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Sent:	Thursday, October 6, 2022 10:12 PM
То:	Judith Lawrence
Subject:	Re: Hornby Island meeting

Judith, thanks very much for this email. I appreciate your concern for water and as an extra-islander I certainly understand well issues. The issue of water licensing may be a requirement for STVR's. We are looking into the provincial requirements. The protection of the environment is a top concern.

As to who spoke, everyone had the opportunity to speak and we tried to give everyone the chance. Some people are more interested in listening and we hope that other people contact us with their comments by email. We will consider all comments and we will provide draft recommendations and bring them back to the community.

Thank you again

Pat

On Thu, Oct 6, 2022 at 10:03 PM Judith Lawrence wrote: Dear Pat:

I spoke briefly at the meeting tonight, but was not able to say all I wanted to. We heard much too often from two people who have agendas . They both have personal reasons to support short term rentals without any regulations. If indeed the supply of water is not a problem on Hornby Island why are there people selling bulk water? And why have the landlords passed the cost of water onto tenants? Why are there no requirements for property owners to prove adequate supply of water before they are allowed to profit from short term rentals? These are only a few of the questions I have.

Having spent time on Hornby since 1967, and having lived here full time for most of that time, I have seen the changes that have taken place, without much regulation to protect the environment. That people with agendas can be the main speakers at your meeting is of concern to me.

Yours sincerely, Judith Lawrence. C M

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