

**From:** David [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, February 28, 2024 6:45 PM  
**To:** Lasqueti Island Local Trust Committee  
**Cc:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Letter of Support for Scottie Bay Dock Application

To Whom It May Concern,

I am writing to express my support for the application by Aslan and Tracee Carey for an amendment to the Bylaw to allow them to construct a dock on their property in Scottie Bay. I understand this application, designated as LA-RZ-2023.1-LTC, will be reviewed by the Islands' Trust trustees at their meeting on March 4th, 2024.

I am aware of the application process and the need for public input. Therefore, I would like to formally state my opinion supporting this application and have it included as part of the official record.

I believe that granting this application will be beneficial to the community for the following reasons:

- **Limited emergency access:** Currently, limited waterfront docks are readily available for use in emergencies. Aslan and Tracee's dock would provide an additional location for emergency responders to access the water, potentially improving response times and saving lives.
- **Emergency evacuation:** In the case of natural disasters, the dock could serve as a critical evacuation point.
- **Environmental responsibility:** The applicants have actively followed environmental recommendations throughout the build process. This demonstrates their commitment to minimizing the impact on the local ecosystem.
- **Reduced risk of abandoned structures:** Built to commercial standards, this dock minimizes the risk of turning into another derelict eyesore on the Scottie Bay shoreline. This ensures both the environmental and visual well-being of the bay.

I encourage the Islands' Trust trustees to consider my support when deciding on this application.

Sincerely,  
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