

DELEGATION REQUEST

Submitted on Tuesday, January 15, 2019 - 13:16

Names of persons speaking: Helen Boyd and Meghan Leahy

Organization you are representing: Comox Valley Nurses for Health and the Environment and Comox Valley Nurses and Nurse Practitioners of BC

Primary purpose of the organization: Awareness, Action and Advocacy on Issues of Sustainability

Number of members: 85

Mailing address:

1659 Beaufort Avenue
Comox, BC V9M 1R8

Contact name: Helen Boyd

Subject matter:

Banning of single-use plastic bags throughout the Comox Valley will ensure the quality of our natural environment and reduce landfill management costs.

Specific request of the regional district, if any (i.e. letter of support, funding):

To consider a Comox Valley-wide ban on single-use plastic bags at point of sale and possibly other plastic packaging.

Requested meeting date: March 12, 2019

Audio-visual equipment needed: Powerpoint presentation and hand held slide changer please

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING

March 6, 2019

Global Learning Initiative
North Island College
2300 RYAN RD, COURTENAY, BC, V9N 8N6

Dear Council Members of Courtenay, Comox and Cumberland and Area Directors,

The Global Learning Initiative (GLI) of North Island College supports the proposed by-law to ban single use plastic bags at the 'point of sale' throughout the Comox Valley. The GLI is led by Bachelor of Science in Nursing program students in partnership with faculty and local, indigenous, and international community groups. The goal of GLI is to foster awareness about local and global health and environmental issues and participate in the creation of a healthier, happier world. To do this our organization hosts speakers and shares films at the college.

This year GLI has adopted an environmental preservation theme. One of the issues we chose to focus on is reducing use of plastic. To engage the community, we have shown the film 'Bag It'. This film highlights the enormous issue of the overuse of plastic and the impact it has on health and the environment. Helen Boyd, a representative of Comox Valley Nurses for Health and the Environment led a conversation and question and answer session following the film. It is through Helen that GLI came to know about the proposition to create the by-law to ban single use plastics bags at the point of sale in Comox, Courtenay and Cumberland and Regional District Areas.

The ban of single use plastic bags at the point of sale in these communities would be tremendously beneficial for the health of our environment, the oceans, and the human population, as the health of humanity and the health of the earth are inextricably linked. By choosing to take this step toward a positive future, Comox, Courtenay, and Cumberland and Regional Areas will join other progressive villages, cities and nations across the world to counter environmental devastation and pollution.

The GLI is in full support of the creation of a by-law which bans single use plastic bags at point of sale throughout the Valley. Thank you for your time and interest in this matter. If you have any questions please contact GLI using the emails below.

Sincerely,

Kate Moynihan 3rd year NIC BSN Student
Lydia Hardy 3rd year NIC BSN Student
Meghan Leahy 3rd year NIC BSN Student

December 14, 2018

Attention: CVRD Board of Directors & CAO

Comox Valley Regional District
600 Comox Road,
Courtenay BC, V9N 3P6

Via: corporateservices@comoxvalleyrd.ca

Dear Mr. Dyson and Directors,

As we welcome you as our new council, the **Comox Valley Council of Canadians**, enthusiastically lend our collective support to the **Comox Valley Nurses for Health and the Environment & Comox Valley Chapter of Nurses and Nurse Practitioners of BC**, in their appeal to the CVRD to support a ban on single-use plastic bags at the point of sale as part of an effort both to reduce plastic pollution in the Comox Valley and to promote awareness of, and a conversation around, what is now a major international problem.

As you may know, a large body of scientific knowledge informs us of the impact of single-use plastic on our water systems and the environment. Single-use bags are an ecological danger because they degrade into microplastics and further leach into soils, groundwater, and the ocean. Plastics are commonly found in and on Vancouver Island's rivers, lakes and beaches, frequently harming marine wildlife and entering our food webs.

Note additionally, that at the Union of BC Municipalities annual conference in Whistler, 'the single-use plastics resolution was unanimously supported by convention delegates asking the province to work with local governments and retailers to introduce "uniform province-wide business regulations in relation to disposable plastic packaging. Once adopted, this would substantially reduce the volume of disposable plastic packaging in local solid waste streams" (Times Colonist, Sept 13, 2018).

