

## Bradley Gasawski

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**From:** CDS User  
**Sent:** Wednesday, April 29, 2026 9:25 AM  
**To:** Bradley Gasawski  
**Cc:** Turner Englehart  
**Subject:** FW: SE-26-00001 – Easton Travel Center

Good Morning Bradley,

Attached is a comment for the Easton Travel Center 😊

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I strongly oppose this project. The traffic analysis is inadequate, fails to meet concurrency standards, and conflicts with the findings of the STEER I-90 Study. The proposal poses serious risks to groundwater within a Critical Aquifer Recharge Area (CARA), introduces hazardous traffic conditions in an area prone to heavy snow, places additional strain on emergency services, and threatens the rural character of Easton.

I have personally spent hours stopped on westbound I-90 between Cle Elum and Easton during pass closures, and it is unclear how this location would serve traffic under those conditions. Most winter closures occur at Easton itself, further calling into question the project's stated transportation benefits.

I respectfully request a Determination of Significance and the preparation of a full Environmental Impact Statement, or denial of the application.

Thank you for standing up for our community, public safety, and the environment. Every comment matters.

Respectfully,  
Jennifer Thomas  
Cle Elum & Easton resident