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FW: Addressing the Board - Submission

Sent: Friday, February 15, 2019 10:49 AM To: Legserv <Legserv@crd.bc.ca> Subject: Addressing the Board - Submission

Your name:: Aaren Topley

I represent:: Victoria Urban Food Table

Municipality/Electoral Area in which you reside:: Victoria

I wish to address:: Planning and Protective Services Committee

Meeting Date:: Wednesday, Feburary 20th

Agenda Item::

Farmland Trust

My reason(s) for appearing (is/are) and the substance of my presentation is as follows::

I am the Co-Chair of the Victoria Urban Food Table. The Victoria Urban Food Table is a food policy council to the City of Vic. It has and continues to help the City to build its strategic direction and guiding documents (i.e. Official Community Plan, Parks Master Plan, etc.) that support healthy, ecological and sustainable food systems. The Victoria Urban Food Table achieves its purpose with the City by bringing together organizations, groups, and individuals.

A Farmland Trust supports both rural and urban food access and growing. As more people are moving to city centres like the City of Victoria it is essential for us to preserve farmland in our surrounding communities and within the City of Victoria itself.

I will have a PowerPoint or video presentation and will submit it at least 24 hours in advance of the meeting.:

No

The meeting and my presentation will be webstreamed live via the CRD website and recorded.: I understand.