

COUNCIL CORRESPONDENCE UPDATE TO JUNE 5, 2024 (8:30 a.m.)

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From: [REDACTED] s. 22(1)
Sent: Monday, May 6, 2024 3:15 PM
To: correspondence
Cc: [REDACTED] s. 22(1)
Subject: Park Fee

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Hello District of West Vancouver,

Recently, [REDACTED] s. 22(1) was at Whyte Lake and received a parking ticket of \$98.00 from Impark. She saw the sign asking her to pay for parking but no parking meter, she would have had to pay it online on her phone. If you have spent time in this area, you know that the reception there is spotty at best. Therefore, she could not get access into the system to pay for parking, assumed that the system must not be in place yet since there was nowhere to make a payment, and went for a brief walk. She came back to this incredibly expensive parking ticket.

We reached out to Impark disputes department to no satisfying resolve. Their dispute department phone numbers (3 of them) all inform you that they cannot connect the call, and then the line goes dead. It is ridiculous to implement a parking meter system without the parking meter. We are now aware that we require an annual park pass for several of West Vancouver Parks, but there should still be an available option to make a payment at the lot without the need for internet access if you do not have a pass.

On the issue of requiring the \$20 annual park pass, we resent this process! For years, many public park areas in the Greater Vancouver Area have charged for parking, but not West Vancouver. We allowed people to come in from anywhere outside of WV and park for free. In the many years that we have live in WV we have watched areas such as Ambleside get worn down by the thousands of visitors from outside of the District...leaving behind their picnic mess (our local tax dollars pay for the cleanup) and wearing down our parking lots which are now in incredible disrepair. For years, the WV has used our local tax dollars to pay for the cleanup after our visitors leave and our visitors did not pay a dime.

I would sincerely like to understand why are we asked to pay this petty, yet insulting, \$20/vehicle to park in our local parks? Why not charge each visitor for parking in our neighbourhoods or local parks and provide decals to the locals to be able to park for free. And assuming that the plan is to *start* charging for parking in areas including parks such as Ambleside, then why not charge a dollar more than you had planned and allow the locals free access to their own neighbourhood.

Please help me understand.

[REDACTED] s. 22(1)
[REDACTED] West Vancouver
West Vancouver resident

From: s. 22(1)
Sent: Wednesday, May 29, 2024 1:03 PM
To: correspondence
Subject: Litter and Garbage

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Dear Mayor and Council Members:

We wish to draw your attention to the garbage and litter that is accumulating along the pathway under the Marine Drive Bridge over the Capilano River (access is from 6th Street off Clyde Ave.).

Many of us Seniors use the pathway to go to Park Royal South as well as to Ambleside. It is most disappointing to see this trash and pieces of cardboard (which is often used to form a barrier around individuals doing drugs).

Requests to the District to clean up this area on an ongoing basis have not produced any results. Really, it would take one crew person with a pick up truck no more than 15 minutes to remove all the garbage in the area.

It would be most appreciated if this could be attended to this week.

Thank you

s. 22(1)

West Vancouver

From: [REDACTED] s. 22(1)
Sent: Sunday, June 2, 2024 7:05 PM
To: correspondence
Subject: Litter and Garbage

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Dear Mayor and Council Members:

On behalf of our neighbours and ourselves, we wish to extend our sincere thanks to you for your quick response with cleaning up the trash which was accumulating under the Marine Drive Bridge over the Capilano River. It is so very much appreciated that we can now walk along the pathway without the garbage spoiling this lovely area.

Further, we understand that the Parks Administration will be scheduling regular visits to the area to maintain the cleanliness.

Again, many thanks for your assistance on this issue.

Regards,

[REDACTED] s. 22(1)

[REDACTED] West Vancouver.

From: [REDACTED] s. 22(1)
Sent: Wednesday, May 29, 2024 11:55 AM
To: correspondence; Mark Sager; Christine Cassidy; Nora Gambioli; Peter Lambur; Scott Snider; Sharon Thompson; Linda Watt
Subject: June 3rd Council meeting - Area Development Plan for Cypress Village and Eagleridge, First Reading

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Dear Mayor and Council,

I am a long standing resident of West Vancouver and finally it is exemplary to see the fruition of incredible planning that Council, DWV Staff and BPP along with all the public input, accomplished over many years of intense work.

