From: Mikaila Lironi

**Sent:** Monday, December 4, 2023 5:29 PM **To:** Lasqueti Island Local Trust Committee

**Subject:** Fw: Dock application

This should be added to the agenda or some such for the meeting. Late item?

From: Susan Morrison

**Sent:** November 30, 2023 6:39 AM **To:** Mikaila Lironi; Timothy Peterson

**Subject:** Dock application

I am writing this in opposition to the current dock application that the LTC received. To my knowledge there has been no change to our bylaws since you chose to not move forward with the previous application by these land owners.

This application, after the dock has been built, is disrespectful to all the community work that goes into development of our OCP and bylaws. The latest OCP review mentions in several places the desire for the community to reduce its carbon footprint. Private docks promote increased motor boat traffic as well as damage the ecosystems in and around the foreshore. The LTC has an obligation to uphold the mandate of the Trust which is to preserve and protect the unique amenities of the Trust area for future British Columbians. Docks are not a unique amenity.

The precedent that would be set by allowing this application to proceed would be very difficult to step back from should more individuals decide to do what is not sanctioned and then ask for forgiveness after the fact.

Thank you for taking the time ro consider this letter.

Susan Morrison