2971

口語/語言: Chinese

日期: 11/13/2013

鄰里地區或公寓大廈名稱:

意見: Yes 建議

如果成功的话, 我建議 小的 房子 及 廁所

保留 大 出 院 供 用, 可以 簡單 弄 个 棚 子, 以

遮 陽 及 防 雨, 或 平 街 保 留

更 妥 考 慮 保 費 問 題

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謝謝!

姓名(請填寫): Sin Yau Wong

簽名: Sin Yau Wong

電話號碼: 206-262-0690

口語/語言: 廣東話 Cantonese

日期: 10/11/2013

鄰里地區或公寓大廈名稱:

657 S. WELLEN ST. #304. SEATTLE, WA. 98104

意見: I support the Danny Woo Community Garden Work.

我支持丹尼吳社區菜園的工作。

他和我有興趣並在種菜活動中也體驗了
身體也獲得了收益。

支持西雅圖市轉讓此土地所有權給 InterIm CDA。

(X X X X) It allows me to train my body through planting.
not sure
I support the transfer of this land's ownership to InterIm CDA.

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我支持 InterIm CDA 在丹尼吳社區菜園的工作以及他們為唐人街/國際區的老
人和孩子努力提供的服務。我相信 InterIm CDA 從西雅圖市財務和行政服務
部取得的這塊土地(#5247980-2025)能進一步加強在菜園的活動。我支持西雅
圖市轉讓此土地所有權給 InterIm CDA。

謝謝!

姓名(請填寫): Wei Tack Zia (Plot 80)

簽名: 

電話號碼: 206-625-5343

口語/語言: Chinese

日期: 11-10-13

鄰里地區或公寓大廈名稱:

306-6th Ave S #503 Seattle WA 98104

意見:

City of Seattle Finance and Administrative Services Department

P.O. Box 94680

Seattle, WA 98124-4689

Re: Land Parcel 5247980-2025, South Main Street and Maynard Avenue South

親愛的 西雅圖市財務和行政服務部:

我支持 InterIm CDA 在丹尼吳社區菜園的工作以及他們為唐人街/國際區的老人和孩子努力提供的服務。我相信 InterIm CDA 從西雅圖市財務和行政服務部取得的這塊土地(#5247980-2025)能進一步加強在菜園的活動。我支持西雅圖市轉讓此土地所有權給 InterIm CDA。

謝謝!

姓名(請填寫): Zhanming Li & Guoying Qin.

簽名: Zhanming, Guoying Qin

電話號碼: (206)340-1260

口語/語言: Chinese

日期: 11/12/2013

鄰里地區或公寓大廈名稱:

NP Hotel

意見:

堅決支持.

City of Seattle Finance and Administrative Services Department
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Seattle, WA 98124-4689
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親愛的 西雅圖市財務和行政服務部:

我支持 InterIm CDA 在丹尼吳社區菜園的工作以及他們為唐人街/國際區的老人和孩子努力提供的服務。我相信 InterIm CDA 從西雅圖市財務和行政服務部取得的這塊土地(#5247980-2025)能進一步加強在菜園的活動。我支持西雅圖市轉讓此土地所有權給 InterIm CDA。

謝謝!

姓名(請填寫): yanfer Huang

簽名: yanfer Huang

電話號碼: (206) 438-4433

口語/語言: Mandarin Chinese

日期: 11-11-13

鄰里地區或公寓大廈名稱: NP Hotel

意見:

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親愛的西雅圖市財務和行政服務部:

我支持 InterIm CDA 在丹尼吳社區菜園的工作以及他們為唐人街/國際區的老人和孩子努力提供的服務。我相信 InterIm CDA 從西雅圖市財務和行政服務部取得的這塊土地(#5247980-2025)能進一步加強在菜園的活動。我支持西雅圖市轉讓此土地所有權給 InterIm CDA。

謝謝!