Congratulations to Council for advancing the ADP towards a First Reading and Public Hearing through a thoughtful process that will transform Cypress Village into an innovative master plan.

Looking forward to the day that we can stroll through the newly created village on our way to the new park announced this week.

Regards,

[REDACTED] s. 22(1)

West Vancouver

From: [REDACTED] s. 22(1)
Sent: Thursday, May 30, 2024 10:57 AM
To: correspondence
Cc: Linda Watt; Mayor Mark Sager; Christine Cassidy; Peter Lambur; Scott Snider; Sharon Thompson; Nora Gambioli
Subject: Cypress Village

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Mayor and Counsellors

This email will confirm my full support of the very well thought out Area Development Plan for Cypress Village and Eagleridge. I feel this is a wonderful opportunity for West Vancouver and particularly like the recreational opportunities and the protected lands at Eagleridge. I feel the project will be a game changer for West Vancouver and the future of all in the community and has mine and my family's full support.

I am a [REDACTED] s. 22(1) resident of West Vancouver, residing at [REDACTED] s. 22(1)

Thank you,
[REDACTED] s. 22(1)

[REDACTED] s. 22(1)

From: Davies, Matt <mdavies@cypressmountain.com>
Sent: Thursday, May 30, 2024 11:06 AM
To: correspondence; Mayor Mark Sager; Christine Cassidy; Nora Gambioli; Peter Lambur; Scott Snider; Sharon Thompson; Linda Watt
Cc: s. 22(1)
Subject: Letter of Support: Cypress Village and Upper Lands ADP
Attachments: Cypress Village - Letter of Support.docx

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Dear West Vancouver Mayor and Council,
I hope this email finds you well. I am writing to submit a letter in support of the Cypress Village and Upper Lands ADP.

Attached, please find the letter expressing our support for this development project. We believe that it aligns with the community's goals and will contribute positively to the area in various aspects, including recreation, conservation, and community amenities.

We appreciate the thorough review and consideration that the Planning Department has dedicated to this project, we trust that our letter will provide insights into our perspective on it. Should you require any further information or clarification, please do not hesitate to contact me directly.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Warm regards,

Matt

MATT DAVIES

President & General Manager



You'll LOVE it up here!

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Cypress Mountain
6000 Cypress Bowl Road
West Vancouver, BC V7V 3N9
May 16, 2024]



Letter of Support for Cypress Village

On behalf of Cypress Mountain, I am writing to express our support for the Cypress Village development at the bottom of Cypress Bowl Road. As the President and General Manager of Cypress Mountain, a ski resort operating at the top of Cypress Bowl Road, I recognize the significant benefits that this project will bring to our community and the region as a whole.

The development of Cypress Village aligns with the goals and vision outlined in the District's Official Community Plan. It aims to create a sustainable, compact, and vibrant urban community while protecting valuable natural areas in Eagleridge for recreation and conservation. This project promises to offer a range of benefits, including diverse housing options, enhanced community amenities, and improved transportation infrastructure. The implementation of transit services and the inclusion of local amenities such as schools, shopping, and community centers will reduce the need for residents to travel outside the community, thereby minimizing traffic congestion on Cypress Bowl Road and surrounding areas. Furthermore, the new Westmount Connector and other planned infrastructure improvements will facilitate efficient and safe access to and from Cypress Village, benefiting not only the new community but also existing residents and businesses, including Cypress Mountain. The project's commitment to sustainable urban design and transportation demand management strategies will support our shared goal of reducing dependence on private automobiles.

Cypress Mountain is particularly pleased with the emphasis on protecting the natural environment. The transfer of development potential from Eagleridge to Cypress Village, ensuring the preservation of ecologically significant lands, is a forward-thinking approach that will enhance recreational opportunities and safeguard the natural beauty of our region for future generations. We believe that the successful development of Cypress Village will contribute to the overall economic vitality and livability of West Vancouver. It will provide much-needed housing diversity and affordability, create new local employment opportunities, and enhance the quality of life for all residents. Cypress Mountain supports this project and looks forward to collaborating with all stakeholders to ensure its success. We are confident that the development of Cypress Village will serve as a model for sustainable community planning and development in our region.

