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Debra Oakman
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Dear Ms. Oakman:

**Re: Rainwater Management & Water Sustainability
Inter-Regional Education Initiative**

At the Regional District of Nanaimo Regular Board Meeting on March 27, 2012, the RDN Board resolved:

1. That the Rainwater Management & Watershed Sustainability Inter-Regional Education Initiative, as proposed by the Partnership for Water Sustainability in British Columbia, be endorsed;
2. That a letter of support be provided for an application by the Comox Valley Regional District for a Gas Tax Fund Capacity-Building Grant to fund the Inter-Regional Educational Initiative;
3. That the RDN Board continue to support staff participation in CAVI (Convening for Action on Vancouver Island) activities associated with water sustainability.

Accordingly, please accept this letter as Regional District of Nanaimo support for an application by the Comox Valley Regional District for a Gas Tax Fund Capacity-Building Grant to fund the Inter-Regional Educational Initiative.

Thank you for the Comox Valley Regional District's leadership in moving this initiative forward.

Yours truly,

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