姓名(請填寫): Su Juan Chen (陳素娟)
簽名: Su Juan Chen

電話號碼: 206-260-8261

口語/語言: 廣東話 Cantonese

日期: 2013年11月9日

鄰里地區或公寓大廈名稱: 202 6TH 國際大廈

意見:

我支持 InterIm CDA 在丹尼吳社區菜園的工作以及他們為唐人街國際區的老人和孩子努力提供的服務。我支持西雅圖市轉讓此土地所有權給 InterIm CDA。

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親愛的西雅圖市財務和行政服務部:

我支持 InterIm CDA 在丹尼吳社區菜園的工作以及他們為唐人街/國際區的老人和孩子努力提供的服務。我相信 InterIm CDA 從西雅圖市財務和行政服務部取得的這塊土地(#5247980-2025)能進一步加強在菜園的活動。我支持西雅圖市轉讓此土地所有權給 InterIm CDA。

謝謝!

姓名(請填寫): JIN JU CHEN { 陈锦豹 }
簽名: Jin Ju Chen
電話號碼: 206-264-8261
口語/語言: 廣東話 Cantonese
日期: 2013年11月9日
鄰里地區或公寓大廈名稱: 202 6th 國際大廈

意見:

我支持 INTERIM CDA 在丹尼吳社區菜園的工作
及為唐人街國際區的老人和孩子們努力提供的服務
我支持市轉讓此土地所有權給 INTERIM CDA。

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親愛的 西雅圖市財務和行政服務部:

我支持 InterIm CDA 在丹尼吳社區菜園的工作以及他們為唐人街/國際區的老人和孩子努力提供的服務。我相信 InterIm CDA 從西雅圖市財務和行政服務部取得的這塊土地(#5247980-2025)能進一步加強在菜園的活動。我支持西雅圖市轉讓此土地所有權給 InterIm CDA。

謝謝!

姓名(請填寫): 李楊黃麗娟

簽名: 李楊黃麗娟

電話號碼: (206) 383-5804

口語/語言: 粵語 Cantonese

日期: ~~2013~~ 2013. 11. 11.

鄰里地區或公寓大廈名稱: 唐人街, 國際區, 國際大廈[#] 202.503

意見:

我們非常熱愛這塊菜園土地, 因為它可以使我們能有依託
能鍛鍊身體, 又能使我們增加收入, 能吃到自己種的鮮蔬菜。

we really love this garden, because it gives us something to rely on, enables us to train our body (physical exercise), increases our income, also lets us eat the fresh vegetables we plant. 3

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Seattle, WA 98124-4689

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謝謝!

姓名(請填寫): CHAN SHIANG CHEN

簽名: 老祥 chen

電話號碼: (206) 623 3390

口語/語言: Mandarin

日期: 11-8-2013

鄰里地區或公寓大廈名稱:

Imperial House

意見: 我希望西雅圖市政府將轉讓此土地 (#5247980-2025)

所有權給 InterIm CDA.

I wish the City of Seattle transfers the ownership of this parcel of land (#5247980-2025) to InterIm CDA.

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謝謝!

姓名(請填寫): 蘇李元

簽名: Tin-yuan Su Lee

電話號碼: (206) 624-8544

口語/語言: 粵語

日期: 10/11/13

鄰里地區或公寓大廈名稱: Imperial House

意見:

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Seattle, WA 98124-4689
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親愛的 西雅圖市財務和行政服務部:

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人和孩子努力提供的服務。我相信 InterIm CDA 從西雅圖市財務和行政服務
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圖市轉讓此土地所有權給 InterIm CDA。

謝謝!

姓名(請填寫): 蘇 明 豪

簽名: Min-chia Su

電話號碼: (206) 620-8544

口語/語言: 華語

日期: 10/1/13

鄰里地區或公寓大廈名稱:

Imperial House.

意見:

City of Seattle Finance and Administrative Services Department
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Seattle, WA 98124-4689
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親愛的 西雅圖市財務和行政服務部:

我支持 InterIm CDA 在丹尼吳社區菜園的工作以及他們為唐人街/國際區的老人和孩子努力提供的服務。我相信 InterIm CDA 從西雅圖市財務和行政服務部取得的這塊土地(#5247980-2025)能進一步加強在菜園的活動。我支持西雅圖市轉讓此土地所有權給 InterIm CDA。

謝謝!

姓名(請填寫): 張慧容

簽名: Heui-Jung Chang

電話號碼 (206) 223-0836

口語/語言: 華語

日期: 10/11/13

鄰里地區或公寓大廈名稱: Imperial House

意見:

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親愛的 西雅圖市財務和行政服務部:

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謝謝!