Thank you for considering our perspective. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you require any further information or if there are opportunities for us to contribute more directly to this important initiative.

Yours sincerely,

Matt Davies
President and General Manager
Cypress Mountain
mdavies@cypressmountain.com

s. 22(1)

From: [REDACTED] s. 22(1)
Sent: Thursday, May 30, 2024 12:58 PM
To: correspondence
Subject: Cypress Village

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I am excited that the proposed Cypress Village may get approved soon. I fully support this project. Let's get it done! What a great Plan for West Vancouver.

I am a West Vancouver resident living at [REDACTED] s. 22(1)

Thank you,

[REDACTED] s. 22(1)

From: [REDACTED] s. 22(1)
Sent: Thursday, May 30, 2024 1:17 PM
To: correspondence
Subject: Cypress Village

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I am long time, grey haired resident of West Vancouver who has raised my children ,and been active in the community for [REDACTED] s. 22(1) years . For almost a decade since 2016, I have been supportive and advocated for the Cypress Village development. A third centre for our community sponsored by a long time supportive organization BPP. I will miss Mondays meeting , but have reviewed the countless documents over 4 councils and feel this proposal captures the spirit and intent of development in our community so I urge you to unanimously move it forward . It will provide the spark to West Vancouver that the Grosvenor Building has done to eastern Ambelside, the diversification across our age population and a growing revenue source to our static tax base. I look forward to attending the upcoming public hearing and hope you will all move it forward to a positive conclusion

Your Truly,

[REDACTED] s. 22(1)

West Vancouver

Sent from my iPad

From: [REDACTED] s. 22(1)
Sent: Monday, June 3, 2024 9:37 AM
To: correspondence; Mayor Mark Sager; Christine Cassidy; Nora Gambioli; Peter Lambur; Scott Snider; Sharon Thompson; Linda Watt
Subject: Expressing my support for Cypress Village

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To Mayor and Council,

I am writing to express my support for Cypress Village. I have a conflict with my schedule and so will not be there tonight but it is important for me that my support is noted for this very exciting project.

I was introduced to this project over 6 years ago (even though staff and BPP have been working on it for decades), and I've had the opportunity to understand how this project will be a shining example of thoughtful development in West Vancouver.

It is such an exciting time for our community!

I'd also like to express my thanks to staff who've have persevered and stewarded this project to what hopefully will be the next stage of housing and a new community for our District.

Sincerely,

[REDACTED] s. 22(1)

West Vancouver, BC

[REDACTED] s. 22(1)

From: [REDACTED] s. 22(1)
Sent: Thursday, May 30, 2024 3:27 PM
To: Mayor & Council District West Vancouver; marksager@westvancouver.ca; Peter Lambur; Sharon Thompson; Christine Cassidy; Scott Snider; Nora Gambioli; Linda Watt; correspondence
Cc: [REDACTED] s. 22(1)
Subject: Taste of the Bay 2024--electrical issues.

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The Karen Fowlie Entertainment Society (KFES) band provided a free Canada Day concert in Horseshoe Bay Park just prior to the Covid era. [REDACTED] s. 22(1) volunteers for the setting up/tear down, and functioning of the event! The stage was set up close to the waterfront with the beautiful Horseshoe Bay view as a backdrop. Many Villagers brought their blankets and picnics to the lawn where they could kick back and relax without having to drive for a change. Feedback was extremely positive that "We need more of this here"!

Shortly thereafter, a Parks Committee was formed prior to revitalization of Horseshoe Bay Park. [REDACTED] s. 22(1) and made an effort to make some improvements and to correct the most prominent issue which was to have electricity in appropriate locations for events, Christmas lighting, etc. (Perhaps this is the reason we did not have any Christmas lights in our park this year?)

The Stage was to be attached to the front seawall sidewalk and made of a non-slip material with an electrical panel nearby.

I checked this location during the park renovation and was pleased to find the electrical panel where it was expected to be. The stage was never built but I hoped it would show up later.

