

Resource Stewardship

Existing Objectives within the Current Official
Community Plan

Resource Stewardship

Section 1.4, concern #3

- To conserve agricultural lands, forest lands, fresh water supplies, and foreshore areas.

This is currently a statement of 'island concerns' in the preamble, do we want this to be a specifically expressed objective?

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Section 3.2, Objective 1

- To minimize the negative impacts of economic and encourage agriculture, forestry, mariculture and local industry are practice in a sustainable manner.

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Section 3.2, Objective 3

- To promote development of the land in ways which are sympathy with the landscape and which make the most of each site's natural characteristics

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Section 3.2, Objective 5:

- To encourage that the renewable resource base is maintained in a sustainable manner.

Do we want to clarify what renewable resource base refers to – ie firewood supply, wild plants&animals, water?

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- Section 3.4, Objective 1
- To discourage pervasive and excessive noise created by residential, commercial or industrial uses as well as noises originating off the island, yet impacts island residents.

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- Section 3.4 Objective 2
- To preserve and support balanced control of the local feral\heritage sheep which are a valued part of the community and it's history.

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- Section 3.4 Objective 4
- To support the creation of a public trail network throughout the island.

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- Section 3.4 Objective 5
- To ensure compatible parks and recreation areas on the island are designed and located appropriately.

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- Section 3.4 Objective 6
- The Community aims to ensure that 12% of the land base of Lasqueti Island is preserved and protected with appropriate representation of all ecosystems in the area.

According to Doug Hopwood's calculations, 6.2% of Lasqueti is protected as parks & nature reserves, 10.9% of Lasqueti Trust Area as a whole

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- Section 3.8
- To retain the Crown lands as large parcels with low density and minimal development because the Lasqueti community believes that would provide greatest benefit to the public of British Columbia from these lands

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- Section 3.8 Objective 1
- To preserve Crown lands for public enjoyment and community use

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- Section 3.8 Objective 2
- To take into account the conservation values on Crown Lands as the primary consideration in decision making.

*Now On to Community Expressed Interests
related to Resource Stewardship*

Community Expressed Interests Resource Stewardship

- To ensure population stays within limits of sustainability.

Community Expressed Interests Resource Stewardship

- To minimize our ecological footprint

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- To preserve quiet and darkness (to avoid noise and light pollution) .

Community Interests Expressed Resource Stewardship

- To protect and ensure access to wild – gathered food resources from the land and marine environments.

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- To support watershed planning to protect water supplies and ecosystems.

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- To support establishment of a community woodlot

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- To support public access to fresh water lakes.

Community Expressed Interests

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- To grow as much of the food consumed on the island as possible through support for community gardens, shared use of established gardens and orchards, organic farming, seed library, local markets etc.

Community Expressed Interests Resource Stewardship

- To encourage local production of food for island pets and livestock.

Community Expressed Interests Resource Stewardship

- Improve local control of agricultural land designation and protection

(Fear of federal government process for agriculture not permitting community input.)

**•Now On to Heritage &
Archaeological Stewardship**

Heritage, Archaeological Stewardship

- Existing Objective Within the Current Official
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Section 3.3 Objective 1

To ensure respectful treatment , fairness and equity to past, present and future generations that have shared and will share Lasqueti Island and the Trust Area.

Community Interests Expressed Heritage, Archaeological Stewardship

To learn and respect indigenous rights, uses
and management of land and resources

Community Interests Expressed Heritage, Archaeological Stewardship

Are There Any Missed?