姓名(請填寫): YUE MEI CHEN

簽名: Yue Mei Chen

電話號碼: (206) 623 3390

口語/語言: Mandarin

日期: 11-8-2013

鄰里地區或公寓大廈名稱:

Imperial House

意見:

我支持西雅圖市轉讓此土地 (#5247980-2025)
給 Interim CDA,

I support the City of Seattle to transfer the ownership of this parcel of land (#5247980-2025) to Interim CDA. 

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親愛的 西雅圖市財務和行政服務部:

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人和孩子努力提供的服務。我相信 InterIm CDA 從西雅圖市財務和行政服務
部取得的這塊土地(#5247980-2025)能進一步加強在菜園的活動。我支持西雅
圖市轉讓此土地所有權給 InterIm CDA。

謝謝!

姓名(請填寫): JIN-KHOON CHU LI-YUN CHU

簽名: Jin Koon Chu Chu & Yun

電話號碼: 206-623-4586

口語/語言: Mandarin

日期: NOV 9, 2013

鄰里地區或公寓大廈名稱:

IMPERIAL HOUSE.

意見:

我希望西雅圖市將該土地 (#5247980-2025) 所有權轉讓給
InterIm CDA.

I wish the City of Seattle transfers the
ownership of this parcel of land (#5247980-2025)
to InterIm CDA.

City of Seattle Finance and Administrative Services Department
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Seattle, WA 98124-4689
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親愛的西雅圖市財務和行政服務部:

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謝謝!

姓名(請填寫): SAU NGAI CHOI

簽名: SAU NGAI CHOI

電話號碼: (206) 223 9534

口語/語言: Chiamess

日期: 11-8-2013

鄰里地區或公寓大廈名稱:

Imperial House, 502 Main St. # 901

意見:

希望市府官員支持繼續此土地的轉讓
我支持西雅圖市轉讓此土地 (#5247980-2025)
給 InterIm CDA.

Hope city officials support the transfer of the ownership. I support the City of Seattle to transfer the ownership of this parcel of land (#5247980-2025) to InterIm CDA.

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親愛的 西雅圖市財務和行政服務部:

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部取得的這塊土地(#5247980-2025)能進一步加強在菜園的活動。我支持西雅
圖市轉讓此土地所有權給 InterIm CDA。

謝謝!

姓名(請填寫): Shei-whay Jou

簽名: Shei-whay Jou

電話號碼: (206) 667-9357

口語/語言: 普通話 M

日期: 11-11-2013

鄰里地區或公寓大廈名稱:



Sheiwhay Jou
520 S Main St Apt 709
Seattle WA 98104-2707

意見:

我支持西雅圖市轉讓此土地所有權給 InterIm CDA
(#5247980-2025)

I support the City of Seattle to transfer the
ownership of this parcel of land (#5247980-2025)
to Interim CDA

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시애틀 재정 및 행정 서비스 부서 담당자께,

저는 인터림 씨디에이(Interlm CDA)의 대니 우 커뮤니티 정원과 차이나 타운 / 인터내셔널 디스트릭트에서 노인들과 아이들을 위해 인터림 씨디에이(Interlm CDA)에서 제공하는 서비스를 지지합니다. 저는 인터림 씨디에이가 토지구역 5247980-2025 를 인수하게 된다면, 대니우 커뮤니티 정원의 프로그램을 더욱 향상시킬수 있을 것이라고 믿습니다. 저는 시애틀 시에서 토지의 주권을 인터림 씨디에이(Interlm CDA)로 이전해줄 것을 지지합니다. 감사합니다.

이름 (정자로 작성해주시오): Sung Chil Jung 서명: Sung Chil Jung

전화 번호: 623 - 4767 사용하는 언어: 한국어

날짜: 11/12/11

거주하는 지역 또는 아파트 건물 이름: Imperial house 5205 main st #406
Seattle wa 98104

댓글:

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Seattle, WA 98124-4689
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親愛的 西雅圖市財務和行政服務部:

我支持 InterIm CDA 在丹尼吳社區菜園的工作以及他們為唐人街/國際區的老人和孩子努力提供的服務。我相信 InterIm CDA 從西雅圖市財務和行政服務部取得的這塊土地(#5247980-2025)能進一步加強在菜園的活動。我支持西雅圖市轉讓此土地所有權給 InterIm CDA。

謝謝!

