

PROPOSED

GALIANO ISLAND LOCAL TRUST COMMITTEE BYLAW NO. 300

A BYLAW TO AMEND GALIANO ISLAND LAND USE BYLAW NO. 127, 1999

The Galiano Island Local Trust Committee, being the Local Trust Committee having jurisdiction in respect of the Galiano Island Local Trust Area under the *Islands Trust Act*, enacts as follows:

1. Citation

This bylaw may be cited for all purposes as “Galiano Island Land Use Bylaw No. 127, 1999, Amendment No. 1, 2026”.

2. Galiano Island Local Trust Committee Bylaw No. 127, cited as “Galiano Island Land Use Bylaw No. 127, 1999,” is amended as follows:

2.1 Part 2 – General Regulations, by adding the following new section after Section 2.14:

“2.14A Despite Section 2.14, the following structures in the Small Island Residential Zone are permitted to be sited within the 7.5 metres from the natural boundary of the sea:

- 2.14A.1 On a lot not serviced by BC Hydro, a solar panel array not exceeding 4 metres in height and a total solar array surface of 10 m² for the purpose of supplying power to the lot on which the structure is located.
- 2.14A.2 Stairs to access the foreshore with a width less than 1.5 metres.
- 2.14A.3 Walkways, stairs or a ramp accessory to a permitted private dock in the Marine Zone.
- 2.14A.4 Anchor pads or abutments up to 1.5 metres in width for the purpose of securing a permitted private or community dock or wharf to the upland lot.”

2.2 Part 4 – Creation and Extent of Zones, by amending Section 4.1 by adding the following new zone:

“Small Island Residential (SIR)”

2.3 Part 5 – Residential Zones, by adding the following new section:

“5.7 Small Island Residential - SIR

Permitted Uses

5.7.1 In the Boat Access Only zone the following uses are permitted, subject to the regulations set out in this section and the general regulations set out in Parts 2 and 3, and all other uses are prohibited.

5.7.1.1 dwellings

- 5.7.1.2 cottages
- 5.7.1.3 home occupations
- 5.7.1.4 secondary suite

Permitted Density

- 5.7.2 One dwelling is permitted on each lot, and one additional dwelling is permitted in respect of each 1.2 hectares of lot area over 1.2 hectares.
- 5.7.3 One cottage is permitted on each lot having an area of 0.4 hectares or more, in respect of each permitted dwelling.
- 5.7.4 Lot coverage must not exceed 25% of any lot.

Permitted Height

- 5.7.5 No building or structure for a use permitted by this section may exceed 9 metres in height. Accessory buildings and structures must not exceed one storey and a height of 5 metres.

Minimum Setbacks

- 5.7.6 Buildings and structures must be sited
 - 5.7.6.1 at least 7.5 metres from front and rear lot lines;
 - 5.7.6.2 at least 6 metres from each interior side lot line; and
 - 5.7.6.3 at least 6 metres from an exterior side lot line.
- 5.7.7 Buildings and structures for the accommodation of farm animals including poultry must be sited
 - 5.7.7.1 at least 7.5 metres from a front lot line;
 - 5.7.7.2 at least 30 metres from rear and interior side lot lines; and
 - 5.7.7.3 at least 6 metres from an exterior side lot line.
- 5.7.8 Buildings and structures used for human habitation or occupancy and not located within the Agriculture (AG) zone must be sited at least 15 metres from the boundary of the Agriculture (AG) zone.

Minimum Lot Size

- 5.7.9 No lot may be created by subdivision that has an area less than
 - 5.7.9.1 0.6 hectares where at least one of the boundaries of the lot is the natural boundary of the sea; and
 - 5.7.9.2 0.8 hectares in all other cases.

Average Lot Size

5.7.10 No subdivision plan may be approved unless the lots created by the subdivision have an average area of at least 1.2 hectares.”

2.4 Part 17 – Interpretation, by adding the following new definition:

“dock” means a structure or set of structures, accessory to the residential or agricultural use of an upland lot, and may consist of a pier, ramp, and float, constructed on or over the water that is connected to the shore, and that is used for the purpose of mooring private boats and for providing pedestrian access to and from the moored boats.

