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Attention Island Trust Council and Trustees,  
Re; Island Trust Council, Special Meeting July 7-8, 2021

AGAINST YOUR NEW POLICY BYLAWS SUGGESTING PRIVATE DOCK/ LOSS and LOSS of RIPARIAN RIGHTS.

The document you provide states that all docks will be removed, this is not fair and out of your mandate and jurisdiction. Island Trust has since explained on June 25<sup>th</sup>, 2021 in a news release (per Peter Luckham, Chair) that you (Island Trust) do not intend to get rid of all docks. The statement that refers to private docks and moorage being against the new policy should not be included and removed completely from your new policy draft. Docks are Federal jurisdiction managed by the province. Also, these private docks on the Gulf Islands offer residents extra safety (and much needed) with the abilities to get to/ off the island via private boats. The effect on the marine life is negligible, as I have consulted biologists familiar with the Gulf Islands. Also, for those Gulf Island residents with LEGAL Foreshore leases (or License of Occupation) in place, these should NOT be touched. The Island Trust has no business attempting to regulate RIPARIAN Rights. For me personally, I think this document extends into democratic rights of the residents too much, I cannot agree with how it is written at all. Also, the Island Trust cannot legislate water rights such as private existing wells that we (I) depend on. I will like to see this document changed, with no policy intrusion on any existing private shoreline structure or wells. Thank you, Katharine Dawe, [REDACTED], Galiano, BC, VON1PO