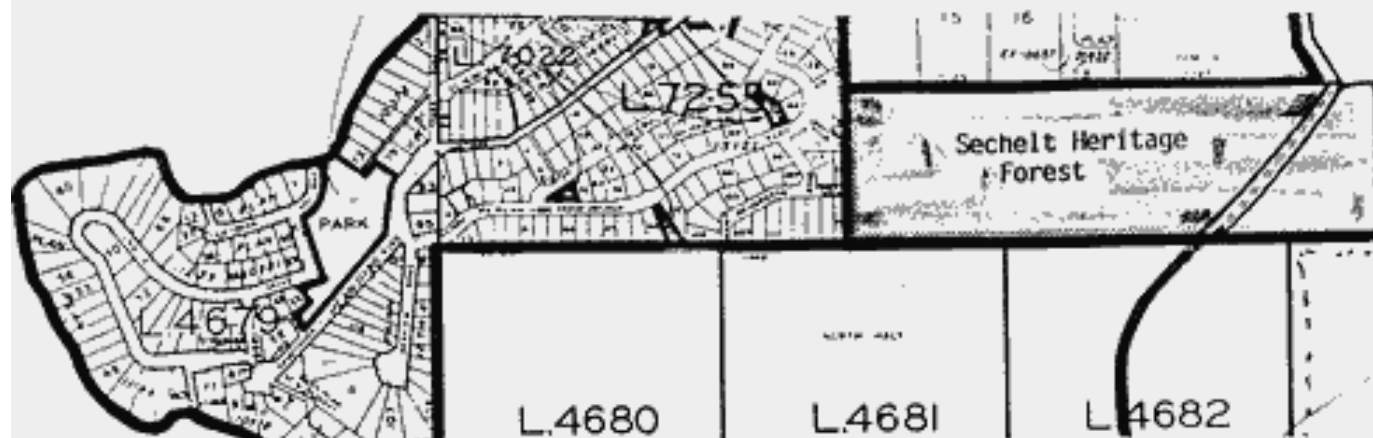


## SECHELT HERITAGE FOREST

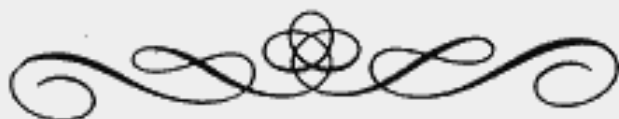
We, the undersigned, desire the inclusion of the Sechelt Heritage Forest within the Official Community Plan for the District of Sechelt.

Setting aside this area (see map) will provide for the future health of the community.



Land to the north and west is presently owned and developed residential use land. We understand that the land to the south will, in the near future, also be developed for residential use. Large incoming populations make vital the provision of recreational areas.

Existing trails and gentle slope already make it a popular low-key walking greenbelt. Official designation is needed to remove it from the jurisdiction of the Provincial Forest and to state the significance of this area as the SECHELT HERITAGE FOREST.



We, the supporters:

<u>Name of Resident</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Comment</u>
<i>[Signature]</i>	<i>5814 Deerhorn Dr.</i>	<i>Great.</i>
<i>Elizabeth Scott</i>	<i>5834 Deerhorn</i>	<i>Definitely!</i>
<i>[Signature]</i>	<i>5834 DEERHORN</i>	<i>Also totally</i>
<i>Bruce Murray</i>	<i>5943 Deborah</i>	<i>Definitely.</i>

We, the supporters:

Name of Resident                      Address                      Comment

Joe T. [unclear]                      RR1 Sandy Hook

Bela Hess                      6859 Seaview

[unclear]                      5918 Sandy Hook Rd - a must!

[unclear]                      5878 Krahame Dr.

George Fish                      5910 Sandy Hook

Name of Resident                      Address                      Comment

Maria Insi                      5910 Sandy Hook Rd.

Jack Malquist                      5905 Sandy Hook Rd Sic 1442

Barbara Hanke                      5922 Sandy Hook, Sechelt

Earl Hanke                      5922 Sandy Hook C21 Sechelt B.

Dana Uller                      5842 SANDY HOOK                      NEEDED PLAN!

Vikki [unclear]                      5842 SANDY HOOK

D. Honslow                      5878 <sup>Hyalomine Dr.</sup> Sandy Hook

Jay R. Hensh                      5918 Sandy Hook Rd                      A WIN/WIN - IMPERATIVE!

[unclear]                      5758 Sandy Hook Rd                      Good Idea

[unclear]                      6747 Sand Hk                      OK

[unclear]                      5753 S. [unclear]

[unclear]                      5753 Sandy Hook

we, the supporters:

Name of Resident

Address

Comment

F. CLACK 5814 DEERHORN GREAT IDEA

Joyce Scott 5801 Deerhorn Dr .....

Kyng & Caldwell 5807 Deerhorn Dr Secret

Edith Caramell 5807 Deerhorn Secret

Name of Resident

Address

COMMENT

Agnes Wright 6085 Coracle Dr.

Larry Wright 6085 Coracle

John W. Keet 6034 - - -

Quinn Dunn 6031 CORACLE DR

Chad. Cragg 6910 Porpoise Dr.

Nancy Napier Seaview Dr.

Oppe 6937 Porpoise Dr.

Doug Dupuis Mt. Richardson

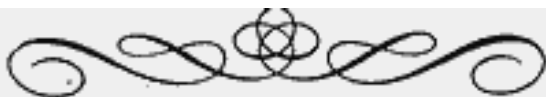
Valerie Turner 6991 Porpoise Drive

Orhan Fries 692 Porpoise Dr.

Barbara Scott 6954 Porpoise Dr.

Paander 6950 Porpoise Dr.

Name of Resident	Address	Comment
Dave Estesgaard	7056 Popoia Dr.	
H. Moll	7071 Popoia Drive.	
J. Hill	7038 Popoia Dr.	"Vote"
J.R. Steele	7034 Popoia Drive	
Annele Asikainen	6008 Coracle Pl. Sandy Hook	Would love to see the forest saved as a park
G. Antikainen		" " "
M. Oun	6039 CORACLE PL	
Larsa Lund	6109 Coracle Dr.	
W.H. Johnson	RR#1 Sandy Hook C79 6195 Coracle	We need green space
J. Johnson	RR#1 Sandy Hook C79	Nature pathways needed for children
Antony Pagan	RR#1 Sandy Hook C-15.	
Monique Patenaude	RR#1 Sandy Hook C-15.	
Susan Johnson	6109 Coracle Dr. Sandy Hook.	✓
Jill [unclear]	- 6061 Coracle RR	yes
Patricia [unclear]	6115 Coracle Dr.	great idea
Reg Rene	"	insist
R. Hunter	6041 Coracle Place	DEFINITELY!



We, the supporters:

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Juanita Pottel

Monty B...

Sandy Hook

Jim [Signature]

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Michele d'Entremont

5819 Skookumchuk  
Sandy Hook

Park's great

Deerhorn

May Boulanger

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[Signature]

AJ. Barland

5827 Skookumchuk

good idea

Jeanette

7072 Lipais Rd

Lisa Moss

7071 Lipais Rd

Kayma

5932 Sandy Hook Rd

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5932 Sandy Hook Rd

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5950 Skookumchuk

Rt. Sandy Hook Rd

Get time to make provision  
the future is NOW.

Kelizabeth deBruyn

5950 Skookumchuk

Rt. Sandy Hook Rd

agreed.

Secret 156

Beth Tucker

6882 Seaview

Rt. Sandy Hook Rd

old growth trees

view working

7065 Porpoise Dr.

Box 582

Sharon Dantyt

7065 Porpoise Dr.

We, the supporters:

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CATHY McHELLAN

5938 SKOOKUMCHUK  
SANDY HOOK

A great idea - a forest to st

JOCELYN HARRIS

5938 SKOOKUMCHUK  
SANDY HOOK

and explore

We, the supporters:

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Nancy McClean

5819 SKOOKUMCHUK

VERY IMPORTANT TO US!

