January 16, 2019

Honorable Senator Brad Hawkins 107 Irv Newhouse Building PO Box 40412 Olympia WA 98504

Re: Letter of Support – 2019 Capital Budget Funding Request of \$2,013,000 for the Wenatchi Landing Sewer Extension Project

Dear Senator Hawkins:

On behalf of Eastmont School District, this letter is submitted in support of the 2019 Capital Budget Funding request for the Wenatchi Landing Sewer Extension.

Extension of sewer service to the Wenatchi Landing area will promote multi-county economic development through a thriving job center, with tourist and recreation destinations, and will yield measurable economic and fiscal benefits for local communities and local governments, as well as Washington State.

In closing, please accept Eastmont School District's strong support of the Douglas County Sewer District in their legislative request to secure funding for the Wenatchi Landing Sewer Extension.

Sincerely,

Garn Christensen, PhD

Superintendent

cc: Eastmont School District Board of Directors