

## **Section 9 of Bylaw Amendment Application Form**

The extensive use of the existing clinic has demonstrated the ongoing need for a larger community owned facility. The proposed urgent care medical clinic and personal care facilities will allow for more than one patient to be treated at a time. In addition the additional examination rooms will accommodate a third on-call doctor making the 24-7 coverage sustainable and enhance doctor retention.

The GHCF has undertaken a three year review of potential locations within the general Village area. This site meets all of the selection criteria. See attached Site Selection Report, which highlights 6 public events where property location, criteria, and options were discussed; describes the site comparisons, and documents the recent membership votes in support of this application of the Gabriola Health Care Foundation.

Comment forms from the 2010 Open House held from June 20- Aug 20, 2010 are included as well as letters of support from community organizations and individuals. Adjacent property owners are being approached with no objections to the clinic location at this time.

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