姓名(請填寫): an s ligo chao

簽名: Tai Chao

電話號碼: 206-624-4597 #509 and #505

口語/語言: 國語 Chinese

日期: 11/11/2013

鄰里地區或公寓大廈名稱: ~~202~~ 202 6th AVE. S WA. 98104

意見:

堅決支持西雅圖市財務和行政服務部把這塊土地轉讓給 InterIm CDA 供我們區下居民老人及孩子們運用這塊土地建一個菜園室外烹飪區以便於人們互相交流。這
是一個祥和溫暖美好社區。堅決支持。

Firmly support City of Seattle Finance and Administrative Services Department to transfer this parcel of land to InterIm CDA, so to let gardeners, elderly, and children to use this parcel of land to build a community garden outdoor cookery. It is convenient for gardeners ↓ 13

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親愛的 西雅圖市財務和行政服務部:

我支持 InterIm CDA 在丹尼吳社區菜園的工作以及他們為唐人街/國際區的老人和孩子努力提供的服務。我相信 InterIm CDA 從西雅圖市財務和行政服務部取得的這塊土地(#5247980-2025)能進一步加強在菜園的活動。我支持西雅圖市轉讓此土地所有權給 InterIm CDA。

謝謝!

姓名(請填寫): Guicun Chen

簽名: Guicun Chen

電話號碼: 206-442-5883

口語/語言: Contonneso

日期: 11/9/2013

鄰里地區或公寓大廈名稱:

International Tenancy 2026th Ave S #605

意見:

非常同意 西雅圖市財務和行政服務部把這塊土地轉讓給 InterIm CDA。使我們老人及孩子能運用這塊土地建一個丹尼吳菜園。室外種植區。便于互相交流。加強人際交往。這也一個祥和。是區內美好社區。堅決支持。

Translation on back:

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親愛的西雅圖市財務和行政服務部:

我支持 InterIm CDA 在丹尼吳社區菜園的工作以及他們為唐人街/國際區的老人和孩子努力提供的服務。我相信 InterIm CDA 從西雅圖市財務和行政服務部取得的這塊土地(#5247980-2025)能進一步加強在菜園的活動。我支持西雅圖市轉讓此土地所有權給 InterIm CDA。

謝謝!

姓名(請填寫): QIU F LI

簽名: Q LI

電話號碼: 206-682-6164

口語/語言: 廣東話 Cantonese

日期: 11-9-2013

鄰里地區或公寓大廈名稱:

202 ~~6th~~ Ave S #909

意見:

I strongly support the transfer of this land to InterIm CDA.

Firmly support the transfer of the ownership of this land to InterIm CDA.

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Re: Land Parcel 5247980-2025, South Main Street and Maynard Avenue South

親愛的 西雅圖市財務和行政服務部:

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謝謝!

姓名(請填寫): ZHAO YU-CHAO, SHOW-CHAN CHEN

簽名: ZHAO YU-CHAO, SHOW-CHAN CHEN

電話號碼: (206) 682-2651

口語/語言: 國語 Chinese

日期: _____

鄰里地區或公寓大廈名稱:

520, MAIN ST. APT 1104 SEATTLE WA 98104

意見:

堅決支持西雅圖市財務和行政服務部把這塊土地轉讓給 InterIm CDA 使用, 使我們能建立室外菜園區, 加強老人園丁, 居民, 鄰里和園藝的互相交流, 建立美好, 祥和的社區。堅決支持。

City of Seattle Finance and Administrative Services Department
P.O. Box 94680
Seattle, WA 98124-4689
Re: Land Parcel 5247980-2025, South Main Street and Maynard Avenue South

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謝謝!

姓名(請填寫): Chou Wun Chou Yee

簽名: CHOU WUN CHOU YEE

電話號碼: 206-340-8812

口語/語言: 廣東話

日期: 11/9/2013

鄰里地區或公寓大廈名稱: 2026th AVE S. #203

Seattle Housing
Authority

意見:

堅決支持把這塊土地撥給 InterIm CDA
加強華埠社區建設。

Firmly support the transfer of ownership of this parcel of land to InterIm CDA to strengthen the garden. Building lovely neighborhood.

