

BEFORE THE HEARING EXAMINER  
FOR THE CITY OF SEATTLE

In the matter of the appeal of

Hearing Examiner File:

**MacDonald, Douglas B.**

**W-19-007**

from a SEPA Determination of Non-Significance  
(DNS) issued by the Director, Seattle Department  
Of Transportation

**Appellant's Motion for One Day Extension of Deadline for Additional Discovery Requests**

The Hearing Examiner's order following the Pre-hearing Conference set the deadline for additional discovery requests at 5:00 p.m. Monday, February 10, 2020 based on the understanding that the City would respond to the Appellant's document discovery request on February 5, 2020.

The City was unable to complete its production until February 6, 2020, at which time it delivered in electronic form approximately 2500 e-mails. (See attached e-mail).

This imposes a substantial impediment on the Appellant's expected three business day turnaround for additional discovery requests.

The Appellant therefor moves that the deadline for additional discovery requests be extended to Tuesday, February 6, 2020 at 5:00 p.m.

Dated this 7<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2020.



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Attachment  
(bolding emphasis in text supplied)

**From:** "Menzel, Laurie" <[Laurie.Menzel@seattle.gov](mailto:Laurie.Menzel@seattle.gov)>  
**Subject:** **MacDonald v. City, HE Case No. W-19-007, Discovery Response**  
**Date:** February 5, 2020 at 2:03:06 PM PST  
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Mr. MacDonald:

Please see the link below for documents responsive to your discovery request to the City. If you have any problems downloading the documents, please let me know.

**We are still reviewing email and plan to provide those documents to you tomorrow.**

[Click here](#) to download the files. Be sure to "Save As" to save with a unique file name.

To access the documents, you will need to create an account on ShareFile with your email address and a password. To establish a password if you have never logged into ShareFile, click "Forgot Password." Enter your email address and you will then be sent an email to establish a password. If you have any trouble accessing the file, please let me know.

Note that the file will only be accessible to people whom I have directly sent the link to. If there is someone else in your office who normally downloads this type of data, please send me their email address and I will send the link directly to them.

**Laurie Menzel**  
Paralegal  
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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I certify that on this date I electronically filed a copy of **Appellant's Motion for One Day Extension of Deadline for Additional Discovery Requests** with the Seattle Hearing Examiner Using its e-filing system.

I also certify that on this date a copy of the same document was sent via e-mail to the following party:

Patrick Downs  
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Dated this 7<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2020.

  
/s/ Douglas B. MacDonald

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**Subject:** Scooter share next steps

Shefali and Stephanie – We have to make some decisions this week re: scooter share pilot program for the SEPA review and I'd also like to give you both an update on outreach/next steps. What format makes the most sense to move this forward? Memo, meeting with both of you with/without sdot staff? The team has various different materials prepared but it might make the most sense to walk through some of the details in person together.

Let me know your thoughts on this and I'll plan accordingly.



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