Locally, we applaud Cumberland in taking initial steps in this direction, when council voted to introduce the ban in a phased approach, starting with plastic grocery bags and straws, with enforceable bylaws going into effect July 2019.

We now join the above organizations, along with a broad base of local organizations, businesses, and citizens to call on the CVRD to follow through, support and enact a ban on single use plastics in the broader regional district.

We look forward to your support in enacting the appropriate bylaws to safeguard our environment for generations to come.

Regards,

Comox Valley Council of Canadians

December 31st/2018

Attention: Board Directors of the CVRD

Dear Directors of the CVRD,

The following is a letter of support from the Sustainability Action Group for the Environment (SAGE) for the initiative of the Comox Valley Nurses for Health & Environment and Nurses and Nurse Practitioners of BC who are spearheading a local campaign to **ban the use of single-use plastic bags at point of sale throughout the Comox Valley.**

As an active group in our community which seeks to bring awareness to a variety of Sustainability issues, we had the pleasure of hosting last spring a talk by a Marine Biologist who underscored the growing negative impact of microplastics in our food web. A major step to remediate this pressing problem would be to tackle the source of such plastic pollution and to see a Ban on Single-use Plastic bags as an initial step forward.

We are aware of many communities of Vancouver Island pursuing this same objective. The City of Victoria has been successful in upholding the implementation of this Bylaw despite a challenge in the Supreme Court of BC by the plastic industry. Locally, the Village of Cumberland has taken bold steps in a similar direction with the draft of a preliminary bylaw that outlines a clear path to emulate for a Comox Valley wide ban.

We urge the CVRD Board members to show their commitment to our Environment and to issues of Sustainability that preserve the beauty of our coastlines, the health of citizens and the biodiversity of our oceans by supporting the proposed ban.

Sincerely,

Sustainability Action Group for the Environment

PETITION OF SUPPORT

For a Comox Valley Wide Ban on Single Use Plastic Bags Bylaw

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For these stated reasons, and as a resident of the Comox Valley, I, the undersigned, am in support of a bylaw to ban the use of single use plastic bags at point of sale throughout the Comox Valley.



Name	Address and Postal Code	E-mail
1. Helen Boyd	1659 Beaufort Ave Comox V9M 1R8	
2. Ross Grenville Cochran	1892 Seawing Sands Rd. Comox V9N 3A3	
3. Margaret Cottrell Cochran	" " " "	
4. Verna Ardron	641 Moralee Dr Comox V9M 1A1	
5. Kimber Clenden	265 Glacier View Dr. Comox	
6. ELANE KERR	403 DENMAN ST. COMOX	
7. Bob Craun	1435 10th St East	
8. MARC GARDNER	6540 COUNTRY RD F. BAY	
9. D. DRABET	1503 JUNIPER PL, COMOX	
10. B. CASSACK	2875 ROYAL VISTA WAY, COURTENAY V9N 8R6	
11. B. Oliver	1719 Robb Ave, Comox, BC	
12. C. OLIVER	4017 FRASER RD COURT.	
13. D. Schultfield	537 Walter Rd. Comox	
14. Paul Hegham	296 Gladstone St., Comox V9M 1X	
15. M. BIPES	2194 Noel AVE Comox	
16. J. Van Oostden	1740 Linden Ave, Comox V9M 2L4	
17. CARL CRAVEY	1659 BEAUFORT AVE, COMOX V9M 1R8	
18. James Taylor	1021 Kingsley Cres. Comox	
19. S. M. Seske	737 Lancaster Way Comox	
20. R. GILES	#4, 1600 Balmoral, Comox	