2.5 Schedule “B” – Zoning Map, is amended by adding ‘Small Island Residential Zone’ as shown on Plan Nos. 1 to 4 attached to and forming part of this bylaw, and by making such alterations to Schedule “B” to Bylaw No. 127 as are required to effect this change.

3. SEVERABILITY

If any provision of this Bylaw is for any reason held to be invalid by a decision of any Court of competent jurisdiction, the invalid provision must be severed from the Bylaw and the decision that such provision is invalid must not affect the validity of the remaining provisions of the Bylaw.

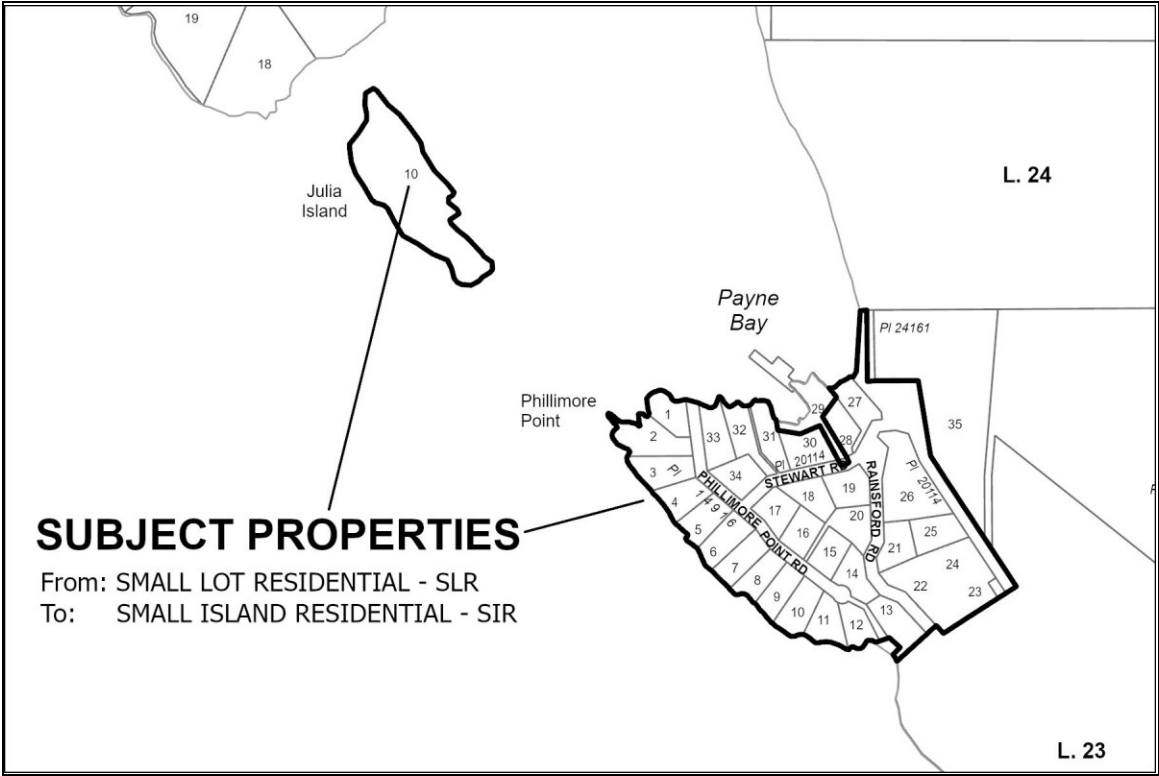
READ A FIRST TIME THIS	9 TH	DAY OF	JUNE	2026.
READ A SECOND TIME THIS	25 TH	DAY OF	AUGUST	2026.
READ A THIRD TIME THIS	25 TH	DAY OF	AUGUST	2026.
APPROVED BY THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE ISLANDS TRUST THIS	23 RD	DAY OF	SEPTEMBER	2026.
ADOPTED THIS	29 TH	DAY OF	SEPTEMBER	2026.

CHAIR

SECRETARY

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Plan No. 1



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