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Subject: Application PLRZ20240003

Dear Islands Trust,

I am writing in support of rezoning application PLRZ20240003. I live at [REDACTED], Galiano Island. As a small business owner, I understand how difficult it is to find commercial space to operate in this community.

Creating space for commercial use is important for a thriving economy. I see an opportunity for our community to benefit from using our own wood materials, local farming as well as the employment opportunities it will create. Leif is a huge asset to the island and he is conscientious about environmental and water issues. I think keeping his residential zoning is important and use of the land will open opportunities for future housing. I hope you support his site specific zoning.

Sincerely.

Angela Thompson

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She/her

I recognize that a land acknowledgment represents only a small piece in the big picture of reconciliation. The land that I live and work on is the territory of the Tsawassen First Nation, the Penelakut, Hlwtsum, and other Hul' qumi'num speaking people.

I am committed to being a good ally and will continue to learn, and relearn so that I can help and inspire others in the work of decolonization.