

Acting Commissioner
Virgin Islands Department of Planning and Natural Resources
Coastal Zone Management Program

August 19, 2014

Dear Commissioner Oriel,

I am writing in opposition to the proposed Summer's End Marina Project.

I have been coming to St. John for almost fifty years, initially with my parents and now with family and friends. For the last couple of decades, we have rented in Coral Bay we love the community, slower pace, serenity, and beautiful views. Over the years, we've made friends in St. John and consider it our 'home away from home'. I am dismayed by the size of the project and the impact it will have on the island that I love. I am sorry to say, but if construction goes forward, we will no longer vacation in St. John.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Mary Porter
Marin County, California