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**The Land We Would Like To Be:  
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planning strategies as part of joint  
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around the  
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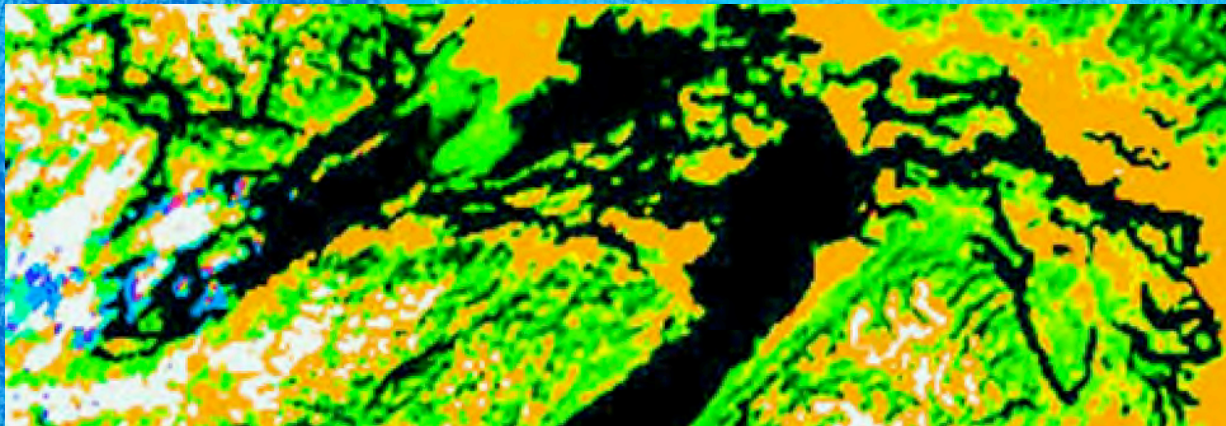
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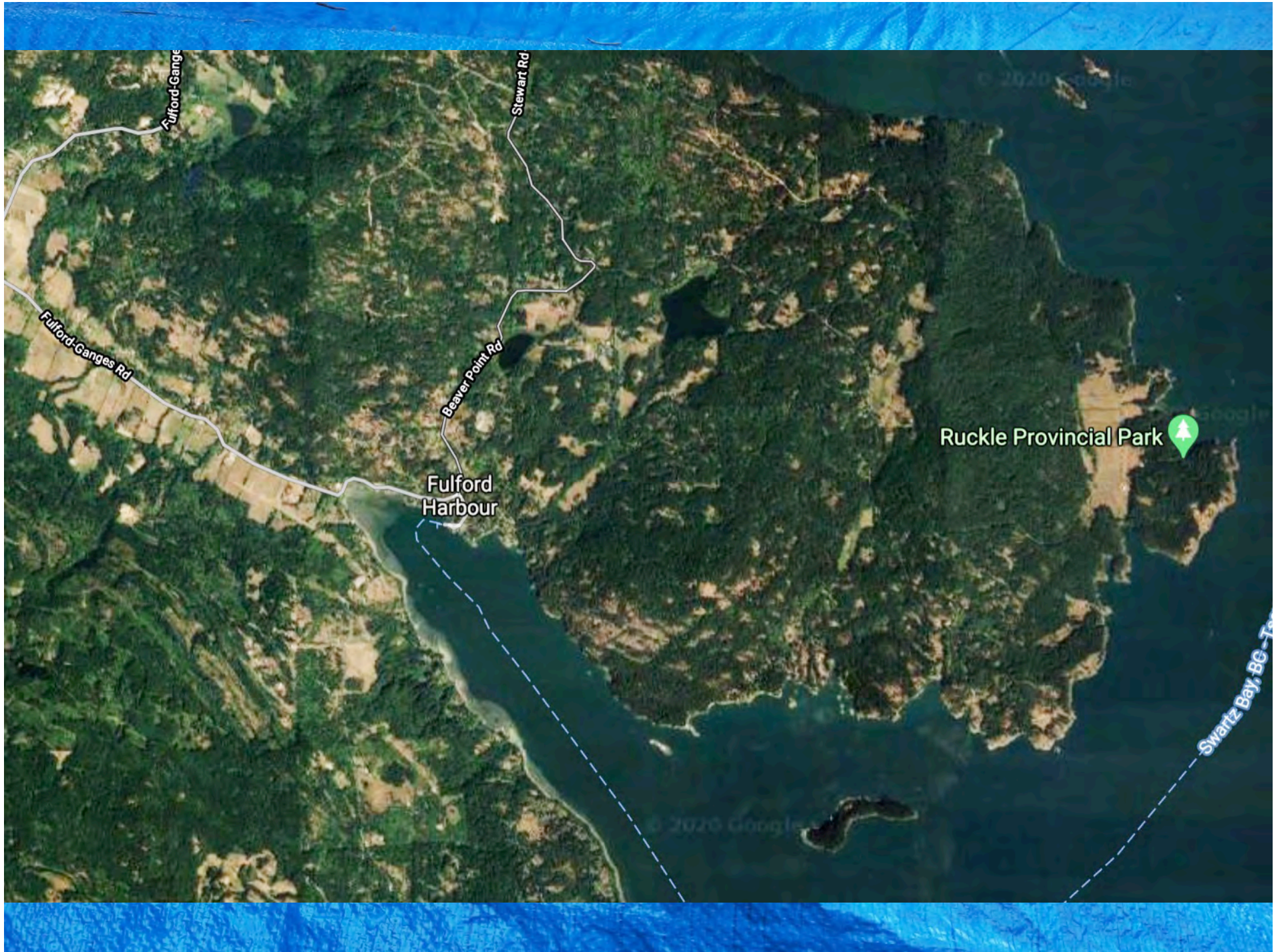
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# territorial acknowledgement







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The scores of indigenous communities with territories on the Canadian side of these islands, in the central part of the Salish Sea, involve two confederations, the **Hul'qumi'num Treaty Group** and the **WSÁNEĆ Leadership Council**, with the following First Nation governments historically and currently active in stewarding, harvesting, and inhabiting their lands and seas on the southern Gulf Islands: **Cowichan Tribes; Halalt; Lyackson; Malahat; Pauquachin; Penelakut; Semiahmoo; Snuneymuxw; Stz'uminus; Tsartlip; Tsawwassen; Tsawout; Tseycum; and Ts'uubaa-asatx.**

With only some 1852 treaties for Saanich on Vancouver Island, and a single treaty mentioning these islands forged with the Tsawwassen First Nation centred on the mainland 2009, much of the southern Gulf Islands has not been ceded to the governments of British Columbia and Canada – and much of the neighbouring islands in the USA have been ceded by the WSÁNEĆ.

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# **1. Introduction:**

**Combining environmental &  
community planning on an  
exurban margin during  
multiple crises (including the  
COVID pandemic)**

