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To: Islands2050

**Subject:** Written vesion of Town Hall submission on July 7, 2021

Dear Trustees of the Council,

First Reading is given when there is <u>general agreement</u> with the format and the content of a Draft.

I agree with a lot of the policies in this draft but not at all with the format. This is a document that should be concise and clear, here are my suggestions:

- · Pull out all the directive policies and bunch them together,
- · Pull out all the advocacy policies and put them in a schedule
- · Retrieve the implementation of the TPS bylaw from its 'disconnected closet' and make it a schedule as well
- · Add a definition section.

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## I ask you to consider:

- Not giving First Reading to a Draft TPS Bylaw at this time, meaningful consultation does not need a Proposed Bylaw to occur
- · Sending an amended Draft Bylaw (hopefully with my suggested format) for consultation with First Nations affected (after all these are THEIR lands), with Islanders, property electors and the "Province generally" by way of legal notices in provincial publications and the like.
- Holding-off sending referrals to "more than 100 agencies and organizations" (Chair Peter Luckam) <u>until post-consultation</u>, if considered necessary. The Islands Trust Act only requires that a proposed Islands Trust Policy Statement Bylaw be referred to the Boards of the Regional Districts in the Trust Area under section 15 (3).
- Giving consideration to First Reading of a 'post-consultation-amended-Draft'.

Thanking you for the opportunity to be heard,

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