

Michelle Webb

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For your collection of comments...

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Dear Mayor Scott and Borough Assembly members;

I am writing in support of opening up additional areas on the heli-ski map, in order to accommodate the clients for this industry. It is a very unusual year for snow conditions and I would like to see other areas considered for safety purposes. I would also like to see the Fairabee Glacier be included.

I also would like to ask that you find in favor of the SEABA appeal asking to overturn the decision made by the Planning Commission regarding the CUP. It is my understanding that the Planning Commission voted to not issue the CUP but then after the vote there was a motion to basically have the Assembly consider the CUP with conditions. I feel that the Planning Commission was in error and would like for the Assembly to correct this error.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Karen Hess