Bruce McClean

✓

✓

We, the supporters:

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Telf Smith

Rt 1, Sandy Hook, CA, Seattle BC VON 3A0

Bob Wilson  
(PETERMAN)

100-2617,  
5933 Skookumchuk Rd, VON 3A0

we, the supporters:

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~~Janet Pollock~~

~~6795 Mt  
Richardson~~

~~Specialist~~

~~Paul  
P. P. P.~~

~~Jenny Wolf~~

~~Sechelt~~

~~Roseanna~~

~~Sechelt~~

Janet Pollock

Sechelt

Bertine Fiebig

5873 Skatamuchuck

Forest forever!

Jessica Vomit

6946 Mt Richardson Rd.

Jindra Vermer

5818 Forest Rd.

Joseph Vermer

5818 FOREST rd

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6921 MT RICHARDSON

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6921 MT Richardson

S. Swanoe

6916 MT. Richardson

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6916 West Sechandren

Dr. Gordon C Cole

5926 Sandy Hook Rd.

Look long term

Roseanna Vermer

5873 Skatamuchuck

Forest forever!

Naomi Grand

69 Skana Crescent

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we, the supporters:

Name of Resident	Address	Comment
<del>James Wick</del>	2917 Skokholm Rd	THE MORE GREEN SPACE - THE BETTER !!
Burl Cheal	5912 Deerhorn	
Bert Cheal	5912 Deerhorn	
Paul Jensen	5895 Deerhorn	
Al Day	5844 Skokholm Rd for some	
Theray	5844 Skokholm Rd.	
U M Bland	5901 Skokholm Rd.	
Frank Stahr	5913 Skokholm Rd	
Michael Decker	5823 SKOKHOLM CHUCK	Essential to make it a park.
Michael Fincher	703 Seabe II, Seabe II A.	
All (107700)	5748 Sandy Hook	AGREE 100%
Stripop Key D. Key	5758 SANDY HOOK	GOOD IDEA.
Dagel Sorenson	5895 Deerhorn	
Key Alfonso	5891 Deerhorn	
H. Swanson	5881 Deerhorn Rd, Sandy Hook	
Rev. Franklin Schmidt	5852 Deerhorn Rd	Sandy Hook Seabe II



Re: SEHELT HERITAGE FOREST

Notes taken from the field trip with Marion Parker, Dendrochronologist and Archaeologist and expert in tree-ring dating, March 19, 1993.

- \* The forest is an example of old second growth which was probably logged at the turn of the century. Some ancient trees are standing.
- \* This forest is a picture in time of old practises. You don't have stumps of that height and size left behind today. It was termed high grade logging.
- \* Why should this forest be protected as "heritage"?  
Because this forest:
  - is an example of early logging practices
  - has outstanding aesthetic quality
  - is of scientific study value, especially the mosses
  - has ecological watershed value in the running stream
  - offers diverse wildlife protection
  - is close to a centre of population
- \* All of this together with the many varieties of plants make it a delicate zone.

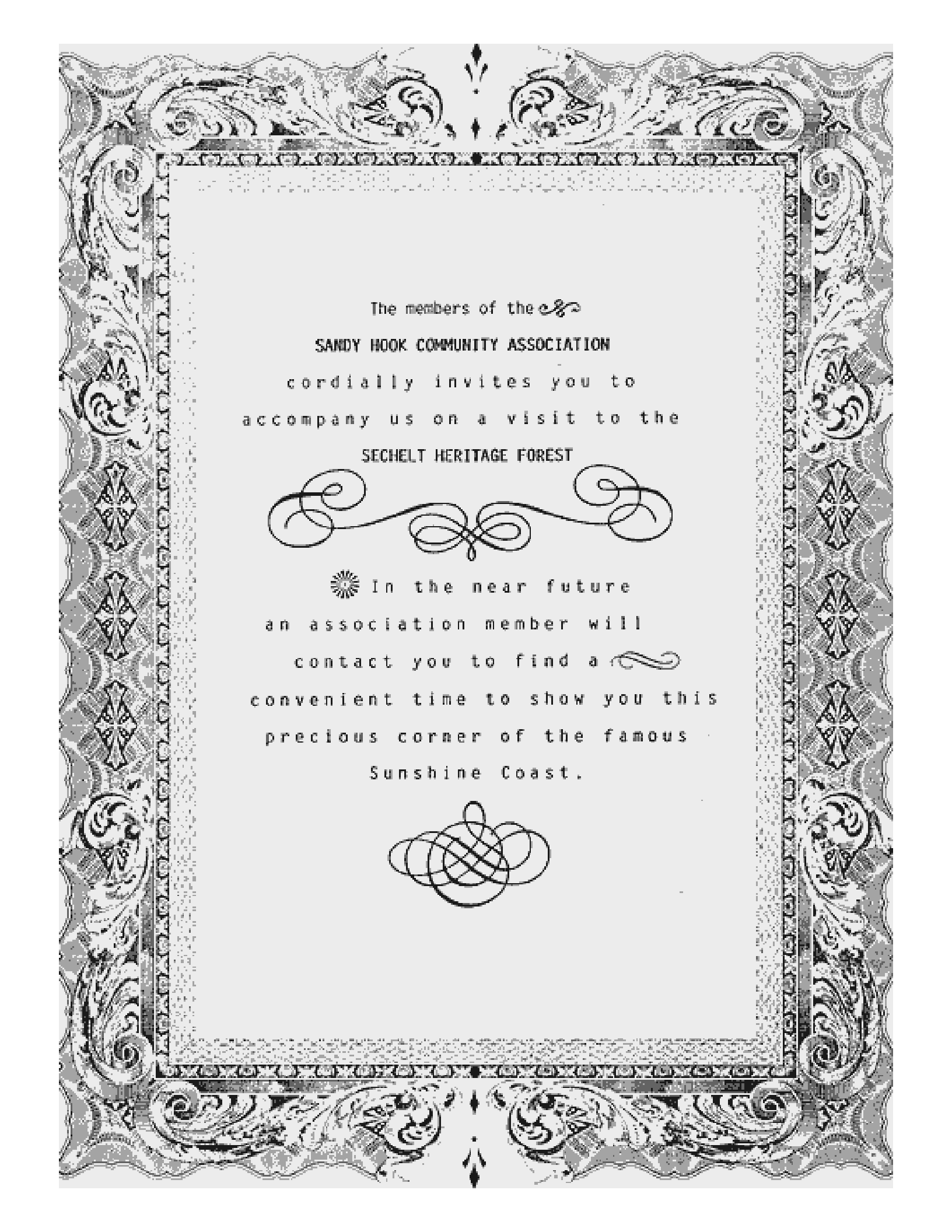
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\* Tree-Ring Dating \* Archaeology \* Environmental Research  
\* Wood Quality Studies \* Applied Anthropology

**MARION L. PARKER, B.A., M.A.**  
*Dendrochronologist and Archaeologist*

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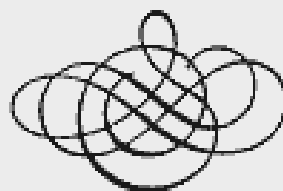
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The members of the *SCA*  
**SANDY HOOK COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION**  
cordially invites you to  
accompany us on a visit to the  
**SECHELT HERITAGE FOREST**



☀ In the near future  
an association member will  
contact you to find a *~*  
convenient time to show you this  
precious corner of the famous  
Sunshine Coast.