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Name	Address and Postal Code	E-mail
1. Brendo Cuggy	178 Bobik Rd Courtenay Bc V9H 3G6	
2. Jane Sanderson	4645 meadowland Courtenay	
3. Tree Murdoch	2440 Rosewall cres Courtenay	
4. Leah Johns	2123 Plover Court Comox	
5. Maria Harkies	2224 Chestnut Ave Comox V9M 1H6	
6. Kelly Blaguerer	2295 Strathcona Cres Comox V9M 1K4	
7. Derek Valentinio	1090 Fargyhurst Dr Courtenay	
8. Danyka Kozowski	3420 Stoneridge Ave Courtenay V9N 0B3	
9. Jessica Hiebert	791 Timberline Rd V9N 9K9	
10. Karla van der Griendt	2980 Country close CR BC V9W 6Y6	
11. Sheldon Kenyon	470 Cormorant Road V9W 5Z6	
12. Natasha Lee	473 Murray Place Campbell River V9W 6G1	
13. Hilary CHAPMAN	101-130 BACK RD, COURTENAY V9N 3W6	
14. Jennifer Stahley	4066 Bruce Ave Port Alberni V94 3J9	
15. Ariane Jensen	653 Old Petersen Road Campbell River, BC V9W 3N1	
16. Sarah Higgins	103-1355 Cumberland Rd, Courtenay V9N 2G1	
17. Alexandra Timms	3391 Solport St. Cumberland Island V9R 1S0	
18. Nikki Irlam	4-4110 Kendall Ave. Port Alberni V9Y 5J7	
19. Wanisa Sukree	3161 Maitland St. Port Alberni BC V94 3X5	
20. Lynne Oberoi	1882 W. Weyland Rd Comox V9M 4E5	

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Name (Please Print)	Address and Postal Code	E-mail
1. NIC GLAZNER	2946 Sutherland Rd. V9N 3V5	
2. Rebecca Rowe	874 Knight Rd V9M 3T2	
3. Moya Fleming	1315 PHEASANT PL, V94 8M2	
4. HILARY CHAPMAN	101-130 BACK RD, COURTENAY, VAN BWA	
5. Kira Marshall	3644 Vermont Pl. /CR. V9H1V3	
6. Janine Branchi	1048 5th Street/Court. V9N 1L4	
7. Antonia Tharandt	Hessestrasse 8, 90443 Nuernberg, Germany	
8. STEPHANIE JOY JUBAS	1575 A 1st. STREET, COURTENAY, VAN 1B4	
9. Anna Branchi	677 Tem Pl Campbell River Bc	
10. Logan O'Brien	714 11th Street ^{Courtenay} V9N1T2	
11. Molly Varrow	714 11th Street ^{Courtenay} V9N1T2	
12. Jenn Morgan	1461 Thimbleberry Cres. V8R 2K0	
13. Haley Isles	4104 Gartley Point Rd ^{van 9T2} ^{Courtenay}	
14. Mady Demers	2456 Dakota Pl Comox V9N2B9	
15. Richard Anderson	5975 CATHEDRAL crescent NANAIMO ^{V9P 6B1}	
16. Heidi Deagle	604 Pritchard Rd. Comox BC V	
17. Michelle Schaefer	1832 Queens Ave Comox	
18. Alana Marchant	370 B Foposky Ave Comox	
19. Dave Kasser	618 Aspen Rd Comox.	
20. CATHIE TALBOT	392 CURTIS RD, Comox	
21. Peter Jackson	476 Curtis Rd Comox	
22. Joanne Paulson	" " " "	
23. Nicole Minich	385 Sable Plac, Comox V9M 2E2	
24. JANET FAIRBANKS	6929 RAILWAY AVE, CTNT V9T 1N4	
25. Steve Farber/Amide	265 Glacien View Comox V9M1G6	

