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To Whom It May Concern:

Re: "A Woman's Place" virtual exhibition proposal

Craigdarroch Castle National Historic Site has been pleased to recently collaborate with Dr. Karen Finlay of the History in Art Department at the University of Victoria through the provision of loan material for the exhibition, "*A Woman's Place: Art and the Role of Women in the Cultural Formation of Victoria, B.C., 1850's-1920's*". This exhibition was presented at the university's Maltwood Art Museum & Gallery this year.

I understand that a virtual museum exhibit based on the important work undertaken by Dr. Finlay and others is being contemplated. On behalf of Craigdarroch Castle Historical Museum Society, I extend support for this initiative and pledge access to our collections for the purpose of creating the proposed virtual museum website.

Sincerely,

Bruce Davies
Curator