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We support the recommendations of this Housing Task Force.

Saltspring Island urgently needs solutions to housing for medical staff, retail staff and low-income families.

While all the recommendations are critical, in particular we hope the Trust will -

"Develop a more efficient process for reviewing and approving affordable housing, supportive housing and social housing projects. Groups championing housing solutions in line with the Official Community Plan should be fully supported at every step in the process."

Sincerely,

Deborah & Donald Carlson