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**Problem Statement:**

**Land use planning &**

**biodiversity conservation**

**with First Nations in a time**

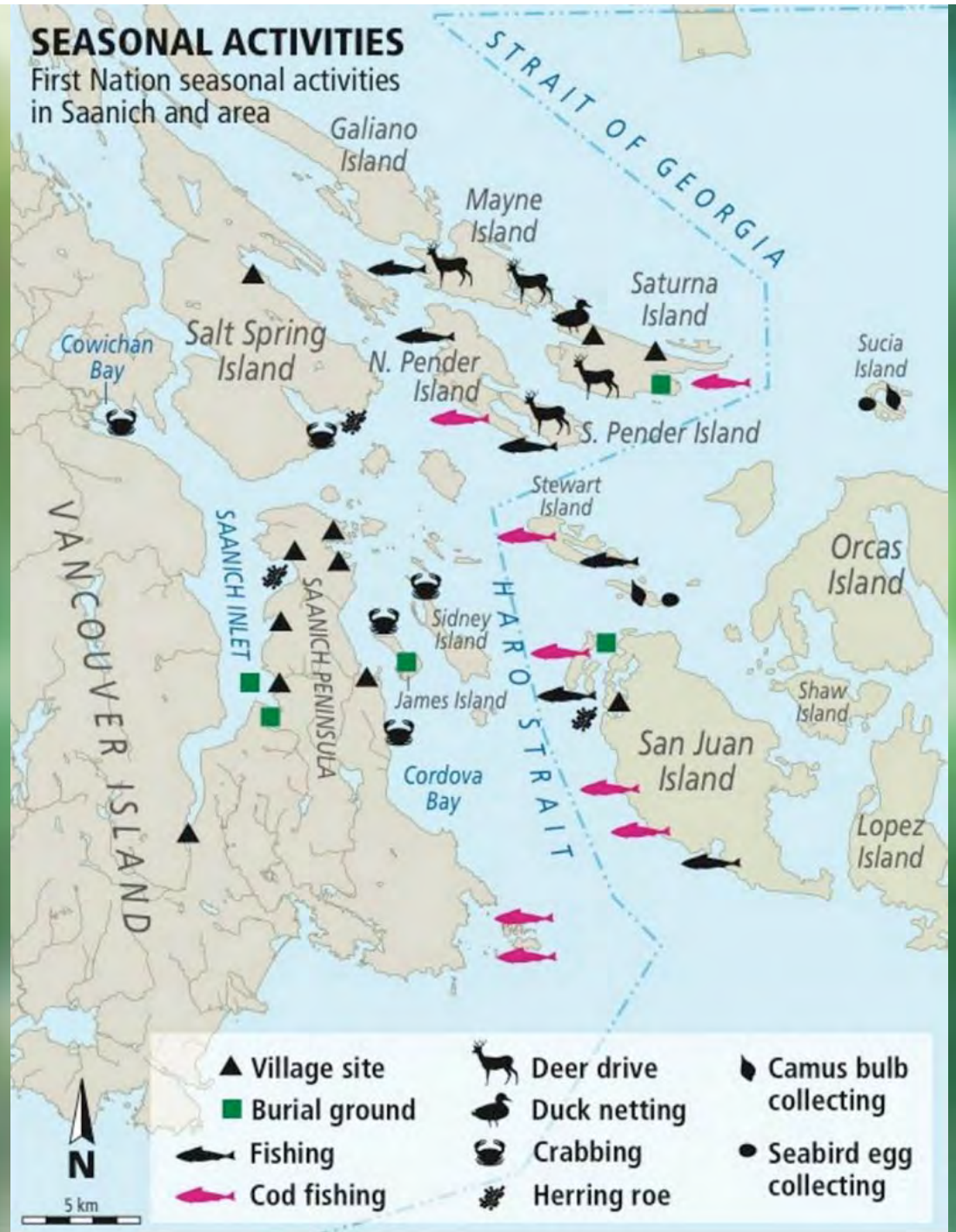
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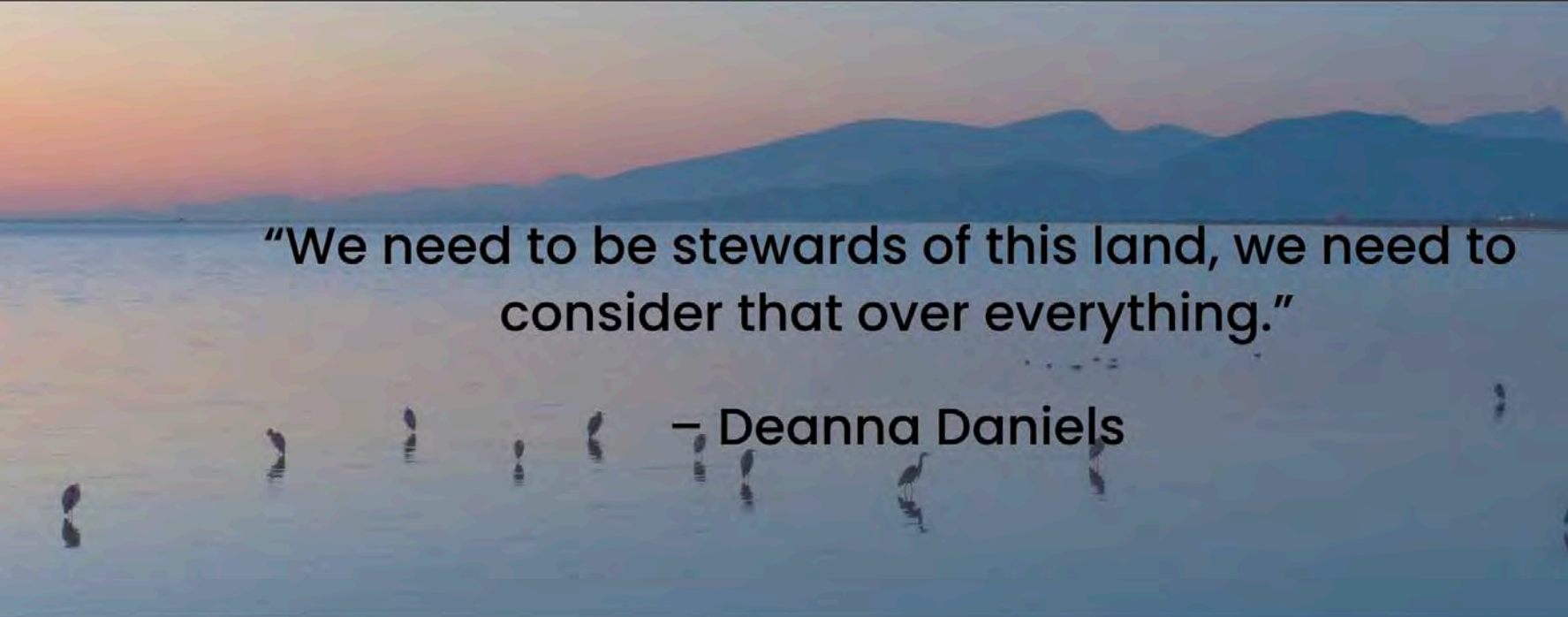


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WSÁNEĆ chief David Latess, middle, with Tommy Paul and Chief Edward Jim, circa 1923

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“We need to be stewards of this land, we need to consider that over everything.”

– Deanna Daniels

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— *This week on* —  
***ROAD TO RECOVERY***



**Rebecca  
David**

**Chief,  
Pauquachin  
First Nation**



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# **Some relevant terms for the USA & Canada**

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**biological diversity = biodiversity = at least three levels:**

- ecosystems and communities (including cultural sites & landscapes);
- species; and
- genetic (sub-species, genotypes, diverse populations);

**loss of local biological diversity:**

- impact / cumulative impact / cause-effect linkage;
- loss of population size;
- loss of population fitness (and genetic diversity);
- extirpation / extinction; and
- critical habitat

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### **protected areas:**

- networks of protected areas (cores & buffers);
- international networks (biosphere reserves, NEON);
- national parks; state / provincial parks; ecological reserves and private/NGO nature reserves;
- tribal parks and joint management areas;
- habitat stewardship covenants on private land;
- county / regional district parks & recreation areas;
- displacement / protected areas refugees;
- traditional / treaty rights (over protected areas);
- enabling legislation (international treaties, federal, state / provincial, county / regional district, British Columbia Municipal Act); and
- budgets: protection / monitoring / complaints / enforcement;

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### **law and land use:**

- legislation with jurisdictions: public / private for county, municipality, (Islands Trust), regional district, state / provincial, national, international;
- international treaties (numerous with the USA) + United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous
- historic & modern treaties with indigenous governments
- bylaw and “nonconforming use;”
- species at risk = endangered species;
- critical habitat as a ‘listed’ / ‘gazetted’ territory;

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**law and land use continued:**

- Indian Act / Indian Reserve / ‘status’ Indians / non-status Indians;
- ‘bands’ versus First Nations
- land claim & treaty negotiations;
- consultative frameworks (linked to treaties or lack of treaties);
- environmental assessment (BC and Canada); and
- regional initiative including ecosystem recovery strategy / teams.

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**The southern Gulf Islands  
north of the U.S. San Juans:  
Political ecologies & political  
economies**

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George Vancouver's  
1798 map of the Gulf and  
San Juan Islands



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John C. Frémont, from  
“Map of Oregon and  
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**Border lands & seas:  
The Islands Trust of the  
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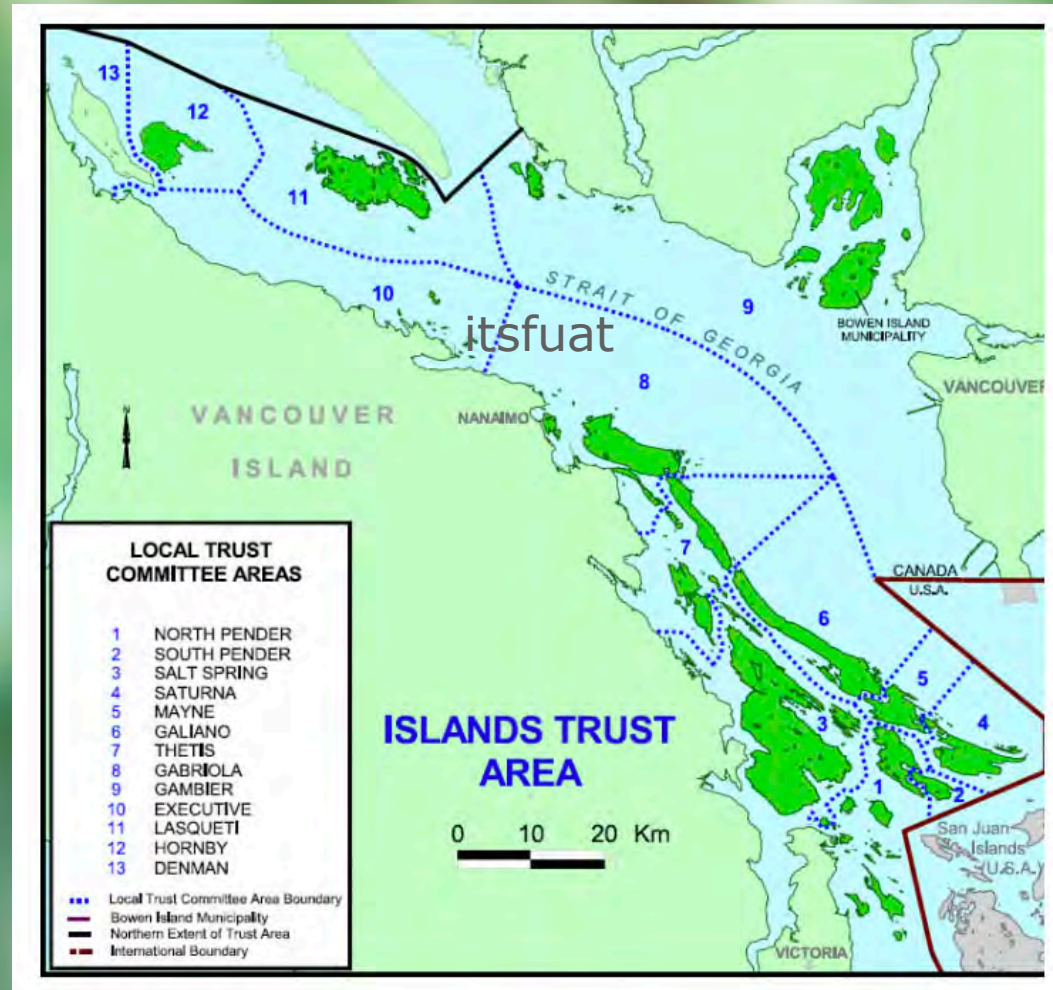
## The Islands Trust Object

“The object of the Trust is to preserve and protect the trust area and its unique amenities and environment for the benefit of the residents of the trust area and of British Columbia generally, in cooperation with municipalities, regional districts, improvement districts, other persons and organizations and the government of British Columbia.”

