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Sent: Monday, February 10, 2020 2:28 PM **To:** corporate <corporate@whistler.ca>

Subject: Zoning Amendment Bylaw (Whistler Mountain Ski Club) No. 2256, 2020 (2028 Rob Boyd Way)

Dear Mayor and Council,

We wholeheartedly support the Coach's Cabin Rezoning as contemplated. We became familiar with the project as part of the Applicant's research and due diligence on excavation matters. We have no relationship with the Applicant.

Our interest and support stems from the fact we are long time citizens of Whistler, parents of 2 young adults who aspire to live here, and the employers of over 40 local employees in the trades. We daily live the acute pressure employees face to secure housing as we actively compete for their talent. To 'break ground' on more Whistler employee housing, the trades need more employees. Our current and prospective employees need places to live.

Whistler needs more beds so that we can build beds and sustain current and future businesses. Every honest bed helps and opens more space for others. As an added benefit, too, many of the ski coaches off season have naturally gravitated to the building trades.

Please support the project, limiting non-essential administrative burdens on the Applicant.

Sincerely,

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