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Subject: Please don't remove housing and community from your mandate

**Date:** March 3, 2021 at 9:12:22 PM PST

To: sfast@islandstrust.bc.ca

**Reply-To:** 

Sue Ellen Fast,

I am not from Salt Spring Island, but I am surprised to learn about the move to reject affordable housing and solely on the environment. A lack of housing and our climate emergency are part of the same set of issues - that of not giving enough care the well being of humans and wildlife alike. Housing is not something that is nice to have, or that you earn through hard work. It is a necessity to live, and will be more necessary than ever as this crisis ramp up.

We can do better than megahomes and sprawl. You can be a part of that solution if you wish.

Thank you and best wishes

Bryan Wood