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Subject: REQUEST - Trustees support a Saltspring Island Watershed Protection Project

To: Saltspring Island Trustees

We (members of the SSIWPA and our island stewardship groups) have sufficient information to determine that sustainable and integrated SSI freshwater/watershed management plan is urgently required for SSI.

I urge you to support tabled initiatives that will support SSIWPA moving in the short term towards an agreed, collaborative and appropriately prioritised, 5-10 year SSI watershed protection plan. A robust plan is required to ensure the preservation of our island's natural ecosystem services, and for the benefit and well-being of our island community.

Thank you for your continued support.

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