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**Cc:** [3ravenscoop@gmail.com](mailto:3ravenscoop@gmail.com); Christopher Mainella [REDACTED]

**Subject:** Support for 3Ravens

Dear Denman Island Planners and Trustees,

With this email, my husband Christopher Mainella and I would like to express that we have read and strongly support the 3Ravens affordable housing application.

As Denman residents for the past five years, we have both witnessed and personally experienced the affordable housing crisis on the island. During this time, we have had to move five times between short-term rentals due to the lack of stable and affordable housing options.

We believe that 3Ravens is responding to a critical and growing need for affordable housing on Denman Island. Many individuals and families around us have also experienced — or are currently experiencing — housing insecurity and shortages within our community.

We respectfully ask that you support this application and help make affordable, stable housing more accessible for residents of Denman Island.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

Christopher, Maya and Eileen Rytz-Mainella