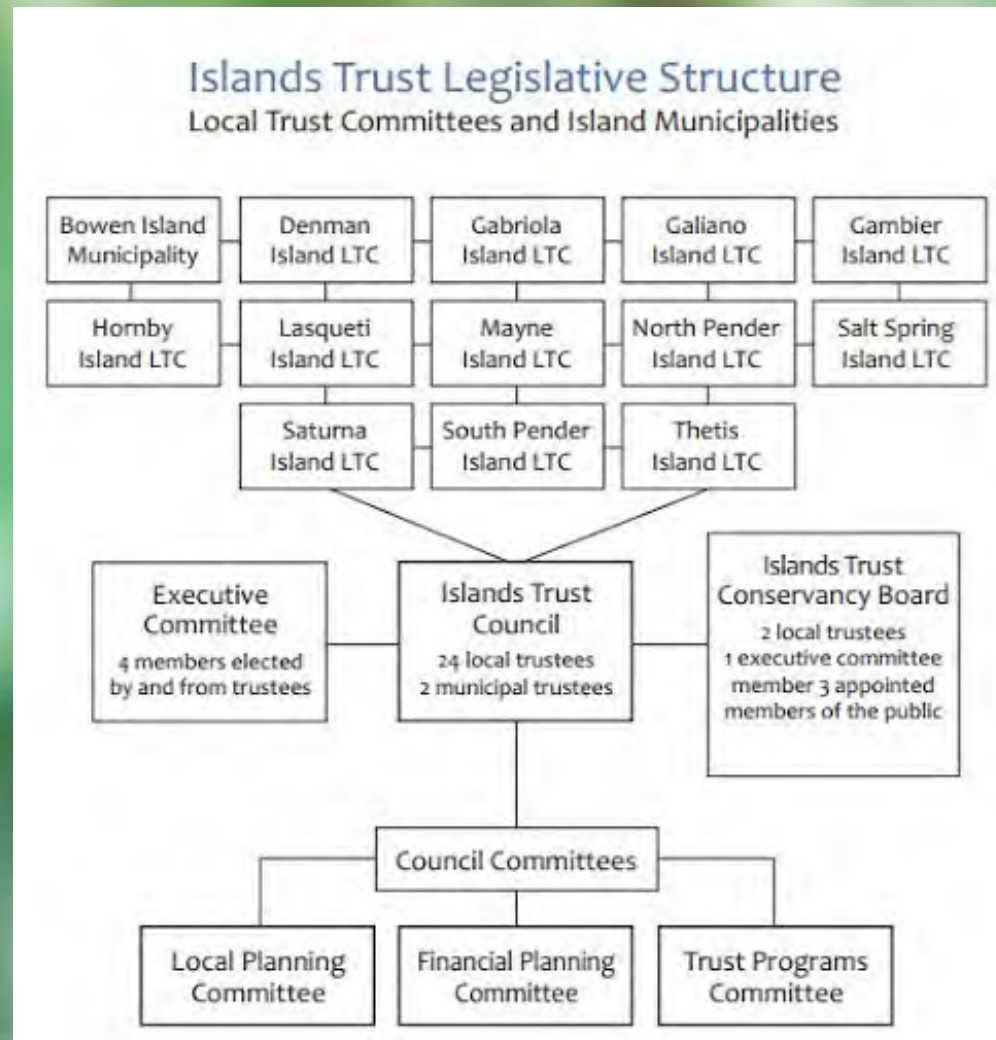
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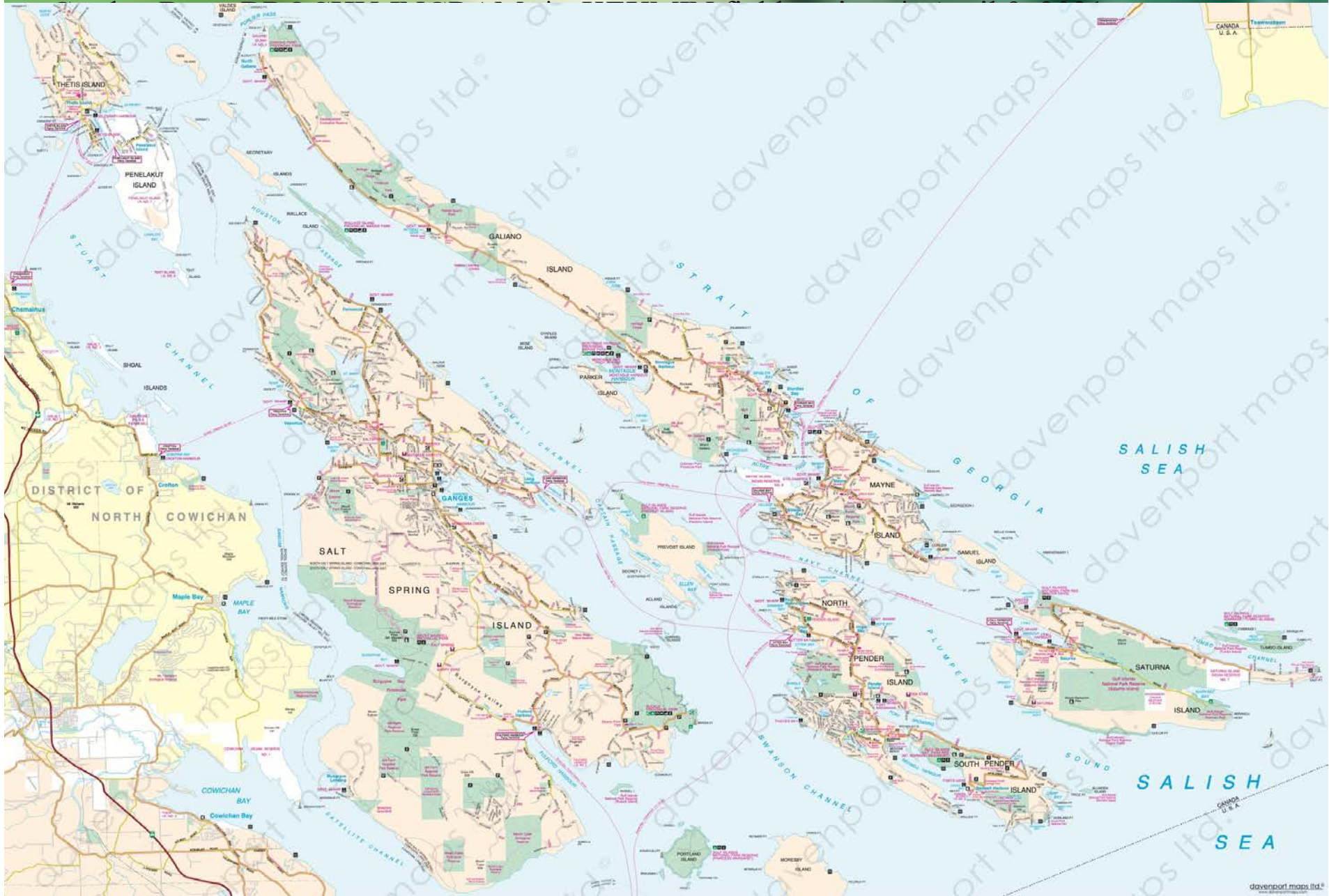
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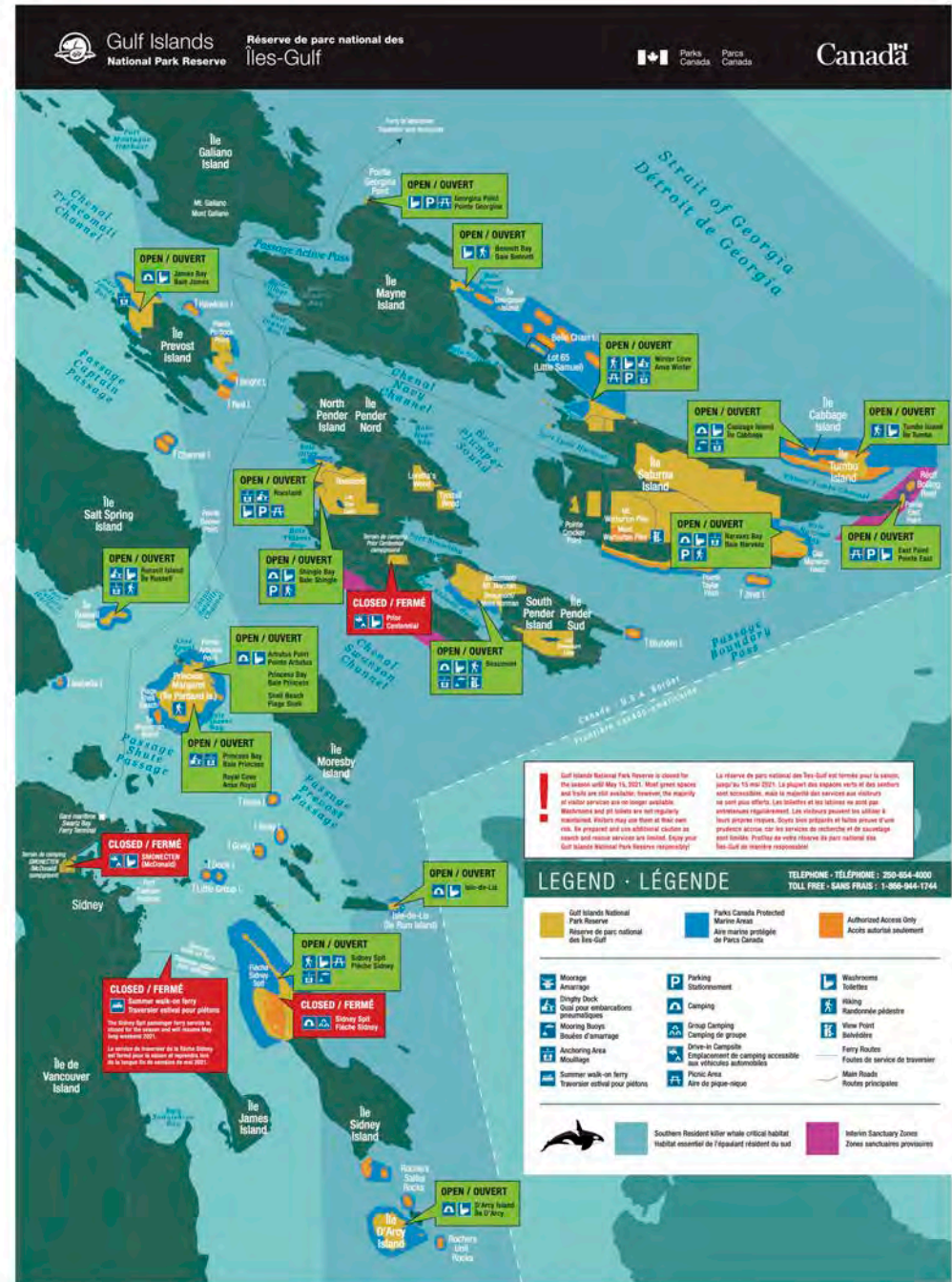




