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Subject: support letter, Application PLRZ2020003, Leif Palmberg

I would like to support Leif Palmberg with respect to application PLRZ2020003.

A cidery would make a great addition to Galiano island. This project could not only become a community hub, but it could provide a point of interest for tourists as well as benefit other farmers on Galiano through the purchase of their apples from existing apple trees.

Leif's application to have a workshop in the yard is necessary for this project to house the farm machinery and provide a place to store his tools and equipment.

Additionally, the present housing density should be increased to provide staff housing with the additional option of affordable housing, effectively countering the current housing crisis on the island. Although there are aspects that need to be worked out, this project has a lot of potential to benefit Galiano as a whole.

In summary, I wholeheartedly believe that his project would add value to the current economic and living situation on Galiano.

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