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1. Jan Meiers	210-2767 Muir Rd	
2. Sarah Vallintire	24408 First St	
3. Fwma Curry	5937 Aldergrove Dr. Covit	
4. Marielle Tattman	203-41692 Alderwood Pl. ^{V9N} 9A1	
5. Jessica Blundell	6520 Rennie Rd	
6. Brooke McWilliams	2952 B Wpton Rd, Cowikey ^{V9N} 3V3	
7. Kerla Bleain	2266 5th St. East ^{V9N} 8Y2	
8. Keshia Henry	2803 Percy Avenue ^{V9N} 6X9	
9. Mary Pat Wiley	#24-1755 Willem Ave	
10. Risa Branchi	1048 1048 5th Ave ^{V9N} 1L4	
11. Sarah Higgins	103-1555 Cumberland Rd, Courtenay ^{V9N} 2A1	
12. Sarah Switzer	103/4705 Alderwood Pl.	
13. TIA SCHEFFER	884 Salisbury Rd. ^{V9N} 9M3	
14. JOEY LORANGER	105A 178 BACA RD ^{V9N} 3W6	
15. ALYSSA LEFORT	503 BUTCHERS RD ^{V9M} 4A3	
16. Josh Duncan	4254 Miramar Road ^{V9N} 9N1	
17. Alex Bissinger	1999 Robb Ave Comox BC ^{V9M} 2E3	
18. Barb Hardy	7779 Is. Hwy Blackcreek ^{V9J} 1G8	
19. Holly Hardy	7779 Is. Hwy Blackcreek ^{V9J} 1G8	
20. Kate Moynihan	3311 Welch rd. Qualicum	
21. Eve Bandrew	6590 COUNTRY ROAD ^{V9R} 1M0	
22. WENDY PROTHERO	1945 beaufort Ave. Comox ^{V9M} 1S4	
23. Kevin Travland	Box 342 Merville BC ^{V9R} 2M0	
24. Henning Larsen	3928 RONALD AVE, Poyston ^{BC} V	
25. Tony & Margaret Powsey	2849 Penrith Ave Cumberland ^{BC} R 1S8	