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**New perspectives in  
biodiversity conservation:  
Indigenous science &  
queerer ecologies  
(in the Anthropocene)**



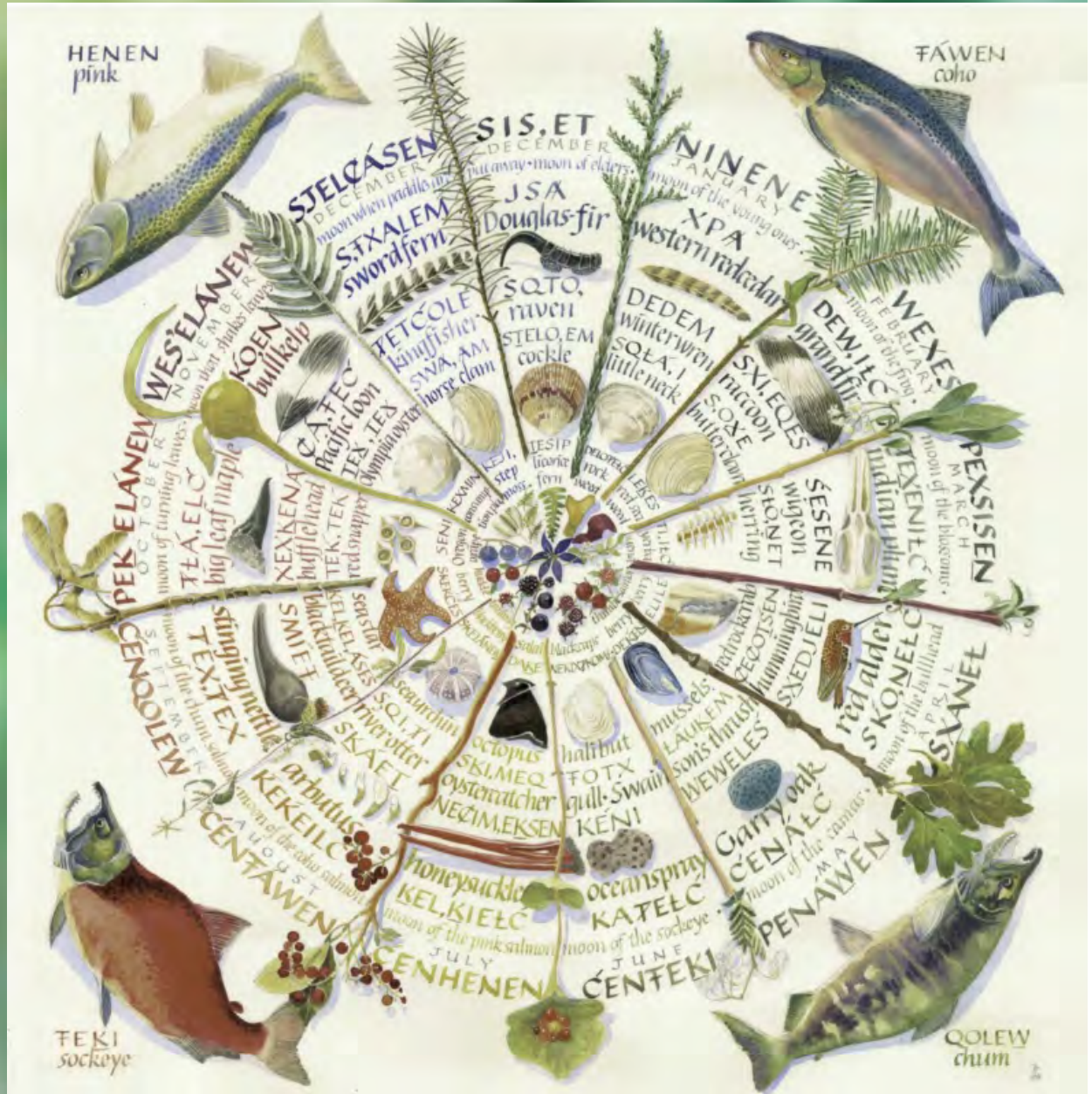
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featuring Victoria Sin

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Saturna Ecological Education Centre students at one of their data collection points for a pilot project monitoring two Rockfish Conservation Areas for illegal fishing.

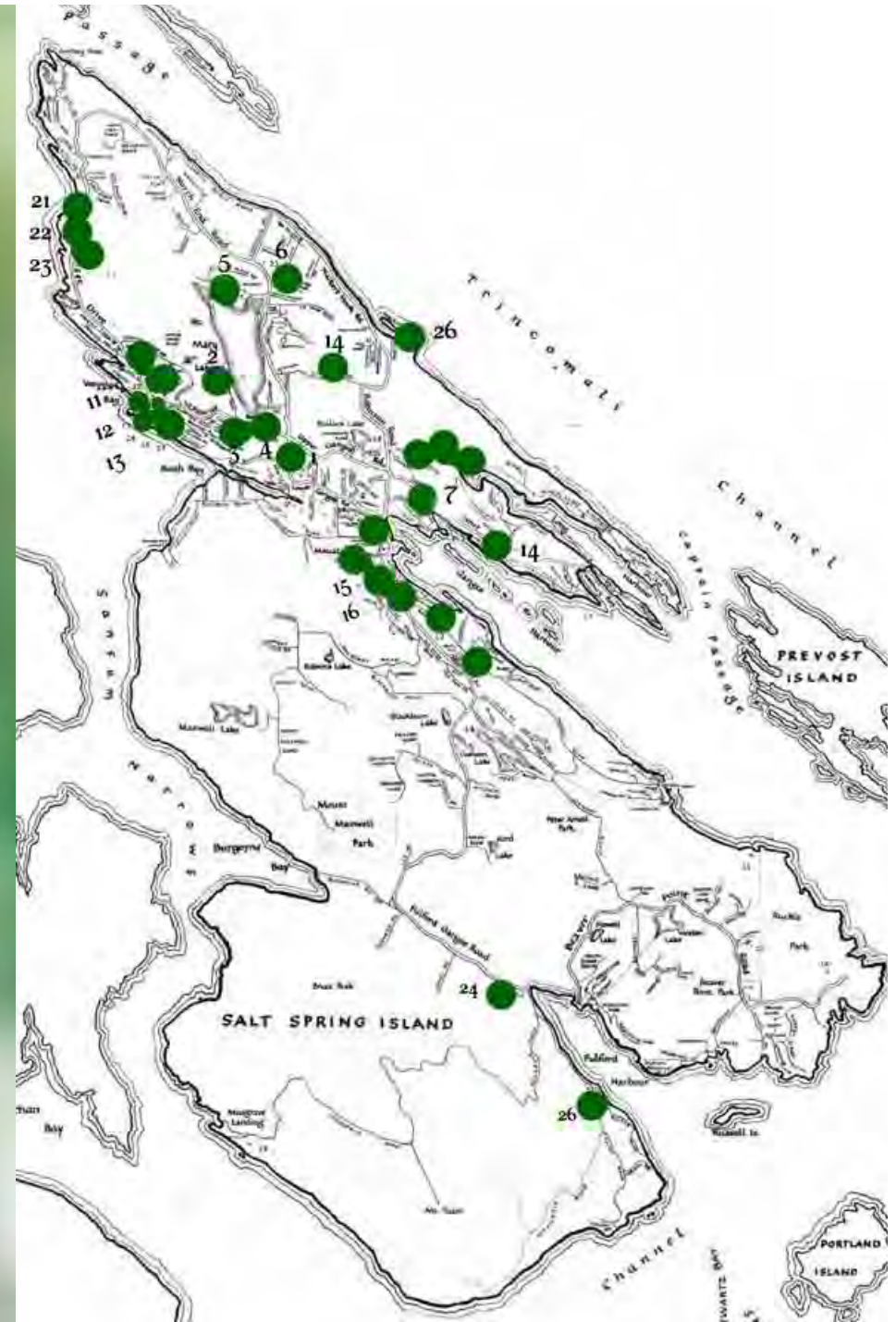
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# **Decolonization & repair as multiple regional and local processes**