Yesterday, the Karen Fowlie band set up slightly ahead of where the stage was to be with the electrical panel close by. (As agreed to during the Park Committee consultation and shown in artist renderings) The ground was quite soggy, which is always a concern with electrical cords laying on a temporary carpet stage.



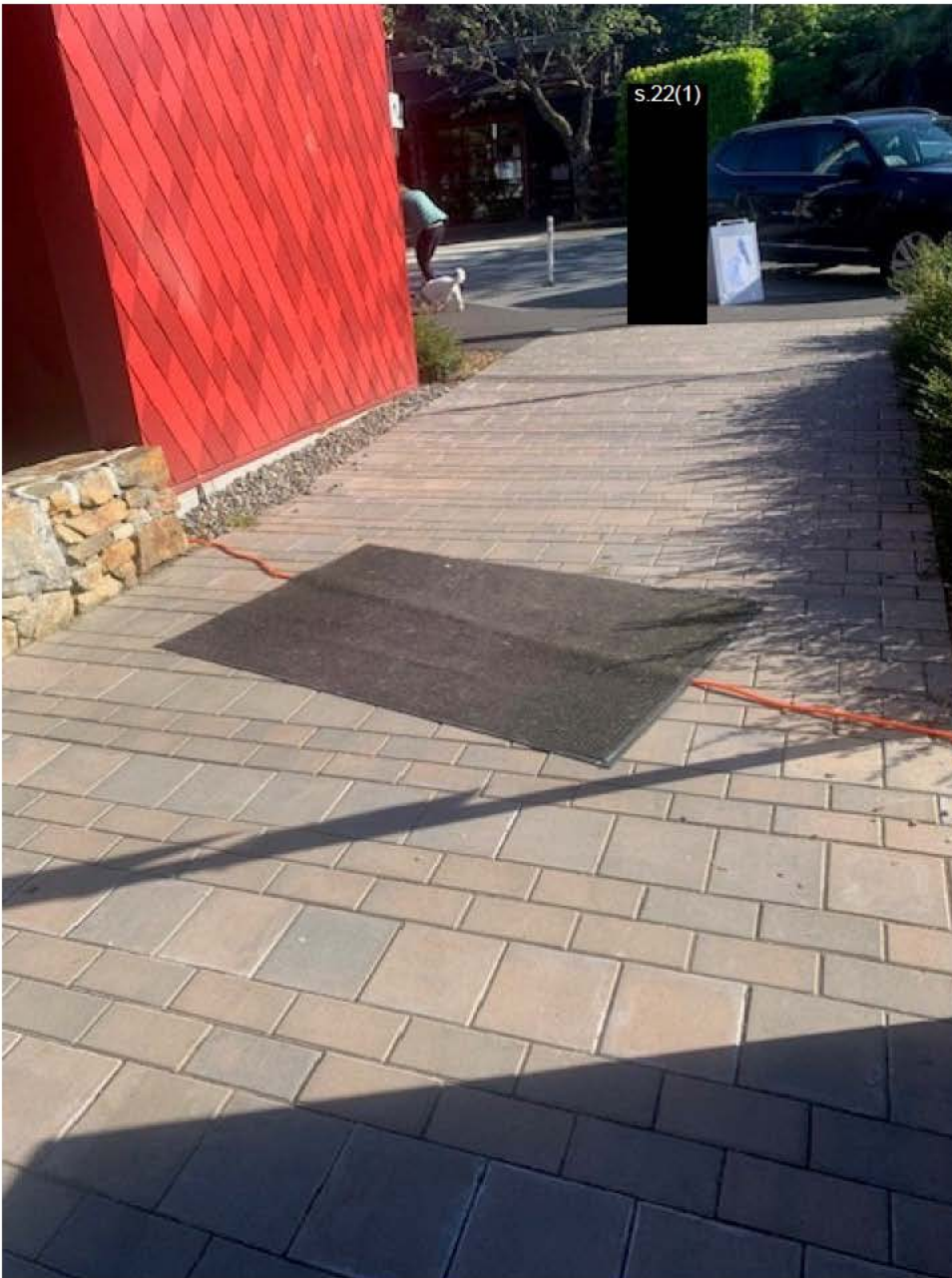
This electrical panel was not connected when the park was revitalized. A generator had to be rented last minute on a busy day!



