THIS JUST RECEIVED FROM PIERCE COUNTY:

Subject: 911 Address Change Update

Next week, property owners affected by address changes on Key Peninsula, Anderson Island, and Fox Island will begin receiving letters with their new addresses and ideas about who they should notify about address changes. The vast majority of those are properties are only affected by the directional change (KPN to NW, KPS to SW, AI and FI eliminated), but a small percentage are getting a more significant change to road name or house number, as well. I've attached a sample of the <u>letter</u> that went out for your information.

We are late in getting these letters out. Unfortunately, it took longer than we anticipated to complete QC, but it was important to our team to get this package out with as few errors as possible. Although we are late in getting the letter out, the USPS will honor existing addresses for at least 1 year without property owners filing a mail forwarding request.

If you receive inquiries about address changes that need to be answered by our team, please refer them to our hotline (answered and messages checked by multiple staff on our team) 253-798-8575 or email address pepalsaddressing@co.pierce.wa.us. Please also feel free to share this information with others in the community you are in contact with, through local newsletters, social media, etc.

Sincerely,

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