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FW: Letter of support from Moon Curser Vineyards Inc

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To whom it may concern,

Apologies if we are a bit delayed, we heard re-sending letters of support was needed.

Moon Curser Vineyards has hosted private dinners with Backyard Farm in the past, so we have first hand experience enjoying the fruits of Chris Van Hooydonk, his family and his teams labour. Their business focuses on growing, canning/preserving and preparing educational food experiences made from ingredients sourced from his own property (from fruit trees, garden beds, ground crops, etc) and local farms that share their same passion for quality and sustainability. To say that Chris celebrates the beauty that comes from our agricultural land in the Okanagan is an understatement, he lives and breathes it as a part of his home and work life on the farm. He is an extremely passionate business owner that represents our agriculture region in its most pure, true form at his food-forward educational facility. If you are so lucky to have the pleasure of taking part in one of Chris' private dinners (usually requires pre-booking many months to a year or more ahead), you will know it is unlike any restaurant. We are in support of 3692 Fruitvale Way Lot 2, Plan 19063, District Lot 2450s, SDYD land use to include continued promotion of agritourism, food and wine culture in our region, where Backyard Farm Chef's Table can continue operating a culinary facility offering private dinners, educational tailored culinary demonstrations and workshops. Sincerely,

Crystal Coverdale

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