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Dear Mayor, Staff and Commissioners of the Economic Development Commission,

In order to prioritize work on People-Oriented Transportation through *Drawdown* and *Homer Trails Alliance* this coming year, I will be stepping down from the Economic Development Commission after our September meeting. I have enjoyed the wide range of topics discussed here at the Commission.

My primary focus on the EDC has always been to champion a walkable and bike-able community as an economic driver for our community. I joined the Commission in April 2021 to help see the Wayfinding and Streetscape Plan to completion, a task we have now accomplished. I am also glad to have participated in the SWOT analysis about how we can balance economic growth with quality of life here in our cosmic hamlet by the sea, particularly as we look to overhauling Homer's Comprehensive Plan.

There are many important items ahead of the Commission. I appreciate the diversity of expertise and perspectives on this Commission to make sound decisions on behalf of our community.

I will stay informed of EDC ongoings and am sure to visit when Non-Motorized transportation topics arise. You can always find me at Bunnell Street Arts Center in Old Town as well. Please stay in touch!

Sincerely yours,
Adele Person