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시애틀 재정 및 행정 서비스 부서 담당자께,

저는 인터림 씨디에이(Interlm CDA)의 대니 우 커뮤니티 정원과 차이나 타운 / 인터내셔널 디스트릭트에서 노인들과 아이들을 위해 인터림 씨디에이(Interlm CDA)에서 제공하는 서비스를 지지합니다. 저는 인터림 씨디에이가 토지구역 5247980-2025 를 인수하게 된다면, 대니우 커뮤니티 정원의 프로그램을 더욱 향상시킬수 있을 것이라고 믿습니다. 저는 시애틀 시에서 토지의 주권을 인터림 씨디에이(Interlm CDA)로 이전해줄 것을 지지합니다. 감사합니다.

이름 (정자로 작성해주시오): HEEJA SONG
YOUNG S SONG 서명: Young S Song
전화 번호: 206) 682-0064 사용하는 언어: KOREAN (한국어)

날짜: 11-9-13

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謝謝!

姓名(請填寫): IEK C TONG

簽名: IEK C TONG

電話號碼: (206) 322-1531

口語/語言: 廣東話 Cantonese

日期: 11-10-2013

鄰里地區或公寓大廈名稱:

Beacon Tower - 5 Massachusetts St Apt

意見:

業地号数 69

Plot number 69

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P.O. Box 94680
Seattle, WA 98124-4689
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謝謝!

姓名(請填寫): XIE PAN

簽名: *Xie Pan*

電話號碼: 206-524-4324

口語/語言: ~~English~~ Mandarin

日期: 11/10/2013

鄰里地區或公寓大廈名稱: University House

意見:

在這些菜園地上種植蔬菜鍛煉身體, 大大增^加了晚年生活的好處。謝謝。

Planting vegetables on this garden given me the opportunity to train my body (provides physical exercise) greatly increases the life temperament in my Golden years (elderly years/ later part of life). Thank you. 20

City of Seattle Finance and Administrative Services Department

P.O. Box 94680

Seattle, WA 98124-4689

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謝謝!

姓名(請填寫): SHOURONG YI

簽名: 

電話號碼: 206-293-0419

口語/語言: _____

日期: 11/9/2013

鄰里地區或公寓大廈名稱:

UW HOUSING

意見:

City of Seattle Finance and Administrative Services Department
P.O. Box 94680
Seattle, WA 98124-4689
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謝謝!

姓名(請填寫): Jenly P. Lin

簽名: Jenly

電話號碼: 206 617-7729

口語/語言: chinese

日期: 10-2-13

鄰里地區或公寓大廈名稱:

意見:

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OF LANDSCAPE BOX 355734
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November 12, 2013

**Fred Podesta, Director
Department of Finance and Administrative Services
City of Seattle
700 Fifth Avenue, 52nd Floor
PO Box 94689
Seattle, WA 98124-4689**

Dear Director Podesta,

I am pleased to provide this letter of support for the transfer of ownership for the city-owned parcel at S. Main Street and Maynard Avenue S. (parcel number 524780-2025), currently used by the Danny Woo Community Garden, to InterIm Community Development Association (ICDA). The Danny Woo Community Garden is one of the most remarkable and historically significant public spaces in Seattle. Started by a group of community organizers in the 1970s, the garden has blossomed and expanded to adjacent properties owned by different entities. For four decades, ICDA has been an active and responsible steward of the garden. It has been successful in not only obtaining necessary resources to maintain the garden, but also engaging a variety of stakeholders to support the garden. They include not only the gardeners themselves who are primarily elderly immigrants, but also volunteers and other local residents. Through ICDA's effort, the garden has become a highly successful community public space in every sense of the term.

