

Baynes Sound Initiative

Updates for ESAC on Aquaculture

Zoning and Debris

March 5, 2018

February, 28 2017 Board Motions

“ THAT the board formally request to the Ministry of Forests Lands and Natural Resource Operations and the Department of Fisheries and Oceans that harmonized application forms better clarify how proposed industry comply with local government zoning, in light of the review of that form now underway;

AND FURTHER THAT a progress report be provided to the electoral area services committee from the aquaculture management advisory committee on their work to examine under used tenures and debris.”

Pacific Shellfish Aquaculture Application

PART II – INFORMATION FOR THE BC MINISTRY OF FORESTS, LANDS, NATURAL RESOURCE OPERATIONS AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT

The following information, along with Part I and Part V is required for the review of the Provincial Crown Land Tenure application pursuant to the BC Land Act.

PART II - SECTION A: SITING CONSIDERATIONS ?

Applicants must respond to each consideration and may be required to provide additional information in some situations.

1. Does your proposal infringe on the riparian rights of an upland owner?	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
<i>Letter of upland owner consent enclosed:</i>	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> N/A
2. Is the intended use consistent with approved local government bylaws for land use planning and zoning?	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
Provide the name of the local government(s) for the area under application:	
Describe any applicable bylaws or zoning for the proposed area:	
If No , have you contacted the local government?	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
<i>Summary of interactions with local government attached:</i>	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> N/A

BC Shellfish Aquaculture Debris Strategy and Action Plan (DFO)

- Uncontained equipment leading to beach debris
- 50% of site inspections showed uncontained gear
- Determining ownership, no ticketing provisions
- Overlapping jurisdictions (FLRO, DFO, Environment & Climate Change Canada, Transport Canada)
- Response was 2012 Protocol
- **AMD Aquaculture Management Division – Compliance**
- C&P Compliance and Protection - Investigations

AMD Aquaculture Management Division – Compliance

Pillar 1

- Education, Engagement Partnership and Shared Stewardship

Pillar 2

- Compliance Inspection Monitoring, Control and Surveillance

DFO Debris Strategy Action Plan

- Technical working groups to develop initiatives
- Debris Inventory and Compliance Monitoring
- Tenure Closure Guidelines to decommission tenure for debris issues prior to transfer
- Turn it in Week, Beach Clean ups, Events,
- Styrofoam Alternatives