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June 15, 2021

Chair and Directors
Regional District Board

At the May 25, 2021 regular meeting of the Comox Valley Regional District Board we received a presentation from a delegation of Friends of Strathcona Park asking for support for their work around documenting trail head access points to the Strathcona Provincial Park.

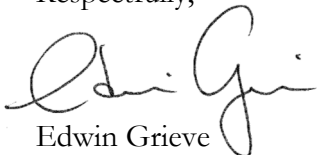
Their earlier request to the Electoral Areas Services Committee for a Rural Community Grant was not supported due to the jurisdictional conflict of Strathcona Park being a provincially funded class "A" Park.

Friends of Strathcona Park is now actively exploring other funding opportunities and will be applying to Island Coastal Economic Trust and other granting agencies.

Based on the above, I respectfully request the board's consideration of the following:

THAT the Comox Valley Regional District board provide a letter of support to the Friends of Strathcona Park for grant funding opportunities.

Respectfully,



Edwin Grieve
Director