

Dear members of the Islands Trust Executive Committee,

We are writing in anticipation of the passage of Bylaw 129, on its final reading by the South Pender Island Trustees. Bylaw 129 has been promoted in the face of significant opposition expressed in public hearings and correspondence. Taken as a whole, the latter makes it clear that the majority of South Pender residents support the retention of our Land Use Bylaw in its current form. Not because our current LUB satisfies the desires of all residents, but because it better respects the preserve and protect mandate of the Islands Trust that is designed to consider the aspirations of future residents and visitors as well.

As such, we are motivated to reiterate our strong opposition to Bylaw 129.

We trust that in your review of Bylaw 129 you will take into careful consideration all of the views expressed in the public correspondence, particularly the many that speak directly to the preserve and protect mandate that you are entrusted to oversee.

Sincerely,

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South Pender Island