As a faculty in landscape architecture at the University of Washington, I have many opportunities of interacting with gardeners and managers the Danny Woo Garden over the years. My understanding and strong appreciation of the garden and ICDA's stewardship stem from my direct knowledge of the garden. In my interviews with gardeners for a neighborhood improvement project, the elderly immigrant gardeners commented on how the garden provided a space not only for growing food and engaging in physical exercise, they also provided important opportunities for them to meet and connect with other residents in the community, a new place for many of the elderly immigrants. With help of students from the University of Washington, ICDA has worked on many improvements in the garden over the years. They also organize volunteers from local schools and programs. Most recently, ICDA added a children's garden to engage younger residents in the community. Through these efforts, the garden not only serves as a place for the gardeners but also for the diverse residents in the neighborhood and even visitors.

It is exciting to know that there is an opportunity for the City of Seattle to transfer the ownership of the parcel facing S. Main Street to ICDA to ensure that it remains for garden use in perpetuity. I am confident that ICDA will continue its extraordinary work in maintaining the garden as an important asset for the district and the City. I would therefore like to offer my strongest support.

Sincerely,



**Jeffrey Hou, PhD
Associate Professor and Chair**

Administration

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Medical & Dental Clinic

3815 South Othello Street
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Fred Podesta, Director
City of Seattle
Finance and Administrative Services
P.O. Box 94669
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Dear Mr. Podesta,

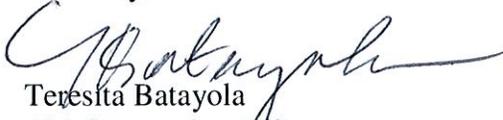
I am writing in support of transferring land ownership of the City of Seattle-owned property within the Danny Woo Community Garden to InterIm CDA on the condition that the property remains a public green space. The Danny Woo Community Garden is used largely by low-income, elderly Asian Pacific Islander residents of the International District (ID). As one of the few public spaces in the ID, the park offers a necessary sanctuary for residents of a densely urban area to gather, garden, read, and relax.

Many of the ID residents who utilize the park are also patients of International Community Health Services (ICHS). ICHS is a non-profit community health organization that provides affordable health services to Seattle and King County's Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Pacific Islander communities, as well as other underserved communities. For 40 years, ICHS has served individuals in the ID with culturally and linguistically appropriate care to improve health outcomes and quality of life. As such, we understand the importance of safeguarding public spaces that promote healthy living by residents of the ID by providing a place for growing affordable and healthy food, leisure, and recreation.

Transferring parcel no. 5247980-2025 from the City of Seattle to InterIm CDA will ensure that the land remains a well-cared-for space for the elderly and families of the ID. Since 1975, InterIm CDA has maintained the parcel of land and has undertaken many improvement projects, including increasing the amount of useable space and installing benches and picnic tables. The Danny Woo Community Garden is greatly important to many of our patients and we want to continue to see them benefit from it long into the future.

We thank you for considering the views of ICHS.

Sincerely,


Teresita Batayola
Chief Executive Officer

cc: Hillary Hamilton, Real Estate Service Manager at City of Seattle



November 14th, 2013

Dear City of Seattle Finance and Administrative Services Department,

Helping Link - Một Dấu Nối has been a strong supporter for InterIm CDA's work in the Danny Woo Community Garden in improving the lives of low-income residents in the Chinatown/International District. This Garden is one of the few green spaces in the neighborhood, providing the community's elderly the opportunity to garden, exercise, and maintain strong relationships with each other. The Children Garden also teaches a seed to plate curriculum to the teens and children who live in or near the community.

We are a non-profit organization in the International District, and we offer services to families of Vietnamese immigrants and refugees. This past spring, we teamed up with the Danny Woo Community Garden and Seattle University to offer weekly gardening classes for the children in our After School Tutoring Program. Once a week for five weeks, our students would walk over to the garden, which is only 10 minutes away from our building. Our students were always excited to go and learn about new plants, feed the chickens, or eat the fruits and vegetables grown in the garden. The Danny Woo Community Garden was a great place for our students to learn, and we are hoping to team up with them again this coming spring.

We are writing to voice our support of InterIm CDA's acquisition of land parcel 5247980-2025 from the department of Finance and Administrative Services, which we believe will further enhance the programs at the garden.