Notes taken from the field trip with Barry Chambers, resident of Secheit and knowledgeable person on the subject of logging in this area, on the date of April 2, 1993

- \* Logging may have occurred around 1880, and subsequent logging could have occurred anytime since. Selected trees were felled no later than 1920, as evidenced by the tall height of the stumps.
- \* Old-time logging methods were used, because no evidence of power saw use was found.
- \* The ancient red cedar tree survived to this day because of lumber standards at the turn of the century. (This tree is 8½ ft. in diameter.) It may have "swirlies" or "grooves" which would have been considered substandard at the turn of the century. The significance of this giant specimen is that the loggers made two attempts to chop the tree down, but due to irregularities, let it stand. Despite these deep cuts, and the double set of springboard chops, the tree survives.
- \* The "long butts" left behind as waste are evidence of work done by a small logging operation, or one person known as a "gyppo".
- \* The hemlock trees have a mistletoe condition, common to this area. The douglas fir trees are healthy and second growth. Bark missing from the trunks of some of the trees is considered normal damage.
- \* Some of the common guidelines for selective logging were observed in this forest, some were not.
- \* Further study and consultation with other loggers familiar with this site is needed to determine exactly when this stand was logged for the first time, and by whom.

# HERITAGE FORESTS SOCIETY

7500 Heather Street  
Richmond, B.C. V6Y 2P9  
April 10, 1993



To: Mayor and City Council  
Corporation of the District of Sechelt

Re: "SECHELT HERITAGE FOREST": inclusion in the Official Community Plan

This letter is in support of the Sandy Hook Community Association proposal to seek park status for a stand of trees of approximately 80 acres in size (see attached map).

Heritage Forests Society is a voluntary citizens organization dedicated to the conservation of natural areas, particularly those with a heritage.

On a number of field trips, by invitation of Ms. Gertrude Pacific of the Sandy Hook Community Association, we have observed the following amenities worthy of protection:

- \* a second growth forest stand of Cedar, Hemlock and Fir selectively logged between 1880 and 1920 (approx.)
- \* an existing trail system through the forest where an observer can see majestic old growth trees left standing by pioneer loggers
- \* a mosaic of small streams and bogs which may serve as watershed to future communities down-slope
- \* an ethno-botanical showplace where members of the Sechelt Nation (shíshá'lh - elders) and scholars can engage in teaching to the community the values of our botanical and biological treasure
- \* a place where old-time loggers can relate their historical ways of resource extraction to the community


In our experience in helping to establish parks in British Columbia, we have found that areas which have been saved for their natural amenities have measureably improved the public good. Young people are especially enriched by establishing natural values which are hard to find in this industrial world.

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*HERITAGE FORESTS SOCIETY meets at  
the SPEC building, 2150 Maple Street, on the  
first Tuesday of every month at 7:30p.m.  
See you there!*



# HERITAGE FORESTS SOCIETY

 Heritage Value

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It is for the above reasons that our Society is wholly supportive of the concept to designate the mentioned stand of trees as park. We will assist the citizen groups and council in the endeavour to set aside Sechelt Heritage Forest for all time.

Yours sincerely,



Will Paulik  
Co-chair, Heritage Forest Society

Enclosure

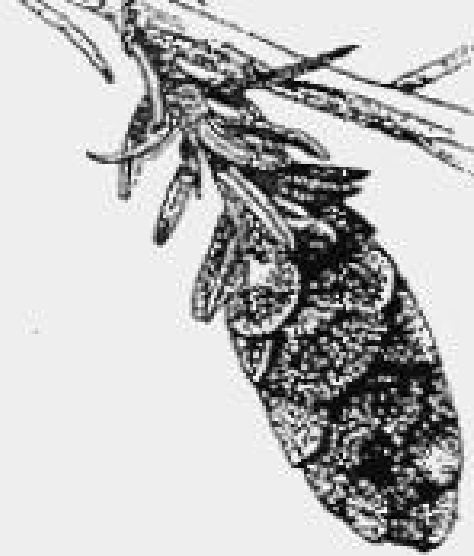
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President  
Sandy Hook Community Association

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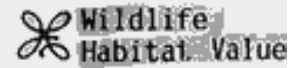
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Species inventory by botanist Terry Taylor

Plants Observed in Sechelt Heritage Forest, Sandy Hook, April 18, 1993.

Omphalina ericetorum	a mushroom
Lepidozia reptans	a liverwort
Hylocomium splendens	Step moss
Plagiothecium undulatum	a moss
Calypogeia azurea	a liverwort
Pteridium aquilinum	Bracken fern
Eurhynchium oreganum	a moss
Scapania bolanderi	a liverwort
Hypnum circinale	a moss
Tsuga heterophylla	Western hemlock
Gaultheria shallon	Salal
Vaccinium parvifolium	Red huckleberry
Heterotextus alpinus	Orange top jelly fungus
Entoloma sp.	a mushroom
Thuja plicata	Western red cedar
Antitrichia curtipendula	a moss
Dicranum scoparium	Birdbeak moss
Cladonia sp., probably C. macilenta	a lichen
Platismatia glauca	a lichen
Mycena sp.	a mushroom
Isothecium stoloniferum	a moss
Usnea subfloridana	a lichen
Listera cordata	Twayblade orchid
Lepraria sp.	a lichen
Dicranum fuscescens	Birdbeak moss
Rhytidiadelphus loreus	a moss
Polystichum munitum	Swordfern
Pseudotsuga menziesii	Douglas fir
Rhizomnium glabrescens	a moss
Fomitopsis pinicola	Red belt bracket fungus
Pseudotaxiphyllum elegans	a moss
Polypodium glycyrrhiza	Licorice fern
Rubus ursinus	Trailing blackberry
Sambucus racemosa	Red elderberry
Dacrymyces palmatus	a jelly fungus
Mahonia nervosa	Low Oregon grape
Blechnum spicant	Deer fern
Hypogymnia enteromorpha	a lichen
Alectoria sarmentosa	a lichen
Sphaerophorus globosus	a lichen
Hirschioporus abietinus	a bracket fungus
Parmelia sulcata	a lichen
Trientalis latifolia	Star flower
Neckera douglasii	a moss
Mycena pura	a mushroom
Ganoderma oregonense	Varnished bracket fungus
Frullania nisquallensis	a liverwort
Porella navicularis	a liverwort
Laricifomes officinalis	Quinine fungus



Linnaea borealis	Twinflower
Luzula parviflora	Wood rush
Peltigera membranacea	Dog lichen
Imadophila ericetorum	a lichen
Lophocolea cuspidata	a liverwort
Alnus rubra	Red alder
Ochrolechia? sp. possibly this sp. species not known	a crustose lichen
Athyrium filix-femina	a slime mold
Leucolepis acanthoneura	Lady fern
Lysichitum americanum	a moss
Hypogymnia tubulosa	Skunk cabbage
Tiarella trifoliata	a lichen
	Foam flower, possibly a hybrid with T. laciniata
Picea sitchensis	Sitka spruce
Cladopodium crispifolium	a moss
Plagiochila asplenioides	a liverwort
Cudonia circinans	an ascomycete fungus
Stereum sp.	a fungus
Peziza badia	an ascomycete fungus
Dendroalsia abietina	a moss
Cornus nuttallii	Pacific dogwood
Candelariella efflorescens? possibly	a lichen
Agrocybe sp.	a mushroom
Acer macrophyllum	Broadleaf maple
Polyporus badius	a fungus
Mycena aurantiidisca	a mushroom
Galerina sp.	a mushroom
Lobaria pulmonaria	Lungwort lichen
Hypogymnia imshaugii	a lichen
Viola sempervirens	Evergreen violet
Drepanocladus uncinatus	a moss
Homalothecium fulgescens	a moss
Metaneckera menziesii	a moss
Heterocladium macounii	a moss

This area is a nicely-maturing coastal western hemlock forest, with luxuriant populations of mosses and liverworts. There is an especially impressive covering of the step moss (Hylocomium splendens). Many of the hemlocks bear mistletoe brooms. Although detrimental from a forestry point of view these do not detrimentally affect the recreational or natural history values of this forest, and are, in fact, part of the expected natural characteristics of such a hemlock forest.

*Terry Taylor*

Terry Taylor  
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228-9966.