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Clusters of homesteads  
granted in the 1850s  
and 1860s awarded to  
African Americans  
who had become  
British subjects



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RED INDIANS WHO HAVE COME TO SEE THE KING

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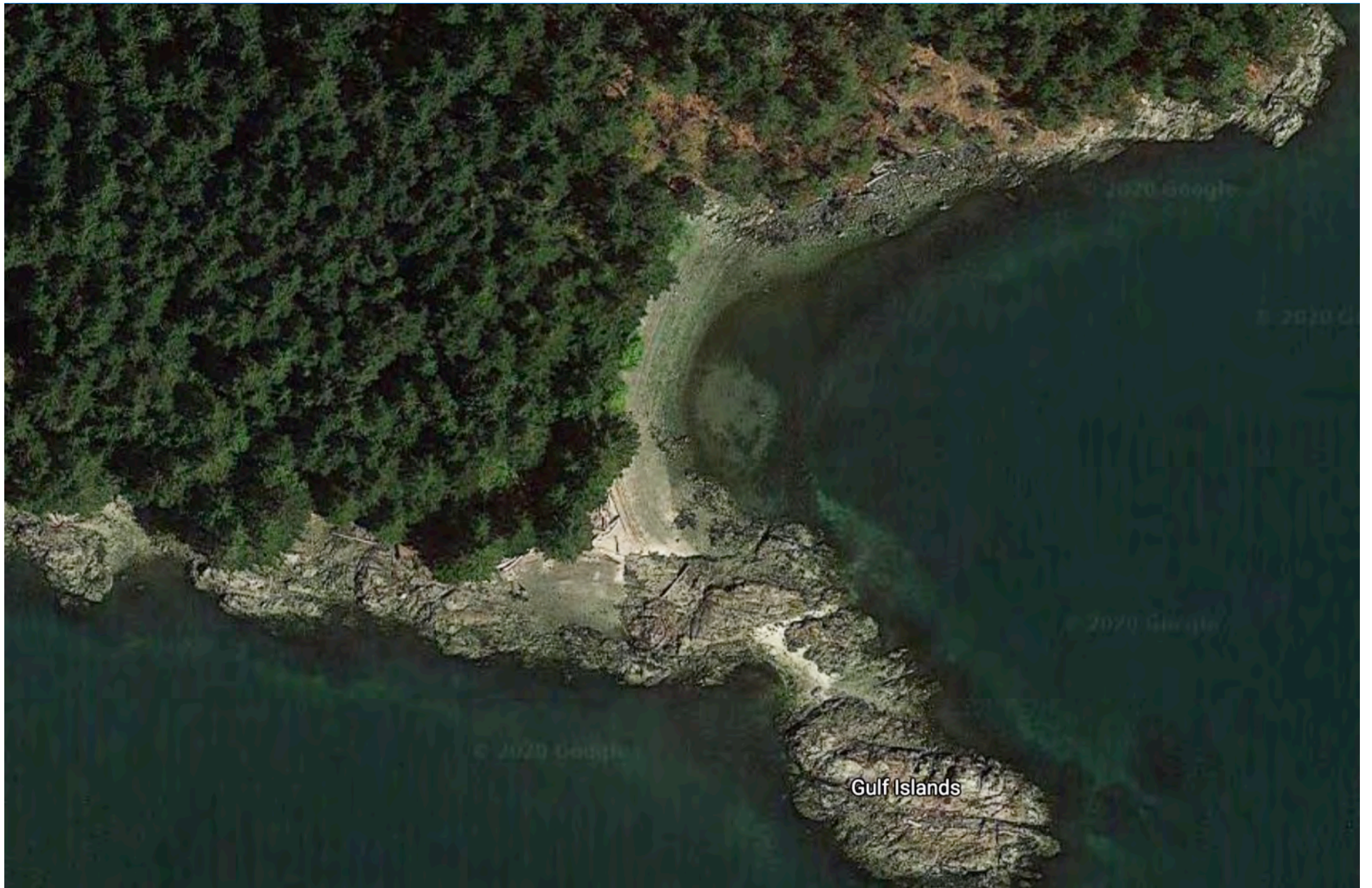
Cowichan Chief  
Tsulpi'multw,  
a leader in the  
Indian Rights  
Movement  
returning from an  
audience with  
King Edward VII  
(in photo) in 1904  
unsuccessfully  
pressing for the  
colonial-era promise  
of land for the  
Cowichan



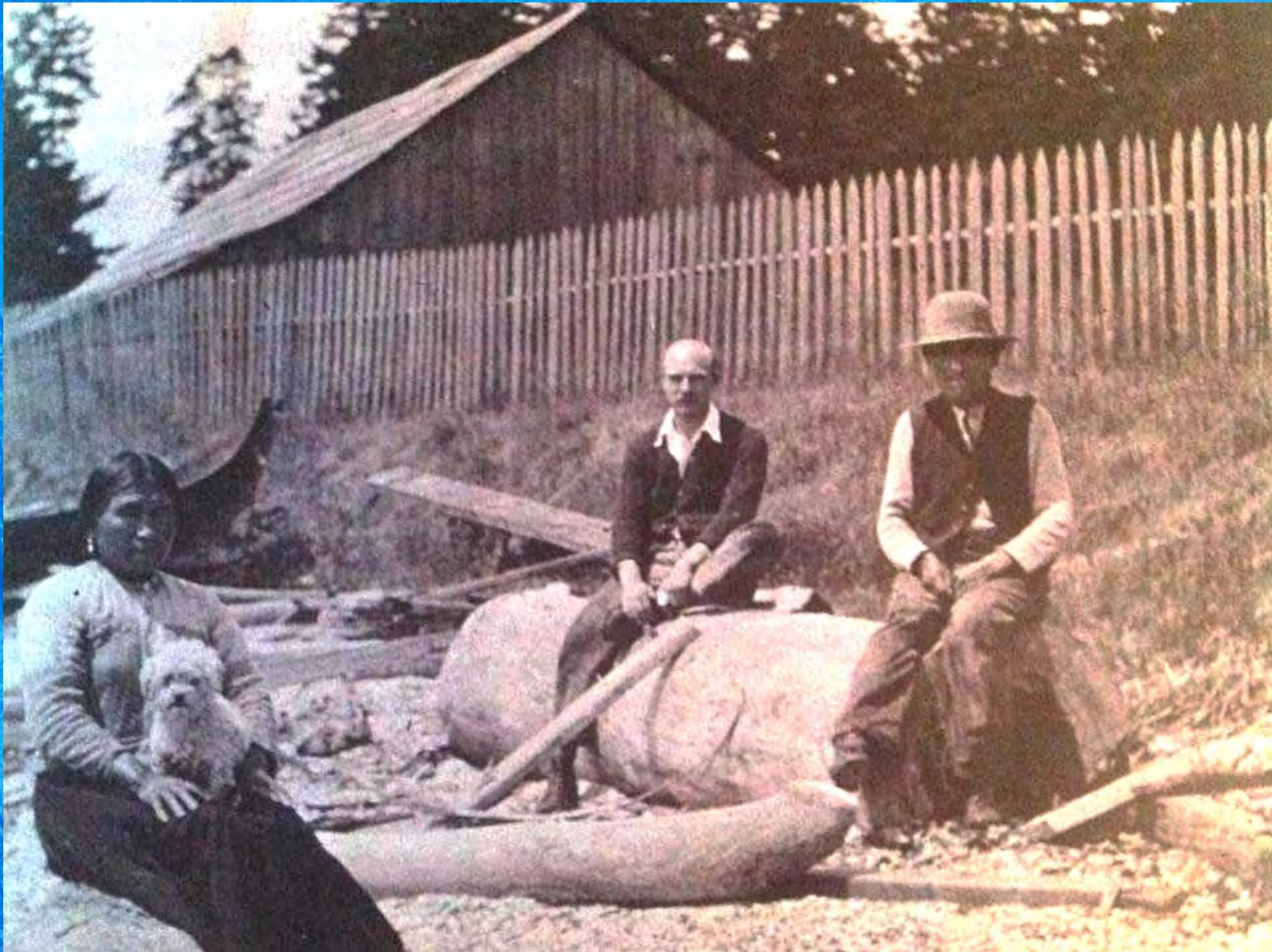


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WEN,NÁ,NEĆ 1920 Mary Zalt, Zalt Zalt and visitor  
with Salish wool dog (extinct ca1940)