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1. Jesslyn Bradbury	1051/101 cros. Parksville BC V9P 1H1	
2. Julie Kitchener	1920A Noort Place Courtenay V9N 8Y5 BC	
3. Jamie Spencer	7452 Cougar Smith Rd. Courtenay BC V9K 1W0	
4. Jenna Everson	2209 Strattoncomox Cres, Comox, V9M 1K7	
5. Madisen Forbes	4405 9th ave Port Alberni V94 4U4	
6. Tenyn Bates	2170 Sussex Drive V9N 0E3	
7. Mary Parker	3949 Livingstone Road. Royston. V9B 2A0	
8. Carlee Marshall	4837 Gordon rd. Campbell River V9H 1V8	
9. Eric Gill	2167 Cardinal Place, Comox, 395362	
10. B. Hong Mawitt	4414 9th Ave Port Alberni BC V94 4U5	
11. Leslie Wyrne	2701 Perrin ave Courtenay	
12. Natasha Farrant	1320 Creekside Way, CR. V9W 8A9	
13. Lenya Hendriks	1603 B Burgess Rd. Courtenay	
14. Kelsay Byers	2615 Mabley Rd Courtenay BC	
15. Sarah Rayan	2703 Shetland Rd	
16. Dana H. Tennant	1693 Mahtnof Place	
17. Melissa Aydon	514 Wac Place CR BC V9W 7K6	
18. Emma Hill	2891 Ruskina Rd, Cumberland V9K 1S0	
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1. Loney Richards	Box 23 Union Bay BC V0R3B	
2. Michelle Woble	2713 Kendal Ave Cumberland V0R1S0	
3. Carla Wagner	2560 5 th Ave Port Alberni	
4. Zoë Bourke	755 Hobson Ave Courtenay VANBCA	
5. Sarah Meeney	V9W2T6 CR	
6. Kim Walker	PO box 911 279 ^a derwent ave Cumberland V0R1S0	
7. Cannelle Gibbons	1400 Kyle bay rd	
8. Madison Hemingway	2025 Partridge Place, Courtenay BC V9W0M4	
9. Laura Pritch	1521 Tull Ave Courtenay BC	
10. Maria Eimerson	501 Southwind Rd Comox V9M3T9	
11. CARA ROULSTON	1411 FISHER ROAD CORRIE HILL BC, V0R1L2	
12. Meghan Leahy	389 Denman St. Comox BC. V9M 3A7	
13. Jaymel Petersen	2781 Maryport Ave Cumberland BC V0R1S0	
14. Katrina Gerard	884 Sand Pines Crescent	
15. JENA MADRAS	1731 DALLS PL Q13	
16. Lynne Park	10-717 Aspen Rd Comox V9M 3X4	
17. Sherri Bentsen	512 Lilac Place CR V9W 7G6	
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2. Genoa Horsthuus	8408 North Isl. Hwy Black Creek V9J 1H8	
3. Carley Bobb	303-525 S Dogwood, Campbell	
4. Carrie Gage	351 Thulin St, Campbell River	
5. Sabrina Bosch	2604 B Kendall Ave Cumberland	
6. Kyra Olsen	4083 Chancellor cres. V9N 0B3	
7. Sandra Hervieux	507 Deerwood Place Comox, V9M 4G3	
8. DRUE WEUER	4220 ENRUSTED CAMPBELL RIVER	
9. Mike Woywike	5823 Briel St, Duncan BC V9L 3E7	
10. Rupert Love	506 Thalia St, Campbell River V9W 2	
11. Elizabeth Finch	651 Colwyn St, Campbell River V9N 7	
12. Katie Gabsary	1155 16 th St, Courtenay, V9N 1Y1	
13. Natalie Stevens	2807 Denman St Campbell River V9L 1S9	
14. Andrea Schmidt	1945 Galemo Rd Campbell River V9L 1K8	
15. Rebecca Nam	omit 37606 South Island Hwy V9W 1B7	
16. Deva Braaten	6 th Orchard park drive Comox BC V9M 2S4	
17. Vanessa Lamb Knox	736 Onbi Drive, Campbell River BC, V9W 8E8	
18. John A. Hutchins	570 Rockland Rd, Campbell River BC, V9W 6E8	
19. Karli Buchanan	755 Hobson Ave, Courtenay BC, V9N 8C2	
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1. <i>Wiz McKay</i>	<i>2700 7th AVE Port Alberni, BC V9921</i>	
2. <i>Monica Swans</i>	<i>6332 Tower Rd. Courtenay BC V9T 1V5</i>	
3. <i>Tamara Robertson</i>	<i>1505 Juniper Dr, CP BC V9M 7H2</i>	
4. <i>Jennifer Haffner</i>	<i>2760 12th Ave. Port Alberni V9929</i>	
5. <i>Shaylene Mcrae</i>	<i>3531 32nd Ave Port Alberni, V9Y 7</i>	
6. <i>Kyle Scott</i>	<i>3617 Dove Cr Rd Courtenay</i>	
7. <i>Emma Paul</i>	<i>2808 Nim Nim Pl Courtenay, BC V9N 8S5</i>	
8. <i>Sam DesRoches</i>	<i>14-717 Aspen Rd Comox BC V9M</i>	
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8. Kathy Tennant		
9. Jessica Nixon	6126 Island Hwy Courtenay V9J 1T5	
10. Allisa Benastek	E-426 Anderson Ave Courtenay V9N 2G7	
11. Benedict Leonard	7636 Bell Rd Port Alberni V9Y 9E6	
12. PATRICIA FOSTER	1050 9 th ST COURTENAY V9N 1C0	
13. Jade Jensen	2024 Black Creek Rd VOR 1C0	
14. Trish Sorvidio	3773 Dohm Road Black Creek	
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2. Frank Price	24 Zerkla pl. Comox BC	
3. Rhonda Scrivin	1900 ST. ANDREWS PL. CRTY	
4. Karina Thygesen	3617 Dove Creek Rd Courtenay V9J1P3	
5. Joel Thygesen	3617 Dove Creek Rd Courtenay V9J1P3	
6. Trevor Fox	3-1275 Guthrie Rd Cour V9H4E6	
7. Heather McLean	2055 East Rd, Denman Isl V9R1T0	
8. Margaret Carl	4746 Kilmarowick V9N0S4	
9. NINA HAAGE	801-2202 LAMBERT DR, V9N1Z8	
10. Arlene Bell	8-1720 Guthrie Rd V9M4K6	
11. Celia Lalal	156A Malcolm Courtenay V9N2X8	
12. Ruby Vic	156A Malcolm pl, Courtenay V9N2X8	
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3. Sam Desroches	717 Aspen Rd V9M 3X4	
4. Monica Swanson		
5. Mercedes Richardson	2515 Anderson Ave Port Alberni	
6. Nicole Hofer	Unit B 8884 Kendal Aile Cumberland	
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