# shíshálh curriculum project

*A Jointly Sponsored Project of the Sechelt Indian Band and  
School District No. 46 (Sunshine Coast)*



April 26, 1993

Mayor and City Council  
Corporation of the District of Sechelt

**The inclusion of the  
SECHELT HERITAGE FOREST  
in the Official Community Plan**

Dear Mayor and Council:

The Sechelt Nation has been working with the Sechelt School Board for the last three years on a curriculum project to teach the shishalh language. We are currently producing language lessons and cultural studies programs for the public school system. A major area of study is the study of native plant species and their historical and contemporary use.

To have a forest within the municipality of Sechelt that would be available for teaching this curriculum could provide an invaluable resource for all the students. In years to come, the value of our plant species to the community at large could be of great economic importance.

Therefore, we support the proposal of the Sandy Hook Community Association to designate the area just east of Sandy Hook, known as the SECHELT HERITAGE FOREST, as a new forest reserve for the municipality of Sechelt.

Yours sincerely,

Jeff Smith

shishalh studies Curriculum Development





# The Sechelt Marsh Protective Society

P.O. Box 543 Sechelt, B.C. V0N 3A0

## Sandy Hook Community Association

April 30, 1993

I inspected the forest land in Sandy Hook which you are proposing as a designated green belt. Among the interesting features of this small tract that I noticed were:

- a) Some large and ancient old growth western red cedar trees
- b) Evidence of cultural modification of some of these old trees (experts would have to determine if this was the work of natives or white men)
- c) The area is typical of much low elevation forest on the Sunshine coast and as such it constitutes prime habitat for a variety of bird species, notably woodpeckers and other cavity breeding species, owls, and a variety of passerines.
- d) An existing trail system.

I think it would make an interesting addition to the municipality's park resources.

Yours truly  
Tony Greenfield  
President

# M.L. PARKER COMPANY, INC.

## CONSULTING IN DENDROCHRONOLOGY AND ARCHAEOLOGY

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MADEIRA PARK, B.C.  
V0N 2H0

1757 JOHNSON ROAD  
POINT ROBERTS, WA. 98281  
(206) 945-2077

April 30, 1993

Sechelt Mayor and City Council  
Sechelt, British Columbia  
Attn: Rob Buchan, City Planner

Dear Mr. Buchan:

I was asked recently by Gertrude Pacific to examine an old, second-growth forest in the Sandy Hook District of Sechelt. I am an archaeologist and dendrochronologist and have worked in the field of dendrochronology for 31 years throughout Canada and the United States. For the past 10 years I have concentrated mainly on examining and dating the big and old trees in British Columbia, dating historic buildings and archaeological sites and identifying and dating culturally-modified trees (CMTs).

After visiting the forest at Sandy Hook, I am convinced that it should be preserved. I discussed some of the reasons with Gertrude Pacific and she has documented them for you. In addition, I would like to stress the significance of this forest for historic and scientific purposes. We took some increment borings from a tree, that is still living, but was damaged in an early commercial logging operation. These borings suggest (although I would like to confirm this with further study) that this logging took place over 100 years ago. Therefore, this forest represents a very good and well-preserved example of early logging practices.

Although the forest has been logged, some ancient trees were not cut and these trees contain valuable dendrochronological information such as proxy climatic data that extends back in time for hundreds of years, information about atmospheric carbon dioxide, acid rain and other scientific data.

I will attempt to meet with you on May 11 regarding this matter.

Sincerely yours,



M. L. Parker, Dendrochronologist

# Sandy Hook Community Association



April 30, 1993

District of Sechelt  
Mayor and Council Members  
Rob Buchan, Director of Planning

The following presentation represents the response of the Board of Directors of the Sandy Hook Community Association to the request of the District of Sechelt for guidelines and proposals to the Official Community Plan. The issues addressed, while not inclusive, represent the Board's and other residents' primary concerns with the future of the District of Sechelt and of Sandy Hook in particular. For the sake of emphasis, we have summarized key issues and are enclosing a detailed plan on the following major proposal.

The Sandy Hook Community Association strongly favours:

- a municipally-designated green belt adjacent to Sandy Hook with the working title of the **SECHELT HERITAGE FOREST.**

*The Sandy Hook Community Association gives its highest priority to this issue. The Association is persuaded that such an area is essential as population pressures are already scheduled to assault our area beyond anything this fragile wilderness has known. Developers are planning high density housing projects now and, within ten years, we expect they will be a reality. Of paramount importance is the preservation of a small, precious forest tract which will be of enduring value to the current and incoming residents of our area, and will preserve remarkable plant and wildlife which now survives in precarious balance. The preservation of this forest tract will also increase the desirability and attractiveness of the neighbourhood and, therefore, insure its contribution of a higher-than-average tax base. Documentation for the forest accompanies this report.*



Davidson & Pacific  
RR1, Sandy Hook C-128  
Sechelt, B.C. Canada V0N 3A0

May 3, 1993

Chief and Council  
Sechelt Indian Band  
Box 740  
Sechelt, BC V0N 3A0

Dear Chief and Council:

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In the letter, Mr. Paulik mentions the Sechelt Nation. He felt that you would appreciate knowing about the proposal.

I have been volunteering for the past few months with two of your staff members: Jeff Smith and Anne Quinn, on the ethno-botanical project for Native Studies. The project is a wonderful idea, and the ethno-botanical portion is extremely interesting to me.

Sincerely,



Gertrude Pacific, Chairperson  
Official Community Plan Sub-Committee of Sandy Hook

Enclosure

**Davidson & Pacific**  
**RR1, Sandy Hook C-128**  
**Sechelt, B.C. Canada V0N 3A0**

May 3, 1993

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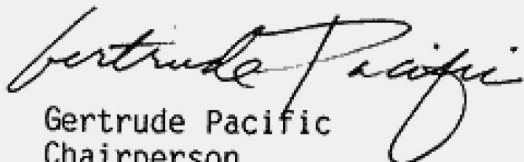
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Mr. Will Paulik, Co-chair of the Heritage Forest Society requested that I send this to you. He also suggested that I should ask for the latest Environmental Citizenship packet. Since many of the neighbourhood communities are quite active at this point, since we are all working on our Official Community Plan, a few extra would be quickly spread around to other groups. This is a moment of involvement to all concerned.

Thank you for your attention.

Yours sincerely,



Gertrude Pacific  
Chairperson  
Official Community Plan Sub-Committee of Sandy Hook

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Official Community Plan Sub-Committee of Sandy Hook

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Minutes from Meeting: Barry Miller  
Ministry of Forests

Also Present:  
Michael Davidson, Johnny Johnson

Date: ~~May 7, 1993~~

Mr. Miller was fairly sure he could, at the least, flag the area as a Recreation Reserve.

He kept a copy of the Buchan letter, saying he would come to visit the forest in early June.


The chain of command:

John Cuthbert in Victoria.

Charlie Western in Burnaby. Regional office in the Ministry. Ken Ingram is the Regional Manager

Barry Miller in Sechelt. District.

Nothing is final until it goes up the chain of command, and a decision is made by the CHIEF.



Barry J. Miller, RPF, RP Bio.  
Resource Officer  
Planning  
Sunshine Coast Forest District  
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File: ARCS 232-20 (052)

May 19, 1993

Mr. Rob Buchan  
Municipal Planner  
The Corporation of the District of Sechelt  
P.O. Box 129, 5545 Inlet Avenue  
Sechelt, British Columbia  
V0N 3A0



Province of  
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Ministry of  
Forests

Berry J. Miller, R.P.F., R.P.S. 7077 Duncan Street  
Resource Officer Powell River  
Planning British Columbia  
Sunshine Coast Forest V8A 1W1  
District

Phone: (604) 485-0700  
Fax: (604) 485-4033



Dear Rob:

I am writing in response to your letter of April 30, 1993 concerning the somewhat isolated portion of Provincial Forest land north of Lot 4682, in the vicinity of Sandy Hook.