We had to plug in by the toilets and string the cord across the bottom of two doorways- creating quite a liability!



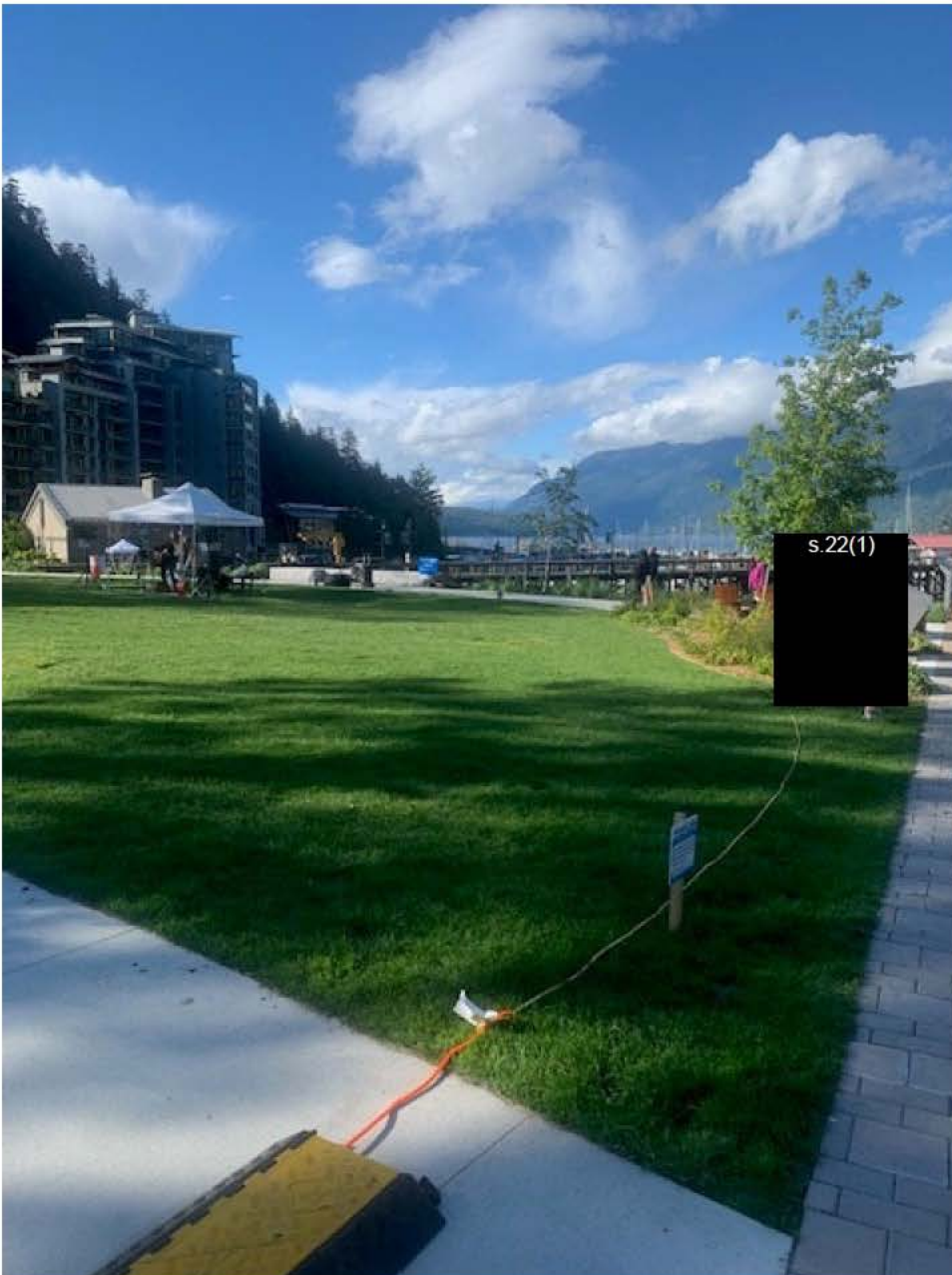
Electrical cord continued across a major entry sidewalk



Then across a second sidewalk... causing business owners to scramble to find the appropriate covers.