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**8.**

**Social equity redefined:  
Modernizing goals of  
biodiversity conservation,  
joint management & repair**

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## **some criteria for equity:**

land

housing

infrastructure

food gathering

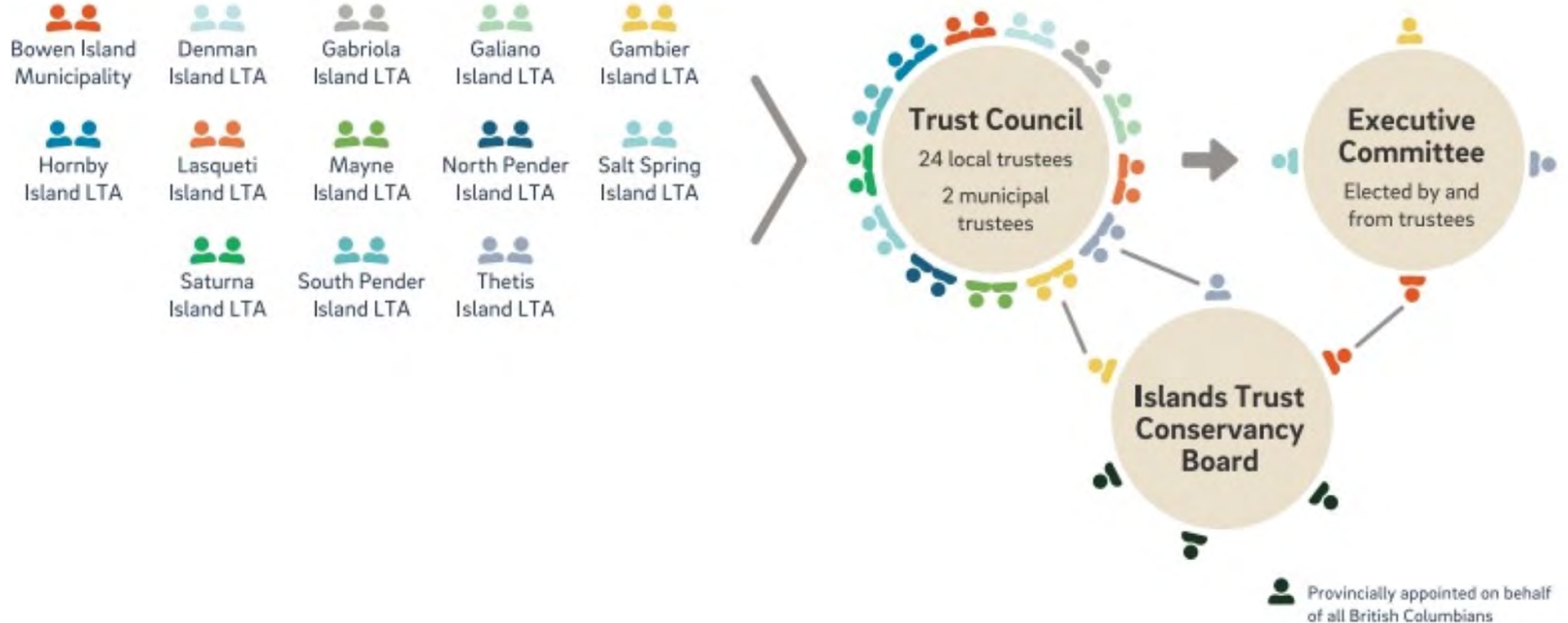
ceremonial / education / spiritual space

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9.

**The exhaustion of older  
governmental & private  
models of conservation &  
island rural development**

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operational currency:  
concept of nonconforming uses  
as defined by the bylaws

permits required by the bylaws  
with the charges for the  
permit applications  
a major source of income for  
operation of Islands Trust

enforcement driven by  
anonymous, on-line complaints







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Once you click on the "Submit" button, don't leave the web page until your computer has successfully sent the message. Once it has successfully sent it, you will receive an automatic reply email indicating that "Your Bylaw Enforcement E-mail has been received!" If you haven't received this email message, then you haven't successfully submitted your complaint.

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Local Trust Areas

## Contact Information

Phone 1

\*

Phone 2

Phone 3

Email

\*

## Location of Violation

First Name

Last Name

Street Address

Postal Code

Island



\*

Other

Legal Description (PID, Plan, Lot etc)

Complaint Details

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**10.**

**Pressures for joint  
management of biodiversity  
conservation: Roles of First  
Nations, elected governments  
& political economies**

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The territory negotiated  
in 2009 in a modern  
treaty for the  
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SISÇENEM  
(Halibut Island) is  
less than 1,000 feet  
from from the  
international  
border was  
transferred to the  
WSÁNEĆ  
Leadership Council  
in 2020 from  
The Land  
Conservancy  
purchased the  
9.67-acre island  
for \$1.55 million  
with help from an  
unnamed donor



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**Consultation with First Nations in land use planning about traditional territory is enshrined in Canadian law.**

**The United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous (2007 and adopted in British Columbia in 2019) changes the whole nature of Islands Trust (which still does not have jurisdiction over First Nations lands).**

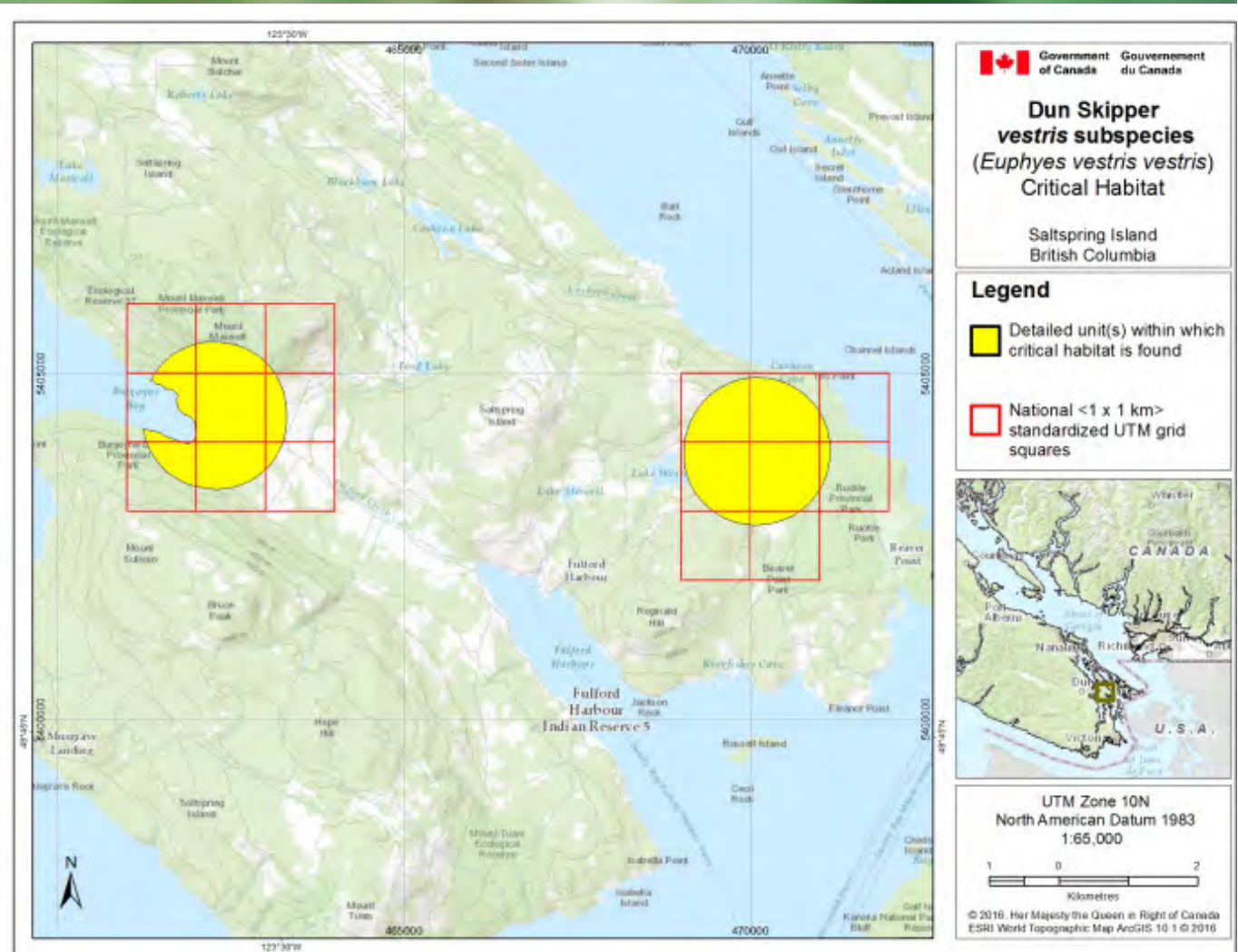
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**11.**

**Some case studies:**

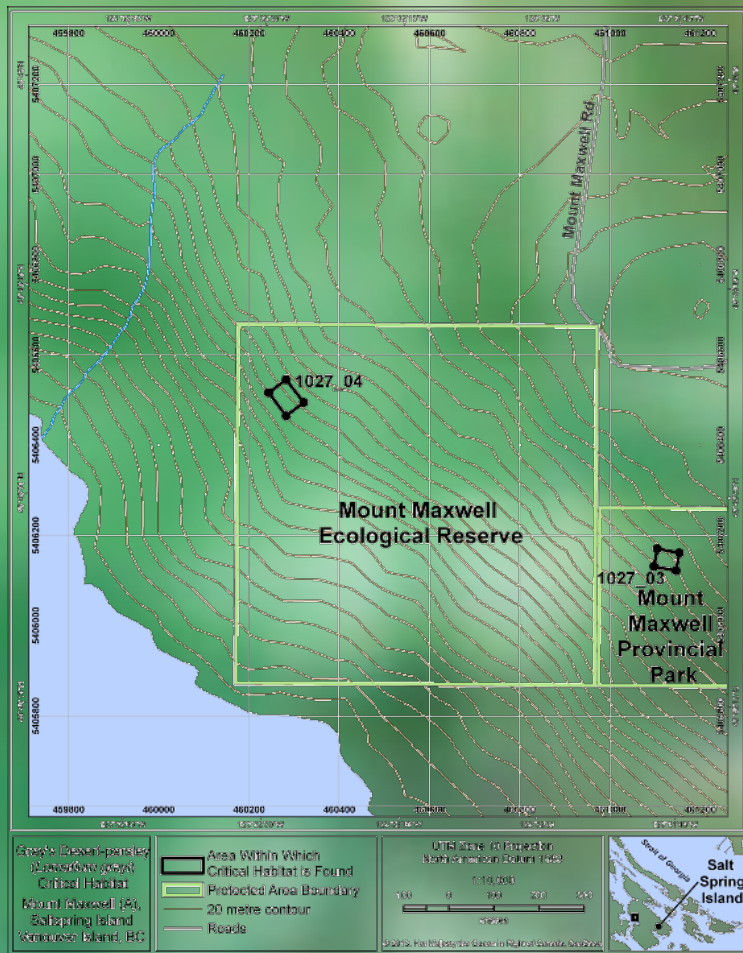
**Questions, dilemmas &  
opportunities**

