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**From:** Kim Dowson [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, November 13, 2013 12:02 AM  
**To:** Deer Management  
**Subject:** Deer in Oak Bay

Good Evening;

I am a resident of Nanaimo, but am familiar with Oak Bay. I'm also an animal lover. While watching my local news this evening, I was shocked and saddened by the news; your district has planned a deer cull. To me, this is the most unacceptable form of animal control. It is cruel and unnecessary punishment for animals who belong here. We have intruded on their habitat, forcing them to adapt to our living standards. It isn't right. If we cannot adapt to living with wildlife and respecting their existence, we need to find another location to house our precious ornamental gardens, fences and so on. I have already begun sharing this information with others, who once aware of this awful news, I hope will oppose as well. We will use our voices to protect these beautiful animals in hopes that the district of Oak Bay will change their minds for the better. No garden, fence, landscape, whatever, is worth the life of an innocent.

Sincerely,  
Kim Dowson  
Nanaimo, BC

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