



CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ESQUIMALT

NOTICE OF MOTION

From: Councillor Duncan Cavens

Introduced: Council Meeting - June 1, 2026

Discussed: Council Meeting - June 22, 2026

Subject: Bylaw Amendments for Community Sharing Boxes

WHEREAS: Esquimalt's current zoning bylaws do not contemplate structures such as Little Free Libraries, Little Free Yarn Libraries, as well as Little Free Pantries on Residential Land and as a result existing structures are likely contrary to Esquimalt Bylaws;

AND WHEREAS: Little Free structures are positive for the community and the environment by creating a stronger community, reducing costs for residents as well as avoiding items being landfilled;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED: That Council direct staff to bring forward suggested bylaw amendments and a brief report on potential implications that would allow for sharing boxes as an ancillary use in residential areas in line with our existing zoning regulations for Home Occupation.