This location is currently within the Forest License chart area of International Forest Products. Chart areas are administrative boundaries for logging companies and as such, can be amended if deemed necessary. I note that there are no plans to harvest here in Interfor's most recent 5 year development plan which is available in our field office.

While the Ministry of Forests is now aware of the local interest in this isolated "finger" of forest land for recreation, we do not feel that removing it from the Provincial Forest for this purpose alone, is warranted, at this time. The Ministry manages the Provincial Forest using Integrated Resource Management (IRM), which encourages all resource users to work together in the forest. Even though this land is surrounded by urban development, we feel that it is a good example of the many wide-ranging benefits that the Provincial Forest offers to a community.

Recreation areas in the Provincial Forest often need some form of protection from other uses which could degrade, or destroy the unique qualities of these special places. Our own Recreation Department has many sites under its' jurisdiction and they continue to be interested in locations with good access, that can be enjoyed by the public. They have considered the Sandy Hook location for a "Recreation Reserve", but unfortunately, it does not meet the Ministry's criteria for this formal status.

Mr. Rob Buchan

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At this time, we would like to designate this area as a 'Notation of Recreation Interest' on our legal status maps. This designation would "red flag" the local Forest Service office of the importance of this area for local recreation. Should there be any application or proposal for any other use here, this designation would highlight the recreational value of this area.

This notation does not infer any improvements of any kind will be added to this site by the Forest Service, but simply that it has a value for local recreation.

I trust that this solution is satisfactory to all parties involved. If you have any questions or would like further discussion of this matter, please call Don Edmonds at 485-0719.

Yours truly,

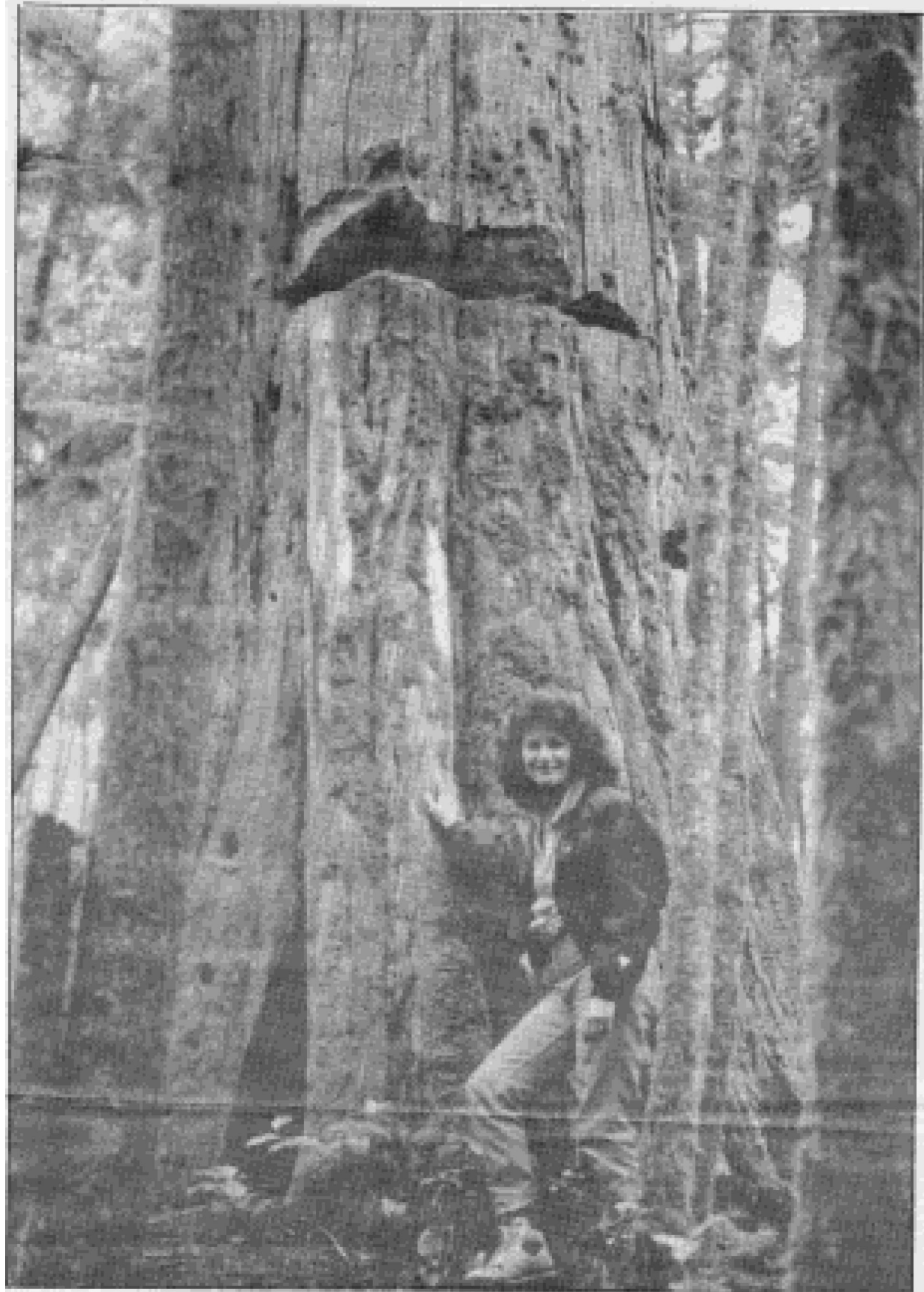


Barry Miller, R.P.F. R.P. Bio.,  
Resource Officer Planning  
Sunshine Coast Forest District

cc: Mike Bell  
International Forest Products

Gertrude Pacific  
Official Community Plan Sub-Committee of Sandy Hook

Enclosure (1)



Gertrude Pacific stands by an old tree on land adjacent to Sandy Hook.

Photo by Bryan Cannon

# Park proposed for Sandy Hook

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The 80-acre chunk of crown land adjacent to Sandy Hook appeared certain to become a Sechelt park.

Gertrude Pacific, Chairperson of the Sandy Hook Official Community Plan Sub-Committee, with Jay Hess and Bula Hess of Sandy Hook, attended a Sechelt Planning Committee meeting May 25 to urge Council to acquire the parcel as a municipal heritage forest.

Support from members of the committee appeared solid, but at a special meeting of council two days later, councillor Peggy Wagner and Town Clerk Michael Vaughan reported that the land might not, in fact, be in Sechelt.

Vaughan said the land might be in the Regional District. Different maps showed different boundaries for Sechelt, but Councillor Bob Wilson said it should be clear, since expansion took place in 1986.

"We have to determine where our boundaries are," he said.

"If it's outside Sechelt, we have to get it put into Sechelt," added Mayor MacLarty.

But Councillor Joyce Kolibas maintained that as long it was a park, it would not matter whose

park it was.

The Town Clerk suggested postponing action on the heritage forest until Sechelt's new Official Community Plan was in place, but Peggy Wagner countered that there are a lot of steps to go through before the area could become a park, and it could not wait for the OCP.

Administrator Art Lew sug-

gested a further complication: It may be under logging license. But by late last week it had been determined that the land is within Sechelt's boundaries.

Sechelt clerk Michael Vaughan told *The Sunshine Press* that application to the Ministry of Lands to have the parcel turned over to Sechelt can now begin.

## Celebrating Sechelt

Whether your family has lived on the Sunshine Coast for four months or 400 years, you probably realize you are part of a unique and powerful landscape. The Friends of the Sechelt Public Library, in conjunction with Celebration Days is hosting a writing contest and would appreciate hearing how you've been shaped and tinted by your life in Sechelt or the surrounding areas. Time is short. Submissions must be in by June 20.

**CONTEST RULES** - maximum length 1200 words double spaced. Your name, address, phone number and title are to appear on a cover sheet.

To ensure fairness, please do not use your name anywhere else on your submission. Entry fee \$5. Mail submissions to "Friends Writing Contest", Box 2104, Sechelt, V0N 3A0 or deliver them to the Sechelt Public Library at 5520 Trail Avenue.

