

Date: 2019-12-06

Date of Meeting: 2019-12-17

To: Salt Spring Island Local Trust Committee

From: Salt Spring Watershed Protection Alliance

Re: Monthly Report of Salt Spring Island Watershed Protection Alliance

CRD = Capital Regional District SSIWPA = Salt Spring Island Watershed Protection Alliance Steering Committee TWG = Technical Working Group

REPORT:

There have not been any SSIWPA Steering Committee meetings since the previous report to Local Trust Committee (2019-11-26). The six areas of coordination actions are still underway, as reported 2019-11-26, with these notable milestones:

The SSIWPA Rainwater Subcommittee:

- consists of steering committee and working group members appointed by SSIWPA Steering Committee;
- has met 3 times (to date December 5, 2019);
- has begun review of existing rainwater harvesting and use educational materials in order to adapt for a local educational campaign on Salt Spring Island (and the Southern Gulf Islands);
 and it
- completed these final drafts to submit to SSIWPA in the upcoming Steering Committee meeting:
 - **Rainwater Use Educational Campaign Scope of** Work for two phases November 2019 March 31, 2020 and also April 1, 2020 through March 31, 2021.
 - The first of 2 proposed Non-Potable Rainwater Harvesting educational publications for widespread digital and print publicity as well as event-based education (brochure).

SSI Targeted Groundwater Well Monitoring Pilot project wrap up:

- A Project extension was granted by Real Estate Foundation of British Columbia and the new project report and financial report deadline is March 31, 2020.