

## Chris Hutton

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**From:** Karen Riep [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Monday, October 13, 2025 7:08 AM  
**To:** SSInfo; Mid Isle Marine  
**Subject:** Mid Isle Marine Rezoning Application

I am writing to support to the rezoning application submitted by Mid Isle Marine and Equipment. I currently reside on Galiano Island in a boat access only community. Mid Isle Marine has provided an essential service to our community for a number of years. As well as providing service to our boats, including pick up and drop off, they also sell and service equipment such as chain saws. There are no businesses in the islands that provide the services they offer. I recommend that the application be approved to keep business and employment local.

Regards Karen Riep