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The following are resources that may be useful in the development of the Resilient Saanich Environmental Policy Framework and the Biodiversity Conservation Strategy. For copies not available on-line, please contact Thomas Munson, Saanich Environmental Services: <a href="mailto:Thomas.Munson@saanich.ca">Thomas.Munson@saanich.ca</a>.

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