The cord liability continued all the way across the green lawn to the front seawall walk with visitors stepping over it...



... finally out to the temporary stage in the middle of the goose droppings!
Can we please have someone take another look at this situation so that we can apply our efforts to the events rather than repeating the same issues and creating more liabilities?

Thanks to those of you who came out for the Taste of the Bay event and thank you all for your time in helping us to deal with this situation.

Respectfully,
s. 22(1)

[Redacted signature block]



From: s. 22(1)
Sent: Friday, May 31, 2024 11:36 AM
To: correspondence
Subject: FW: Ambleside LAP -- Proposed OCP Amendments

Hi Neetu: As discussed, see below.

Thanks,

s. 22(1)

From: s. 22(1)
Sent: Thursday, May 30, 2024 11:59 PM
To: 'Mark Sager' <mark@westvancouver.ca>; ccassidy@westvancouver.ca; ngamboli@westvancouver.ca; plambur@westvancouver.ca; ssnider@westvancouver.ca; sthompson@westvancouver.ca; lwatt@westvancouver.ca; correspondence@westvancouver.ca
Cc: 'David Hawkins' <dhawkins@westvancouver.ca>; 'Jim Bailey' <jbailey@westvancouver.ca>
Subject: Ambleside LAP -- Proposed OCP Amendments

Mayor Sager and Members of Council:

(This submission is in addition to my previous correspondence concerning the Pink Palace site.)

May I commend David Hawkins and his team for the tremendous amount of work that they have put into developing the proposed Ambleside Local Area Plan. There are many aspects of the proposed changes in the OCP Bylaw relating to the Ambleside Apartment Area that are very appropriate, as are the proposed amendments to the Zoning Bylaw and the proposed “Rental Replacement and Tenant Assistance Policy”.

However, the proposed amendments to the OCP Bylaw – as contained in the Council Report dated May 17, 2024 -- involve a large number of details, some of which should not proceed as currently proposed. The specific issues that I believe need to be addressed include:

1. Height of any redevelopments on Marine Drive between 20th Street and 23rd Street.

I believe that most West Vancouver residents do not support proposals that would see the height of new buildings along Marine Drive exceeding 3- to 4-storeys.

It was shocking to see that the proposed modifications to the OCP Amendment Bylaw include the possibility of the south side of the 2000 block of Marine Drive and three sites on the 2200 block of Marine Drive being potentially redeveloped up to **14 storeys!**

At present, the townhouses and condos on the 2000, 2100 and 2200 blocks of Marine Drive (with the exception of The Bellevue building at 2289 Bellevue) are either 2- or 3-storeys with maximum zoned FARs of between 0.75 and 1.05. All of these buildings are far from end-of-life. Amendments to the OCP should not be such as to encourage their demolition and redevelopment (which potentially could be the effect of the current version of the OCP Amendment Bylaw). If any of these buildings were to be replaced within the timeframe of the OCP, **any increase in height and density should be limited to a maximum height of 3- to 4-storeys and FAR of 2.0.** The OCP Amendment Bylaw should reflect this.

2. “Hollyburn Corner”

The OCP Amendment Bylaw introduces the concept of “Hollyburn Corner”, a term that is not familiar to most of us who live in this area. “Hollyburn Corner” refers to the intersection of Marine Drive and 22nd Street. At present, three of the four corners are:

- the Community Centre,
- the Westerleigh PARC (built in 2013), and
- Stratford Court (2202 Marine), which is beautifully maintained and has decades of remaining life, none of which are likely to be redeveloped within the timeframe of the proposed Ambleside Local Area Plan.

Stratford Court should not be taken out of the Ambleside Apartment Area (as currently proposed) and should not be “planned” for a height of more than 3- to 4-storeys (currently 3) and FAR of 2.0 (currently 0.95).

Only the south-east corner of Marine and 22nd (site of the previous gas station) is likely to be redeveloped within the timeframe of the LAP and should be limited to a maximum height of 3- to 4- storeys.

