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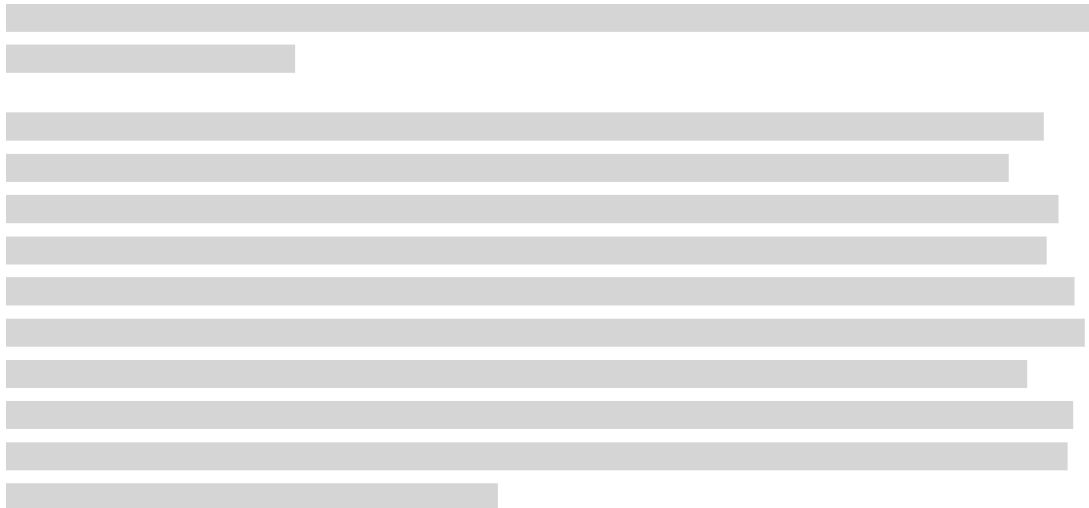
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Subject: List of Documents re Concerns about SSIWPA Prepared in Response to Request from Trustee Peter Grove . Compiled January 16 and 17, 2019

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- Driftwood Article by G. Grams "Effective Watershed Protection Needs Tax Requisition Support" JA 29 2014
- Complemented by Article by S McIntyre in same issue. "Trust Launches Budget Feedback Period"
- Driftwood Letter by Luisa Maffi, FE 5 2014. "SSIWPA Questions". Raising questions about lack of breakdown in budget and specifically amount budgeted for the SSIWPA Coordinator
- Driftwood Response by G. Grams to Maffi Letter. "SSIWPA Tax Concerns Addressed" FE 19,2014
- Driftwood Response by Luisa Maffi to Grams FE 19 2014 Article. Title: SSIWPA Tax Needs Business Plan. Driftwood FE 26 2014
- Correspondence between Luisa Maffi and Linda Adams FE/MR 2014 already forwarded to all of you
- Personal response to Luisa Maffi by a prominent Salt Spring Islander with extensive knowledge of Water Issues. FE 18,2014.



- Driftwood Article by David Rapport "Watershed Protection Body: What Value for Money? January 17, 2018.

- Driftwood Article – In Response by G. Grams “Coordinated Water Management Approach is Essential . January 24, 2018.
- Driftwood Article by David Rapport in Response to G. Grams. “SSIWPA Value for Money? Still not Answered” . January 31 2018.
- Driftwood Article by David Rapport and Luisa Maffi. “Its Time to End the SSIWPA Boondoggle. November 14 2018.
- Driftwood Article by David Rapport and Luisa Maffi. “Lack of Vision seen as SSIWPA’s main problem. November 28, 2018.
- Reams of correspondence with Islands Trust Council Chair, with Islands Trust E.D., with Islands Trust Finance Committee, and with LTC members (2014-2018) and with Provincial Minister of Finance, and Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing.

All in all, we estimate that this single issue has taken us at least 80 hours of combined professional time over the course of 4-5 years. We did this first and foremost as concerned citizens, but citizens with high level professional credentials and extensive experience in these matters, both within Government and Academia. We have been dismayed thus far by the lack of acknowledgement of and response to our efforts by our elected officials, while receiving much encouragement and appreciation from community members.

We trust that we have brought to your attention and extensively documented an issue of utmost importance – both for the future of water issues on the island and for matters of transparency and accountability of our elected officials. At this point, we respectfully ask, once again, that an in-depth, arms-length review of this situation be finally carried out, and that the results be shared with the Salt Spring community in a well-considered thoughtful report.

Sincerely,

David J. Rapport and Luisa Maffi