

March 15th, 2024

Dear Gambier Islanders,

Thank you for your continued interest and engagement in the GICA REDIP project. This communication is to let Islanders know about an upcoming Islands Trust presentation which addresses some of the key concerns identified by all Gambier communities in the REDIP survey.

Tuesday March 26th, 2024, from 7:00-8:30pm over zoom, the Islands Trust are hosting **Living with Fire: a panel discussion for those living in the Salish Sea**. Fire was ranked as the highest priority issue island-wide in the Gambier Communities Survey conducted last summer, and emergency services were not far behind. This panel discussion is, therefore, an opportunity to engage with communities on other islands who are also concerned with these important issues. **Register to attend at this link:**
https://islandstrust.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_HW8j8gSTMqRsTStxnKO7Q#/registration.

If you are not on the Islands Trust email list and would like to be added to receive future notifications, you can subscribe here: <https://islandstrust.bc.ca/subscribe/>.

We will continue to update you on the status of the GICA REDIP project and will be engaging with you again. If you have any questions regarding the project, please contact **gambierredip@gmail.com**.

Best regards,

The Gambier Island Community Association Board,

The GICA REDIP Oversight Committee (Carmela Allevato, Elizabeth Carriere, Elaine Davies, Todd Elyzen, Zeno Farinelli, Torsten Kehler, Sophia Khan, Jeanne Mikita, Carol Petroski, Emily Pickett, Rod Robertson and Deb Wainwright) and

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