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Laura Patrick,

Housing on this island is a major priority. So many workers here, from the grocery stores to schools and the hospital, lack housing or rent in situations that could crumble at any moment. So many land owners are unable to invite renters to fill their cabins and outbuildings or build options for them.

If Salt Spring's economy is to survive, we need to start creating solutions. Too many of our own have had to move off island or need to commute from Vancouver Island. Too many families are living in campgrounds or sheds with no water or power. This island is full of creative, hardworking people- we can solve this! Please make it a priority before it is too late to correct!

Thank you for hearing this need!

Nikki Christou