Please include a SASE if you would like your entry returned. Winners will be announced at the Celebration Dinner, July 1 at the Indian Band Hall. Prizes of \$100 for first prize, \$50 second prize, \$25 third prize, donated by the Sechelt Golf & Country Club.

Judging will be done by Friends of the Library and Sechelt Public Library, and judges decisions will be final.

For further information call Robin Wheeler - 885-4505 before 6 pm

We are present, the members of the Sandy Hook Community Association, to briefly speak in support of the SECHELT HERITAGE FOREST proposal.

Within the framework of the Official Community Plan, we have made some general and specific proposals for the District of Sechelt. The highest priority we place is on the creation of a municipally-designated forest, approx. 80 acres in size, adjacent to Sandy Hook. It is visible on these maps, which are official BC maps.

The creation of this forest is the key to our entire vision of future Sechelt:

-- the preservation of a rural, forested countryside where neighbourhoods retain unique flavour, and are united by common recreational areas, known as parks, green belts or forests.

The many detailed items which we have proposed are all laid out in our Guidelines for Tomorrow. What our members are concerned about today, is the consideration of City Council towards support of and momentum toward the designation of the SECHELT HERITAGE FOREST.

At present, this land is known as land under the jurisdiction of the Ministry of Forests, or Crown Land. Members of our Sandy Hook Community Association have had a first meeting with Barry Miller at the Ministry of Forests. He has been most positive in his response, especially after viewing the letter from Mr. Buchan to Mr. Don Edmonds, Assistant Planner for the Sunshine Coast Forest District, which described our proposal.

I would like to introduce several members of our association who are present today, who would appreciate a moment of time to present their ideas in person.

We have: Johnny Johnson Bula Hess  
Jay Hess \_\_\_\_\_

Thank you for your attention.

Gertrude Pacific  
Gertrude Pacific

Chairperson

Official Community Plan Sub-Committee of Sandy Hook ·5-25-93·

# Sandy Hook Community Association Newsletter

*You are  
invited*

to the Annual Meeting. Come and learn what we've been up to on your behalf! The Annual Meeting of the Sandy Hook Community Association will be held:

**Date:** Saturday, May 29, 1993  
**Time:** 2:00 p.m.  
**Place:** St. Hilda's Church Hall

This has been a busy year, but we promise our reports will be brief. If you have noticed our media coverage -- this is your chance to come and hear the real scoop. You're also invited to stay after the meeting for refreshments, to catch-up with with your neighbours, and to discuss our community's special dream. (see "Forest" next column.)

## Nominations! Nominations!

Speaking of annual meetings -- Bula Hess, Nominating Committee Chair, presents here the slate of nominees to the Board of Directors of SHCA for the 1993-94 year: Bob Patrick, Jim Ettinger, Althea Rowe, Rose Ettinger, Hannah Damtoft, Lila Moss, Trevor Kirby, Peter Parker, Gertrude Pacific and Bula Hess. If you are interested in serving on the Board or wish to nominate someone, call Bula at 885-2429. Deadline for nominations is May 24.

**Litterbugging and Junk Mail** - we're hearing reports that junk mail is being littered around the mailbox area. Please take it home to your own garbage can. If we deserve to save a forest, the least we can do is keep a few yards of gravel tidy.

**NEXT EDITION -- the summer picnic!**  
 See you at the beach in July. Watch for details here.



## "Sechelt Heritage Forest"

### An idea whose time has come

Many thanks to Gertrude Pacific who has alerted us all to the opportunity to save a precious part of Sandy Hook and provided the leadership. With your help, we will develop the Sechelt Heritage Forest to benefit all of Sechelt in the years to come. The Board of Directors has adopted the idea and made it a formal proposal in our submission to the Official Community Plan. Thanks, also, to over 100 of you who signed the petition which accompanied the proposal. Gertrude obtained expertise from a dendrochronologist (tree-dater), a botanist, Indian Band ethno-botanist, the Heritage Tree Society, Marsh Society and others. Conclusion: a small parcel of 80 acres is packed with a great variety of mosses, some rare species; trees in the 600-700 year old range, and marks of man's intrusion 100 years ago. It's a jewel! And together we can save it!



## Christmas Thanks in May

Although the rhododendrons are splashing their colours these days, this is our first chance publicly to thank Don Mackenzie for his generosity in providing the Redonda and leading the grand Carol Ships parade last Christmas. Thanks also to Welwood, Interfor, Pharmasave, Radio Shack and the many Board members who pitched in. Organized again by Trevor Kirby, the Carol Ships provided a spectacular display for the spectators, familiar Christmas music, and netted \$270 which went to St. Mary's Hospital. Our special event is fast becoming a traditional Sandy Hook Christmas present to everyone in Sechelt.

Spring, 1993

NOTICE: SHCA memberships are due in January and cost \$5.00. Mail to Hannah Damtoft, Box 582, Sechelt, BC, V0N 3A0. Please correct mailing address, if necessary.

### MEMBERSHIP - SANDY HOOK COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION

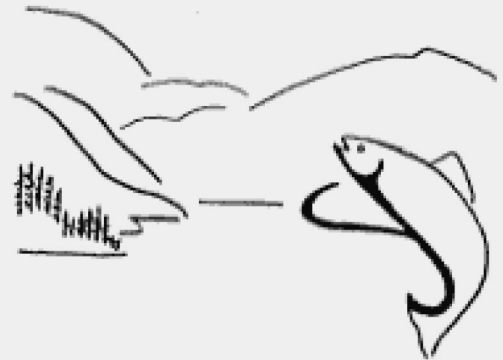
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Sandy Hook  
Community Association



June 15, 1993

*Councillors Giles & Koliter  
Mayor Mac Larty*

Re: Sechelt Heritage Forest

At our Annual General Meeting of May 29th, our membership burst into enthusiastic applause when we reported the progress of the plan for the park and the encouraging support of the City Council for that park.

We hope that sometime in these summer months you will be able to find time in your busy schedule to arrange a visit to the proposed park site.

Meanwhile, thank you for taking action in favour of the Sechelt Heritage Forest.

Sincerely,

Gertrude Pacific  
Chairperson  
OCP Sub-Committee of  
Sandy Hook

Trevor Kirby  
President  
Sandy Hook Community  
Association



# The District of Sechelt

*"Heart of the Sunshine Coast"*

June 16, 1993

**MINISTRY OF FORESTS,**  
Sunshine Coast Forest District,  
7077 Duncan Street,  
Powell River, B.C.  
V8A 1W1

Attention: Barry Miller  
Resource Officer - Planning

Dear Sirs:

**Re: Creation of a "Heritage Forest" Area  
Sechelt Provincial Forest  
Portion East of D.L. 7255**

At a Regular meeting of Council of the District of Sechelt on June 2, 1993 by Motion #7453, we have been instructed to write to you expressing support from the Mayor and Council for the designation of a "Heritage Forest" on the above property. (See attached plan for location of the proposed "Heritage Forest").

We understand that you have been in touch with our Municipal Planner, Rob Buchan, with respect to acquisition, designation or reservation of the above property to ensure that it is retained as a forest preserve, public park or recreation area. We notice that Section 683 of the Municipal Act would provide authority to convey a public park and pleasure ground to a Municipality in trust to preserve it for the use, recreation and enjoyment of the public.

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Ministry of Forests

In your discussions with Mr. Buchan, you may determine whether that procedure or some equally effective alternative is the best means of conserving this portion of forested land for continued enjoyment by the public. However, your offer to "red flag" the parcel file so as to record our expression of interest would not seem to be the degree of commitment being sought by Council. We therefore urge you to continue a dialogue with our Municipal Planner and to pursue some reasonable alternatives to realize the desired result of either a reserved or dedicated recreation area or forest preserve.

Thank you for your continued cooperation.

