



e-Bulletin #26 – Resilient Saanich Updates

Hello,

We have a few [Resilient Saanich](#) updates to share.

Report to Council March 2023

A [Draft State of Biodiversity report](#) was received and discussed by Saanich Council on March 13, 2023. Council accepted the report for information and look forward to receiving a final draft Biodiversity Conservation Strategy, an Environmental Policy Framework, and enhanced Stewardship opportunities before the end of 2023.

In 2023, there will be many opportunities for public engagement in the upcoming phases of the Resilient Saanich deliverables or tasks:

- Joint Biodiversity Conservation Strategy – Urban Forest Strategy public open houses will be held on April 18, from 5:00pm – 7:30 p.m. at the Cedar Hill Golf Course clubhouse or on online on April 19, from 6:30pm to 8:00pm.
- A public questionnaire will be developed by Diamond Head Consulting and Mustel Group market research company for both the Biodiversity Conservation Strategy and the Urban Forest Strategy. The questionnaire will be posted on the District of Saanich website in early April with links to both strategies.

We look forward to hearing from the public on the next steps of this initiative very soon and throughout 2023.

Thank you,

Resilient Saanich Team

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