## Raptor Nest Development Permit Area Review - Project Charter

North Pender Island Local Trust Committee

Purpose: To review and update mapping of raptor nests on North Pender Island, and to review and update Development Permit Area designations and provisions as a Minor LTC Project.

**Background:** The current Raptor Nest DPA was adopted in 2008 based upon surveys conducted by local volunteers in 2005 and 2006 through the Wildlife Tree Stewardship initiative (WiTS). Nest trees were mapped with assistance of Islands Trust staff. An update of wildlife trees is needed as new nests are established and older ones abandoned. In addition DPA provisions should be reviewed and updated.

#### **Deliverables**

Updated mapping of wildlife trees consistent with Islands Trust mapping standards and with recent changes to the Professional Governance Act and regulations.

Revised DPA provisions

Amendments to OCP.

#### In Scope

- Raptor nest tree mapping
- Report by or endorsed by RP Bio
- Review of Raptor Nest
  DPA
- Community consultation on amendments
- First Nations consultation
- OCP amendment

### Out of Scope

- Other amendments to OCP or LUB
- Other mapping or professional reports.

# IAP2 Engagement Level:

**⊠** Inform

LTC Endorsement Date: July 28, 2023

**⊠** Consult

□ Involve

□ Collaborate

Workplan Overview		
Deliverable/Milestone	Target Date	
Project Charter endorsed	July 2023	
Project initiation and preliminary report to LTC	Sept 2023	
Procurement process for updated mapping	Oct - Nov 2023	
Staff review, project summary paper, landowner and stakeholder group engagement	Sept – Nov 2023	
Early consultation with First Nations	Sept – Dec 2023	
LTC review of amended DPA provisions	Nov 2023	
Direction to prepare bylaws	Jan 2024	
Final mapping delivered	March 2024	
Community consultation on draft bylaws, bylaw referrals	Apr - June 2024	
Legislative process to amend OCP	May – Sept 2024	
Implementation and communications	Sept - Oct 2024	

Project Team	
Brad Smith, Island Planner	Project Manager
Robert Kojima, RPM	Project Sponsor
Mark van Bakel, IS Manager	Mapping
Emily Bryant	Admin support
RPM Approval:	LTC
Robert Kojima	<b>Endorsement:</b>
Date: July 14, 2023	Resolution #:
	Date: xxx

Budget				
Budget Sources:				
Fiscal	Item	Cost		
2023-24	Mapping	\$5000		
2024-25	Consultation and public hearing	\$3000		
2024-25	Contingency	\$2000		
	Total	\$10,000		

Meeting	Deliverable/Milestone	
July 28, 2023	LTC endorsement of project charter	
Sept 29, 2023	Preliminary report to LTC, direction to proceed with mapping procurement process and engagement plan	
Nov 24, 2023	Report to LTC on proposed updates to DPA provisions	
Jan 2024	LTC review of draft DPA amendments and direction to proceed with bylaw	
March 2024	Updated mapping received by LTC, direction to proceed with landowner and stakeholder group communication	
May 2024	Consideration of first reading	
June 2024	Community information meeting	
July 2024	Public Hearing, second and third readings, referral to EC and Minister	
Sept 2024	LTC review of communications plan	
Late 2024	Final adoption upon Ministerial approval of bylaw	