



Galiano Island Local Trust Committee
PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE
Proposed Bylaw Nos. 283 and 284
Groundwater Sustainability Project

The Galiano Island Local Trust Committee invites the public to attend a Community Information Meeting and Public Hearing beginning at **1:00 pm, Tuesday, October 8, 2024**, at the **Galiano Lions Club Hall**, 992 Burrill Road, Galiano Island to hear your views regarding **Proposed Bylaw Nos. 283 and 284**.

- **Community Information Meeting** will be held prior to the Public Hearing and will provide the opportunity for members of the public to ask questions about the proposed bylaw amendments.
- **Public Hearing**

What are Proposed Bylaw Nos. 283 and 284 about?

The proposed Bylaw No. 283 will amend the Galiano Island Official Community Plan Bylaw No. 108, 1995 by updating relevant groundwater policies and objectives, replacing Schedule D – Water Resources with a new Schedule D – Groundwater Regions, and replacing the Development Permit Area (DPA) 4 – Elevated Groundwater Catchment with a new DPA 4 – Groundwater Recharge Protection.

The proposed Bylaw No. 284 will amend the Galiano Island Land Use Bylaw No. 127, 1999 by including new cistern requirements, updates to subdivision proof of water regulations, and new definitions.

How Do I Get More Information?

Copies of the proposed bylaws, the Public Hearing Binder and other information is available **online** from September 26, 2024 to October 8, 2024 here: <https://islandstrust.bc.ca/island-planning/galiano/projects/> and at the Islands Trust Victoria Office, 200 – 1627 Fort Street, Victoria, BC V8R 1H8 from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., excluding statutory holidays, starting September 26, 2024.

Enquiries?

Contact Kim Stockdill, Island Planner by **email**: kstockdill@islandstrust.bc.ca, or **phone**: 250-405-5157.

Written submissions?

Written submissions will be accepted until 4:30 p.m., October 7, 2024 to: Islands Trust, 200 – 1627 Fort Street, Victoria, BC V8R 1H8 or **email**: vicphsub@islandstrust.bc.ca

Written submissions made in response to this notice will be available for public review.

NO WRITTEN OR ORAL REPRESENTATIONS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE GALIANO ISLAND LOCAL TRUST COMMITTEE, OR ITS MEMBERS, AFTER THE CONCLUSION OF THE PUBLIC HEARING.

Jas Chonk
Deputy Secretary