September 15, 2021

Malahat Referral No: R21075

Islands Trust, 1 – 500 Lower Ganges Road, Salt Spring Island, BC V8K 2N8

Via email: ssiinfo@islandstrust.bc.ca

RE: Malahat Nation Response to Proposed Bylaws No. 504 & 505 - 221 Drake Road

Dear Island Trust,

Thank you for your consultation request for Proposed Bylaws No. 504 & 505 dated August 5th 2021 located at 221 Drake Road Salt Spring Island, located in Malahat Nation's traditional territory.

Malahat Nation notes that the proposed activity falls outside of core Malahat traditional territory, and as such we acknowledge and respect the local First Nation(s)' opportunity to act as primary correspondents in this case. However, in the event they do not, or are unable to respond we reserve our right to consultation and engagement, and continue to require disclosure on an ongoing basis regarding the issuance of this bylaw amendment and other related amendments.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

Kate Richey

Traditional Use Researcher

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Malahat Nation