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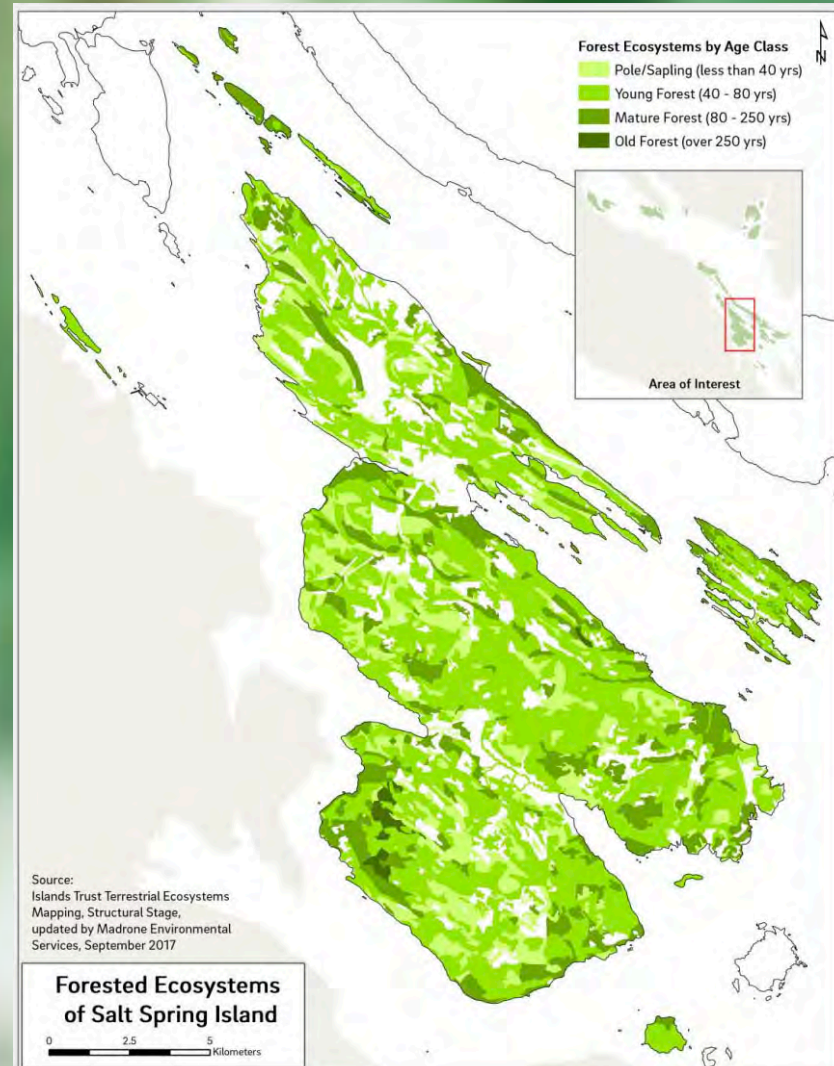
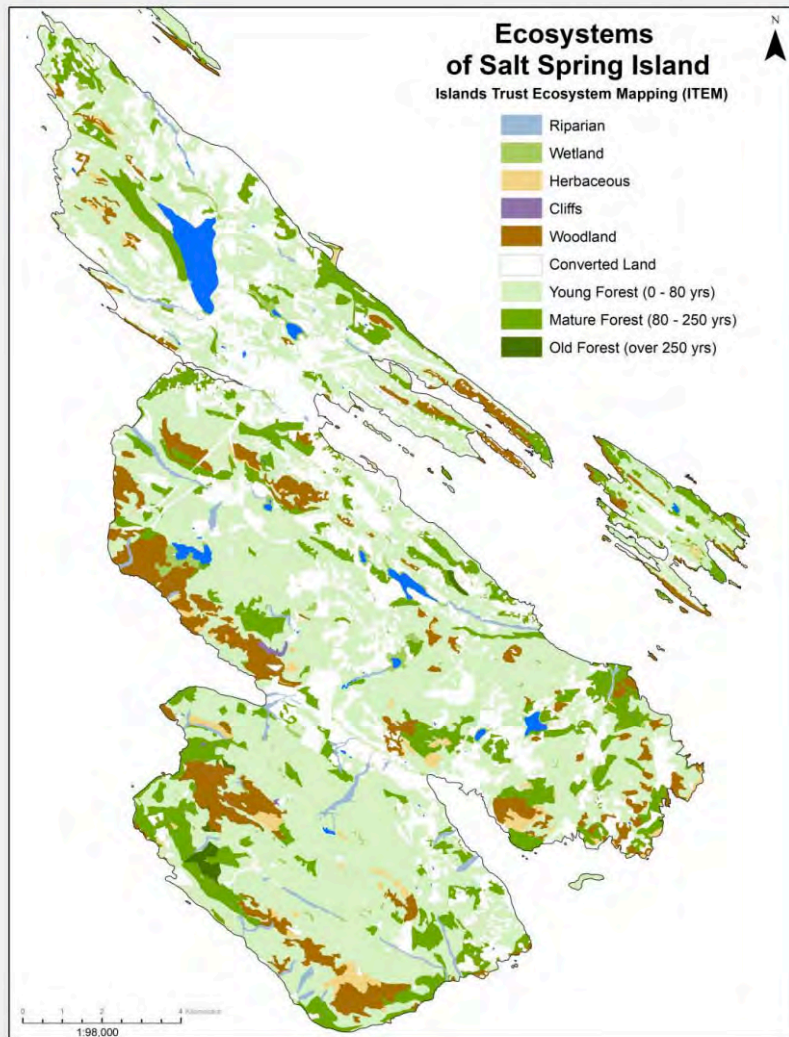
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## ***STOP THE ISLANDS TRUST***

**PROTECT OUR FREEDOM!** Oppose the Coastal Douglas-fir and Associated Eco-systems protection project.

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## ***WE ARE FIGHTING FOR THE RIGHT TO LIVE AND WORK.***

Support private land owner rights, working farms, builders and forestry jobs for residents on Salt Spring Island by opposing the "Protection of Coastal Douglas-fir and Associated Eco-systems Project" proposed by the Islands Trust. The Islands Trust is trying to cram this through during Covid without proper public discourse.

This is the just the latest set of restrictions promoted by the Islands Trust. Remember the Riparian Regulations? They wanted a set back from run-off ditches of 30 meters, representing a vast property taking.

We pay the people who are imposing these restrictions. We pay for the biologists who cook up the reports. No opposing studies are ever commissioned and there exists no funded organization opposing or even fact-checking these studies. Are they right? We don't know. This is not science.

More and more land is put into conservation every year, more and more land is taken out of the tax base, which means those property owners left pay more taxes. Lack of land means house prices go up, which means that more and more, the island is becoming an island for the wealthy. Which means it is less diverse, less interesting, just a parking lot for the wealthy three months a year. The community is drawn down, skeletal, just another place for rich people to have second and third homes.

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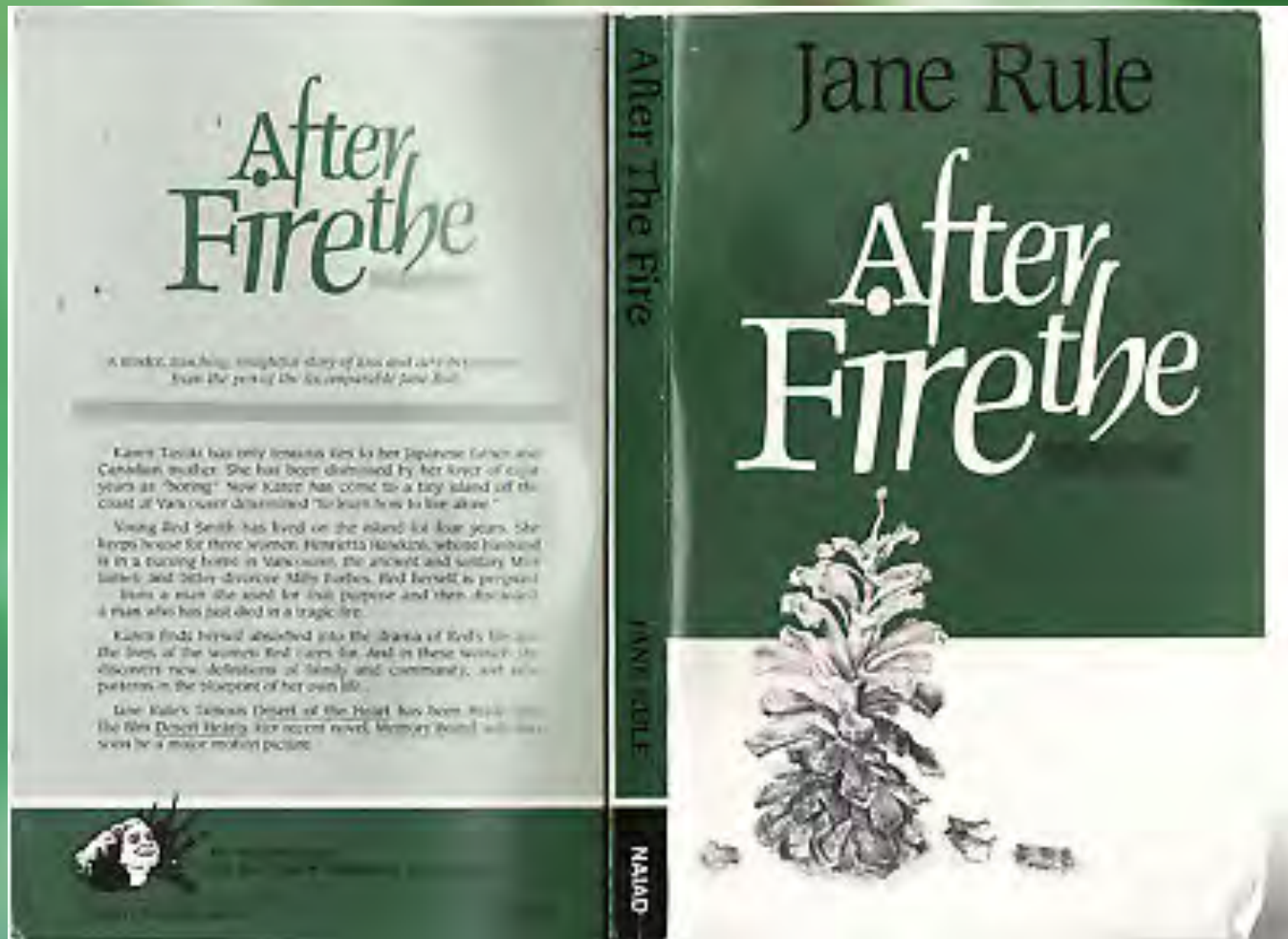