Yours very truly,

**DISTRICT OF SECHLT**



Michael P. Vaughan  
Municipal Clerk

MP\aj

c.c.: Mr. Gerry Armstrong,  
Deputy Minister of Environment, Lands & Parks,  
810 Blanshard Street,  
Victoria, B.C.  
V8V 1X4

R. Buchan, Municipal Planner

Enclosure

# Sandy Hook Community Association



June 30, 1993

Barry Miller  
Resource Officer, Planning  
Sunshine Coast Forest District  
7077 Duncan Street  
Powell River B.C. V8A 1W1

Dear Barry:

The Sandy Hook Community Association would like to take this opportunity to thank you for taking time out of your busy schedule to visit the site of the proposed Sechelt Heritage Forest.

We understand that Michael Vaughan, Municipal Clerk of the District of Sechelt, has been in touch with you regarding the proposal.

Enclosed please find some snapshots for you as a memento of the time you spent with us at the Sechelt Heritage Forest.

Sincerely,

Gertrude Pacific, Chair  
Official Community Plan Sub-Committee of Sandy Hook  
RR1, Sandy Hook, Site C-128  
Sechelt, BC V0N 3A0

Enclosures

**Davidson & Pacific**  
**RR1, Sandy Hook C-128**  
**Sechelt, B.C. Canada V0N 3A0**

September 1, 1993

Peggy Wagner  
Sechelt City Council  
Sechelt, B.C. V0N 3A0

Dear Peggy:

Thank you for taking the time to review the status of the proposal for Sechelt Heritage Forest. As you know, the ball is now in the court of the Ministry of Forests. In order to assess the value of seeking support from other entities of government on the Sunshine Coast, I am presenting the following information:

- \* A tract of land, of approximately 55 acres, within the municipal boundaries of Sechelt
- \* This forest is adjacent to Sandy Hook, on the east side of Porpoise Bay, and accessible from East Inlet Road (in fact the area straddles the road)
- \* The proposed park is a forest of second growth with some ancient trees remaining, and is populated by hemlock, fir and cedar, primarily
- \* It is a connector area used by wildlife to gain access to the streams, ponds and salt water swim to the west side of Sechelt and the forests beyond

The map which is attached shows the exact site and size of the proposed Sechelt Heritage Forest. Also, I suggest referring to the presentation binder provided by the Sandy Hook Community Association which describes the project in detail, together with many support letters.

Thank you so much for your continued and valued support for this concept. Your ideas and input have been extremely helpful. I hope this letter provides information for you to pursue this with your various associates in municipal and district affairs.

Sincerely,

  
Gertrude Pacific



CANADIAN PARKS AND WILDERNESS SOCIETY  
SOCIÉTÉ POUR LA PROTECTION DES PARCS ET DES SITES NATURELS DU CANADA

September 9, 1993

Gertrude Pacific  
Sandy Hook Community Association  
RR1, Sandy Hook, C128  
Sechelt, BC V0N 3A0

*Executive Director, Conservation*  
R.R. #4, Franklin Road,  
S-19, C-43  
Gibsons, B.C. V0N 1V0  
Tel: (604) 886-7633  
Fax: (604) 886-3768

Dear Gertrude,

Re: Sechelt Heritage Forest

I have received your proposal to create a municipal forest, "the Sechelt Heritage Forest", adjacent to Sandy Hook. The proposed nature park must be considered within the context of the integrity of the entire environmental framework of the Sunshine Coast.

Mid sized parks such as the one near Sandy Hook (55 acres) provide needed protected zones that fill the gap between small city parks and larger wilderness areas such as the Tetrahedron and Mt. Richardson. These mid-size nature parks create a valuable buffer between heavily populated communities and the "working forest". Transition zones such as these are recognized for the valuable role they play in wildlife protection. Other examples include estuaries and riparian zones which act as buffers and protectors, and as integrators for humans, wild animals and plant species.

Other neighborhoods and communities should also look for ways to provide protection for modest tracts of land to augment the Coastal park preservation picture. Environments such as those found in the Sechelt Heritage Forest should find protection under the new clauses in the Municipal Act providing they are located within municipal boundaries.

The proposed park is a worthy addition to our shared natural heritage. I am pleased that the Municipal Council of Sechelt fully endorses the proposal, and I am happy to add my support.

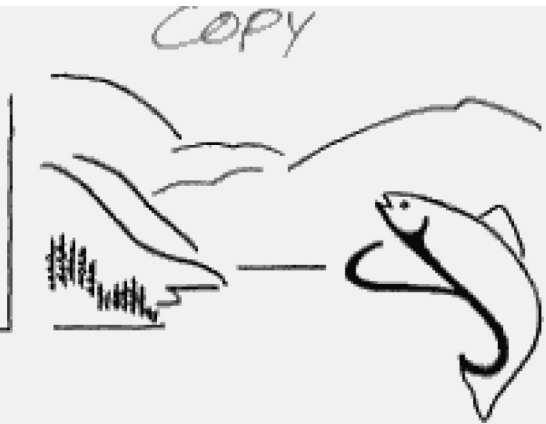
Yours truly,

  
George Smith



# Sandy Hook Community Association

RR#1 Sandy Hook Site C-1, Sechelt, BC, VON 3A0



October 11, 1993

Calvin Craigan  
Councillor  
Sechelt Indian Band  
5555 Sunshine Coast Highway  
Sechelt, B.C. VON 3A0

Dear Councillor Craigan:

The Sandy Hook Community Association would like to invite you to tour the proposed Sechelt Heritage Forest.

Our hopes and dreams for this area are noted in a brochure (copies enclosed) which we produced last month. We first informed the Sechelt Nation about this project in a letter to Chief and Council which I sent May 3rd. In that letter I wrote about the ethno-botanical aspects of your Native Studies program. I have felt all along that the Sechelt Heritage Forest would provide a place to study the plants which have been of high importance to the Sechelt peoples. I can picture labels of the various plant species with the names of the plants in three languages: Sechelt, Latin and English. This "living classroom" aspect of the Forest could provide many lessons to all the children of the Sunshine Coast for years to come.

Last week it was our pleasure to walk the trails with the Sechelt Elders and to hear stories relating to the old days of gathering the herbs and medicines.

I'll be contacting you soon to see if your schedule will permit a visit to the proposed Sechelt Heritage Forest.

Sincerely yours,

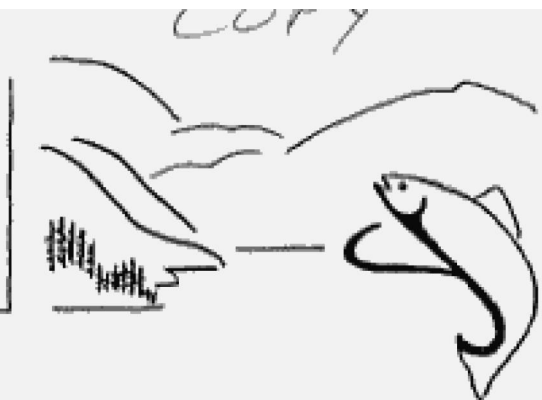
A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Gertrude Pacific".

Gertrude Pacific  
Board of Directors  
Sandy Hook Community Association

Enclosures

# Sandy Hook Community Association

RR#1 Sandy Hook Site C-1, Sechelt, BC, V0N 3A0



October 14, 1993

Valerie Bourne  
Coordinator  
Sechelt Band Cultural Centre  
Sechelt, B.C. V0N 3A0

Dear Valerie:

The Sandy Hook Community Association would like to thank you for your work in coordinating the visit and tour of the Sechelt Band Elders to the proposed Sechelt Heritage Forest.

It would be wonderful to have an ethno-botanical workshop out in the Forest to really identify the plants in terms of the importance of the plants to the Sechelt Band traditionally and in the present day!

We are sending along some photographs as a memento of the lovely day we all had a walk in the woods together.

