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Subject: Trust Policy Statement

Re: Trust Policy Statement (TPS):

- 1) The draft TPS must be strengthened to *specifically* protect the natural environment of the Trust Islands. That has been the clear intent of the Islands Trust Act since its inception as a response to the threat of over-development.
- 2) The TPS really needs to clearly and unequivocally define the use of the word “environment” as meaning meaning the *natural* environment.
- 3) At this point in the Trust area’s development, growth needs to be limited to affordable housing with binding agreements to assure affordability.

Thanks you for taking these points into consideration.

Yours,
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