Sincerely,

Minh-Duc Nguyen
Executive Director



November 13, 2013

Fred Podesta, Director, Dept of Finance & Admin Services
Hillary Hamilton, Real Estate Property Manager

Re: Transfer of Land Parcel 5247980-2025

Dear Mr. Podesta and Ms. Hamilton,

We strongly urge you to support InterIm CDA's acquisition of land parcel 5247980-2025 on South Main Street and Maynard Avenue adjacent to the Danny Woo Community Garden from your department.

The Garden is the one of the very few green spaces in the neighborhood, providing the community's elderly the opportunity to garden, exercise, and maintain strong relationships with each other. It also has the Children's Garden which teaches a seed to plate curriculum to the teens and children who live in or near the community.

From a community cultural perspective, the value of the land parcel with the rolling benches is great because of the gatherings and performances that have been held there.

As to our larger Asian Pacific Islander communities, it is a gathering place with the annual pig roast, a place to honor our leaders with tree naming, a place of peace and pride for the whole City.

We will forever remember your generosity and foresight.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Maria Batayola".

Maria Batayola, Co-Chair
Pinoy Words Expressed Kultura Arts
mbjumpstart@msn.com

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Celso Tolman".

Celso Tolman, President
Fil Am Political Action Group of WA
celsotolman@gmail.com



November 8, 2013

Re: Letter in Support of the Danny Woo Garden

Dear City of Seattle Finance and Administrative Services Department,

Puget Sound Community School, an independent middle & high school located in the International District and for which I serve as Director, has been a strong supporter of InterIm CDA's work in the Danny Woo Community Garden since we moved to the neighborhood in 2008. The garden has provided our school countless service opportunities that have helped our students be involved in a program that improves the lives of low-income residents in the Chinatown / International District. This is no small thing.

If you don't know, the Danny Woo Garden is one of the few green spaces left in the neighborhood. It provides the community's elderly the opportunity to garden, exercise, and maintain strong relationships with each other. The associated Children Garden teaches a seed-to-plate curriculum to the teens and children who live in or near the community.

I am writing to voice my support of InterIm CDA's acquisition of land parcel 5247980-2025 from the department of Finance and Administrative Services, which we believe will further enhance the programs at the garden.

Most sincerely,

Andrew W. Smallman, Director



12 November 2013

Department of Finance and Administrative Services
City of Seattle

To whom it may concern,

I am writing to express my strongest possible support for the transfer of City land (parcel number 524780-2025) to InterIm CDA for the purpose of enhancing the Danny Woo Community Garden and InterIm's extraordinary contributions to community welfare in Seattle's Chinatown/International District. I have worked with InterIm CDA for more than seven years as a Seattle University faculty member and researcher, and I feel well-qualified to assess InterIm's administration of the Danny Woo Garden and the value of the Garden to the community's residents, from the very young to the oldest. The transfer to InterIm of this land (which is otherwise useless to the City) is a no-brainer: doing so significantly enhances an already positive force in the community at no cost to the City, and transforms a valueless parcel into a key contribution to a highly valued community asset.

I began my relationship with InterIm CDA and the Danny Woo Community Garden in 2006, when I took an undergraduate class to tour the Garden and observe the remarkable work that takes place there. Since that time, I have regularly involved my students in the Garden, most recently as mentor-teachers to some of the many local youth served in the Garden through InterIm's educational outreach. InterIm's Community Garden coordinator, Rachel Duthler, and the talented, dedicated professionals and volunteers who work with her conduct garden-based learning that enriches the experience, knowledge and health of young children who live in and around one of Seattle's most ecologically impoverished neighborhoods. At the same time, they offer the area's low-income elder residents a precious space to cultivate healthy, inexpensive food, exercise, and socialize with other elderly residents. Indeed, it was the immigrant elders of the International District's strong desire for a gardening space which catalyzed the Garden's creation in the 1970s. Since that time the Garden has not only satisfied this desire, it has grown to serve the needs of the community's youth as well. I say this not simply as an advocate of the Garden, but as a researcher who has systematically studied the Garden's impact on community members. Over the past two years I have conducted community-based research with the Garden's elders as well as on the garden-based educational programming InterIm conducts with local youth. This research will be the centerpiece of an upcoming exhibit at the Wing Luke Museum of the Asian Pacific American Experience (www.wingluke.org) on sustainability in the International District.

