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Dear Council,

We are on the verge of losing our island to tourism.

There is no place for working people to live. No rentals, prices too high for local work people.

We cannot get new mechanics, nurses, retail workers, etc because they can't find a place to live.

Neighborhoods no longer know their neighbors. They are transients.

Please shut down the number of vacation rentals on the islands. Bring back a balanced economy with local business, staffed by local people, and places for them to live.

Lynne Mercer