

BYLAW REFERRAL FORM RESPONSE SUMMARY

- Approval Recommended for Reasons Outlined Below
- Approval Recommended Subject to Conditions Outlined Below
- Interests Unaffected by Bylaw
- Approval Not Recommended Due to Reason Outlined Below

The District is very much interest in proactively encouraging the growth of additional homes built for families. Gabriola is the District's most underenrolled schools. The Board understand the importance of the school to the community and is committed to its continued operations. However, the current state of funding for education typically means that school with robust enrollment are able to provide significant benefits to their students. Further, in the event that government priorities shift (which the Board has no specific knowledge of) a more robust population will ensue the long term viability of the school.

Further, I am attaching the Board's Long Range Facilities Plan. This plan envision partnering with communities to enhance amenities for our students and communities. The District would welcome a specific statement with respect to partnerships if that was felt to be appropriate.

The District appreciates the opportunity to provide comment on the Statement and with the above noted requested additions supports the Statement.

Islands Trust Area (Islands 2050)
(Island)



(Signature)

September 2, 2025
(Date)

TC 183
(Bylaw Number)

Mark Walsh, Secretary-Treasurer
(Printed Name and Title)

Nanaimo Ladysmith Public Schools
(Agency)