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Subject: Support for Leif Palmberg rezoning application

To the Galiano LTC

I am writing to express my support for the proposed zoning amendment currently under consideration – application #PLRZ20240003 submitted by Leif Palmberg.

I believe very strongly, from both an environmental as well as economic prospective, that encouragement of local businesses on the island is necessary; particularly when the goal of the business is to create goods and or services for the benefit of local residents.

I compliment Mr. Palmberg for the quality of his application, having taken into consideration the issues of noise and water. Further I am very impressed with his willingness to meet and discuss any concerns that are raised by his neighbours. It is interesting that many of his neighbours have change their views from *Not in My Backyard*, to strongly being in support of the application having spent the time and effort to meet with Leif and discuss their concerns.

Thank you.

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