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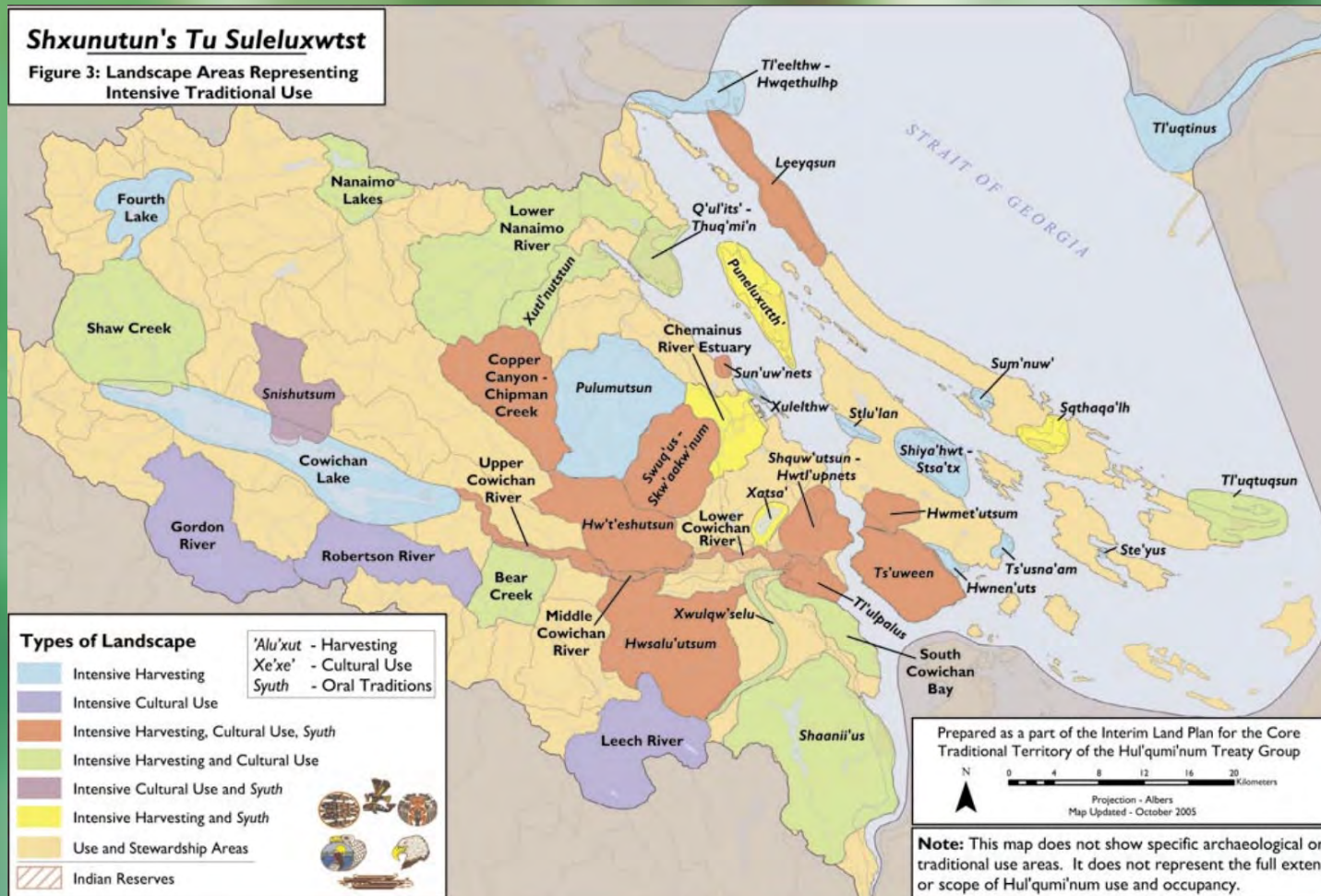
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*Interim Strategic Land Plan for the Hul'qumi'num Core Traditional Territory, 2005*

*Hul'qumi'num Treaty Group > Cowichan, Chemainus, Penelakut, Lyackson, Halalt and Lake Cowichan*

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**New kinds of analytical and  
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WSÁNEĆ youth on a dock next to one of their ocean-going canoes on August 23, 2020 re-establishing reef-net fishing off Pender Island (on the marine border with the USA).

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The WLC is pleased to announce work on a dedicated referrals office will begin this year.



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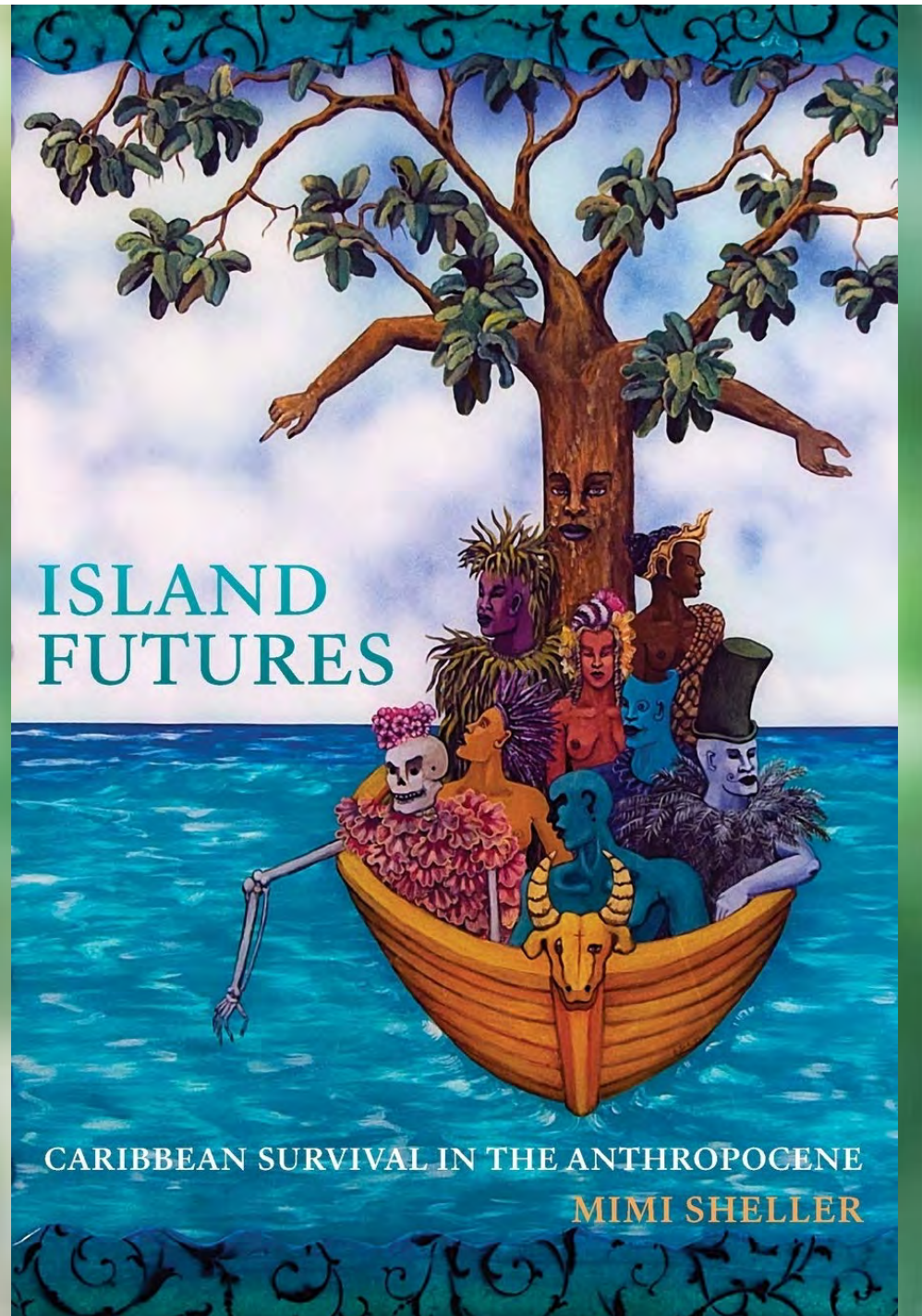
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A copy of the paper written for this  
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