

 **Pender Harbour and
District Wildlife Society**

November 5th, 2025

To:
Habitat Conservation Trust Foundation
2957 Jutland Rd #102
Victoria, BC
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Re: Support for the Loon Foundation's HCTF Proposal "Loon Habitat Enhancement and Community Stewardship on the Sunshine Coast"

The Pender Harbour Wildlife Society is a local naturalists society based in Pender Harbour and has the pleasure to write this letter of support for the Loon Foundation to investigate loon breeding success on Pender Harbour lakes.

Our society has been promoting wildlife stewardship for over 40 years in Pender Harbour. We are honoured to enjoy loons on our freshwater lakes and we share an aim to encourage respect and protection for loon population and habitat.

We support the Loon Foundation initiative to connect with and educate lake landowners about shoreline nesting habitat. We also believe the installation of loon nesting platforms on our lakes would greatly benefit the local loon population as they do suffer from predation and water level fluctuations yearly.

The Loon Foundation has, by their enormous local effort and commitment, brought awareness to the natural world of this area. They are leaders in the initiatives of educational programs. We welcome all efforts to monitor, assess, raise awareness, and support the loon population on Pender Harbour lakes.

Thank you for considering our letter,

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President
Pender Harbour Wildlife Society