In conclusion, I urge you to approve this transfer and take advantage of a rare opportunity to easily assist a proven and valued community agency in their good work. Should you have any questions about this letter or my involvement with InterIm, please don't hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Rob Efir, Ph.D.

Associate Professor of Anthropology and Asian Studies
Chair, Department of Anthropology, Sociology and Social Work
Seattle University

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November 11th, 2013

Dear City of Seattle Finance and Administrative Services Department,

My name is Eddie Lincoln and I am the Seattle University's Assistant Director & School Success Coordinator at the Center for Service and Community Engagement. I have had the pleasure of working with Interim over the past two years. Three years ago Seattle University launched the Seattle University Youth Initiative (SUWI), which is aimed at educational and social support for the neighborhood students and families. One major component of the initiative is to seek out strong community partners such as Interim that can provide experiential educational opportunities to Yesler terrace neighborhood children.

Interim for the past two-years has provided a day time educational program to Bailey Gatezrt elementary school fifth grade students, as well as developed an after school program teaching twenty-five students at the Danny Woo Garden about sustainable gardening practices, urban ecologies, environmental stewardship, and animal care.

Interim has been a vital member of the international district and Yesler Terrace neighborhood. I am writing to voice our support of Interim CDA's acquisition of land parcel 5247980-2025 from the department of Finance and Administrative Services, which we believe will further enhance the programs at the garden for neighborhood children.

Sincerely,

Eddie Lincoln
Assistant Director, Center for Service & Community Engagement
School Success Coordinator



November 12, 2013
Fred Podesta, Director
City of Seattle
Dept of Finance and Administrative Services
Cc: Hillary Hamilton

Dear Director Fred Podesta,

The Wing Luke Museum of the Asian Pacific American Experience (The Wing) has been a strong supporter for Interlm CDA's work with the Danny Woo Community Garden in improving the lives of low-income residents in the Chinatown-International District. This Garden is one of the few green spaces in the neighborhood, providing the community's elderly the opportunity to garden, exercise, and maintain strong relationships with each other. The Children Garden also teaches a seed to plate curriculum to the teens and children who live in or near the community. The Wing is also looking forward to developing a future people's choice exhibition sharing the Danny Woo Community Garden story with the public.

We are writing to voice our support of Interlm CDA's acquisition of land parcel 5247980-2025 from the department of Finance and Administrative Services, which we believe will further enhance the programs at the garden.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Beth Takekawa". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Beth Takekawa
Executive Director

November 12, 2013

Department of Finance and Administrative Services
Seattle Municipal Tower
700 Fifth Ave, Suite 5200
Seattle, WA 98104

Re: Parcel Number 524780-2025, South Main Street & Maynard Avenue South

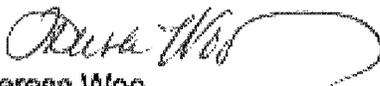
To Whom it May Concern:

With regards to the subject land parcel that is under consideration for a transfer of ownership to Interim CDA, please consider the following:

- Like the original parcel of land that the Danny Woo Community Garden is founded on, the parcel in question is also in the odd position of being somewhat limited in terms of development options, but it's perfect for a small park and meeting area.
- The named parcel is a very visible corner of the Garden, a welcome spot with its unique rolling benches to sit and relax, in contrast to the busy Garden adjacent to it, often missed by those unaware of what life and activity abounds a little higher up from street level.
- The rolling bench area has proven to be a useful site for the community, a rest area for the elderly neighbors and gardeners, as well as visitors to the community who stop to see the historic Panama Tea House or the Community Garden with its urban chicken community, and an accessible site for community events.
- The Garden and park provides food, exercise, recreation, enjoyment, cultural enrichment, education and a lifeline to the community and is a source of pride in the neighborhood, and hopefully the city

I hope that you will consider joining my family in contributing to the betterment, support, enhancement and cultural enrichment of the community by transferring ownership of the parcel to Interim, cementing and permanently extending the relationship with the Danny Woo Community Garden. While Danny has been gone since 1987, I know that he would be so proud to have watched his little plot of land grow and mature to the extent that it has in its almost 40 years of existence.

Respectfully yours,



Teresa Woo
2381 13th Ave S
Seattle, WA 98144