

District of Saanich Agriculture & Food Security Planning Project

Key Definitions:

Agriculture

Sustainable agriculture enhances environmental quality and the resource base on which it depends; provides for basic human food and fiber needs; is economically viable; and enhances the quality of life for farmers and society as a whole over the long term.

Food Security

Food security exists when all people at all times have access to sufficient, safe, nutritious food to maintain a healthy and active life.

(This definition of food security has been set forth by the World Health Organization).

