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From:

Neil Friedenberg

Sent:

Monday, November 07, 2016 8:59 AM

To:

George Harris; Sandy Pottle; Laura Busheikin; Kim Stockdill

Subject:

Crystal Mountain Proposal

To Galiano Island Local Trust Committee:

Re: Crystal Mountain Proposal

November 7, 2016



I am a resident of North Galiano and I have reviewed the proposal of the Crystal Mountain (CM) group and their aim of rezoning. I have also participated with a number of other local residents in two meetings organized by CM to present and discuss a number of issues related to the proposal.

I cannot support the CM proposal as it currently stands. Issues related to density, water use, forest fragmentation, and community benefit are still outstanding. These issues have either not been addressed fully or do not meet the

expectations of a sustainable effect on the forest and the OCP, in law or spirit.

There are elements of the CM proposal that deserve tentative support and their willingness to meet with the north end residents is appreciated. It is my hope that a restructured proposal from CM could result in a plan that would warrant support.

Sincerely:

Neil Friedenberg