Sincerely,

Gertrude Pacific  
Chair, Environment Committee  
Sechelt Heritage Forest Committee  
Board of Directors

Enclosures

cc: Councillor Calvin Craigan

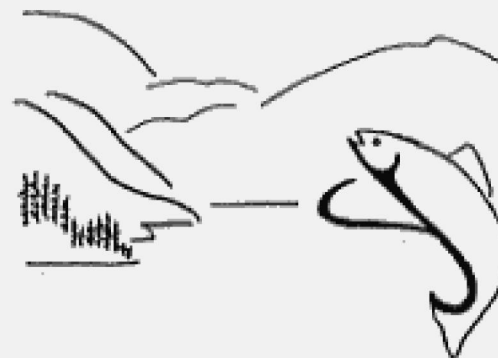
October 18, 1993 SUNSHINE PRESS



Elders of the Sechelt Indian Band toured the site of the proposed Sechelt Heritage Forest at Sandy Hook recently. Members of the Sandy Hook Residents' Association want to turn the 55 acre crown site into a park, and have gained the approval of Sechelt Council. Keith Thirkell photo

# Sandy Hook Community Association

RR#1 Sandy Hook Site C-1, Sechelt, BC, V0N 3A0



October 28, 1993

Barry Miller  
Sunshine Coast Forest District  
7077 Duncan Street  
Powell River, B.C. V8A 1W1

Re: Sechelt Heritage Forest

Dear Barry:

The Sandy Hook Community Association would like to thank you for arranging the meeting with yourself, Greg Hemphill and Ferd Hamre together with the residents of Sandy Hook. We were also glad to have Councillor Peggy Wagner with us as well.

At the request of Councillor Wagner, I presented an update of progress on the proposed Sechelt Heritage Forest to the District of Sechelt Council (Oct. 12). At that presentation, I relayed Gred Hemphill's offer to designate the Sechelt Heritage Forest as an Interpretive Forest / Recreation Reserve maintained under the jurisdiction of the Ministry of Forests. I further noted the offer of help from the Ministry of Forests to make trails and put up appropriate signs. Enclosed you will find a copy of the update document for your reference.

Also enclosed is a newspaper photo that appeared recently showing some of the Elders of the Sechelt Indian Band touring the Sechelt Heritage Forest proposed site.

Although a subsequent meeting between myself and Ferd Hamre has been postponed, I am still looking forward to meeting with him. Ferd mentioned he wished to familiarize himself with the physical boundaries and to note the street access to the site.

The enclosed snapshot is a happy reminder of a special day - the time we spent together and the conversations we engaged in were very special to all of us here in Sandy Hook.

Sincerely,

*Gertrude Pacific*

Gertrude Pacific

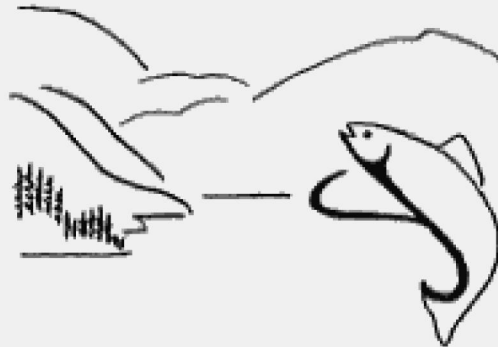
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cc: Greg Hemphill, Ferd Hamre Ministry of Forests  
Michael Vaughan, Clerk District of Sechelt



# Sandy Hook Community Association

RR#1 Sandy Hook Site C-1, Sechelt, BC, V0N 3A0



November 2, 1993

George Smith  
Linda Williams  
Canadian Parks and Wilderness Society  
RR4, Franklin Road, S-19, C43  
Gibsons, B.C. V0N 1V0

Dear Linda and George:

The Sandy Hook Community Association would like to thank you very much for your letter of support for the Sechelt Heritage Forest.

Your valuable input, George, regarding the concept of a brochure was just the push we needed to go forward with the production of our modest proposal. And thank you, Linda, for all your help in supporting the Sandy Hook community, especially in this instance.

We would like to invite you both, and your friends and family to visit the forest as soon as your busy days permit.

Enclosed are some items of interest: a map for when you visit, a recent newstory of a visit by the Sechelt Band Elders to the SHF, and an update of where we stand in the proposal process.

Best wishes to you both and to the Canadian Parks and Wilderness Society.

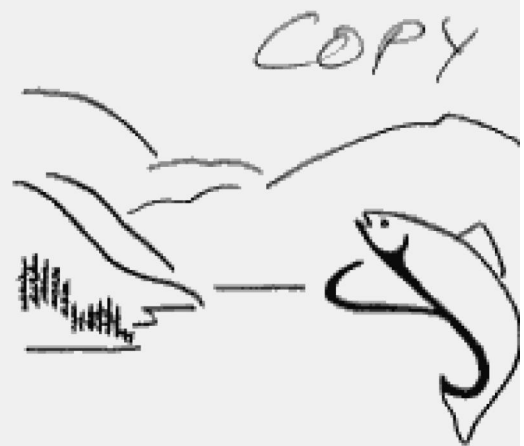
Sincerely,

Gertrude Pacific  
Board of Directors

Enclosures

# Sandy Hook Community Association

RR#1 Sandy Hook Site C-1, Sechelt, BC, V0N 3A0



November 16, 1993

Chief and Council  
Sechelt Indian Band  
Box 740  
Sechelt, BC V0N 3A0

Dear Chief and Council:

I understand that you will be meeting with the District of Sechelt Council on November 18, 1993, to discuss the proposed **Sechelt Heritage Forest**.

Today I spoke with Greg Hemphill, Ministry of Forests, to let him know that the Sandy Hook Community Association regards the proposal put forward by the Ministry of Forests as a very good plan. They have offered to designate the **Sechelt Heritage Forest** as an **Interpretive Forest Recreation Reserve**.

They have also offered assistance in creating the trails and signs within the area.

Mr. Hemphill responded that he was glad to hear our support of the new designation. He told me that Mr. Ferd Hamre will be rescheduling another visit to the site.

Enclosed please find various documents which might prove useful to you in your meeting with the Sechelt District Council.

If there is anything I can do to be of assistance to you regarding the background of this proposal, please call me at 885-3797.

You are, one and all, invited to visit and I would be happy to show you the trail if you have not seen the area lately.

Sincerely,

Gertrude Pacific  
Chair, OCP Subcommittee of Sandy Hook

Enclosures  
cc: Sechelt District Council



280-30  
232-20 (052)  
DEC 14 1993  
COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

Refer to PLANNING

File: 280-30  
232-20 (052)

DEC 14 1993

His Worship Mayor Earl Basse  
District of Sechelt  
P.O. Box 129  
Sechelt, British Columbia  
V0N 3A0

Dear Mayor Basse:

At the Union of British Columbia Municipalities (UBCM) conference in September, former Mayor Machaly's proposal for creation of the Sechelt Heritage Forest was briefly discussed.

I was impressed with the quality of the presentation and felt that follow-up on the status of this issue was necessary.

I understand that subsequent to the UBCM conference on September 29, 1993, Greg Hemphill, District Manager of the Sunshine Coast Forest District, met with former Councillor Peggy Wagner and members of the Sandy Hook Community Association to further discuss your proposal.

The Ministry of Forests would prefer that this parcel remain within the Sechelt provincial forest. In order to support the intent of the heritage forest proposal, the ministry will consider a recreation reserve designation for the area.

I understand that forest district staff have been working with members of the Sandy Hook Community Association to investigate opportunities for creation of an interpretive trail network.

I trust this approach will meet the needs of your community, as well as provide education and recreation opportunities important to the ministry's program.

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Province of  
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Victoria, British Columbia  
V8V 1X4

For further information on the status of this proposal, please contact Greg Hemphill at 485-0700.

Thank you for bringing this proposal to my attention.

Yours truly,

  
Andrew Petter  
Minister

cc: Greg Hemphill, District Manager  
Sunshine Coast Forest District