Similarly, the other commercial sites immediately adjacent to “Hollyburn Corner” (2168, 2170, 2222 and 2232 Marine Drive) should be limited to a maximum of 3- to 4- storeys, consistent with the vision for the Ambleside and Dundarave Villages.

3. The 30 Ambleside rental apartment sites

In the last three months, the District has flip-flopped between possible rezoning of all 30 existing rental apartment sites (to a maximum FAR of 3.0) and singling out three “large sites” to be allowed to increase FAR up to 3.0 subject to detailed provisions relating to infill and tenure while leaving the other 27 sites with a maximum FAR of 2.0.

There are a number of problems with the current proposal:

- The three large sites are fundamentally different from each other – The Peter Wall Ambleside site (1552 Esquimalt Ave.) has its existing building at one end of the site and can well accommodate an increase in FAR to 3.0, whereas the Pink Palace site (2222 Bellevue Ave.) is on the waterfront with its iconic heritage building in the middle of the site and should only be permitted to add modest infill that is sensitive to its situation and the concerns of the residents of the neighbourhood.
- There is no real logic in separating out the three “large sites”. A site that is twice the size of another site can accommodate twice the building size with the same FAR. There is no logic in proposing that a “large site” should be expected to accommodate a building size of three times (based on an FAR of 3.0) that of a site that is half the size (based on an FAR of 2.0).
- In any event, any redevelopment, or additional development, of any of the 30 existing rental apartment sites, by necessity, will be site-specific, so singling out the three “large sites” in the OCP Amendment Bylaw serves no purpose.

May I suggest that a more logical approach would be to either:

- (a) Not include any special provisions in the OCP Amendment Bylaw for the three “large sites” and, instead, simply have a more general provision that any site-specific applications for rezoning to a higher FAR will be subject to evaluation of the proposal’s contextual fit and maintenance or increase in rental units (*or other appropriate criteria*); or
- (b) Allow for an increase up to 2.5 FAR for all 30 existing rental apartment sites to add infill rental housing to a maximum height of 3- to 4- storeys, while also including a general provision for site-specific applications for rezoning to a higher FAR, greater height or variation in tenure, subject to appropriate conditions.

Neither of these alternatives for the OCP Amendment Bylaw would preclude consideration of the development or redevelopment proposals that I understand have been initiated by the owners of Peter Wall Ambleside (1552 Esquimalt Ave.), Viewmont Towers (2180 Argyle Ave.) or Highgate House (1985 Bellevue Ave.).

There may be a number of other issues included in the current version of the OCP Amendment Bylaw that are contentious. It is important that there is a full opportunity for public awareness, consultation and input before the final version of the OCP Amendment Bylaw is adopted by Council.

Respectfully submitted,

s. 22(1)

From: Chantal Ryan [REDACTED] s. 22(1)
Sent: Saturday, June 1, 2024 5:38 PM
To: chantalryan@telus.net; Christine Cassidy; Linda Watt; Nora Gambioli; Peter Lambur; Scott Snider; Sharon Thompson; Mayor Mark Sager; correspondence
Subject: Forced densification =+

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Chantal Ryan
3015 Marine drive
West Vancouver
V7V1M4

01 Jun 2024

Dear Mayor Sager and Councillors
District of West Vancouver

Forced densification

My name is Chantal Ryan and I am a resident of West Vancouver.

Totally against this forced densification

It is over the top

Allowing a cottage / coach house one thing

But transforming this very special neighbourhood hood into a crazy suburbia is nut

No road / no infrastructures / traffic already crazy / no other bridge

What up with you people ?

Please **do not redact** my name or my home address or my email address.

Thank you.

Chantal Ryan
chantalryan@telus.net

From: s. 22(1)
Sent: Sunday, June 2, 2024 1:17 PM
To: s. 22(1); Christine Cassidy; Linda Watt; Nora Gambioli; Peter Lambur; Scott Snider; Sharon Thompson; Mayor Mark Sager; correspondence
Subject: Densification West Van. =+

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s. 22(1)
West Vancouver BC
s. 22(1)

02 Jun 2024

Dear Mayor Sager and Councillors
District of West Vancouver

Densification West Van.

My name is s. 22(1) and I am a resident of West Vancouver.

I love West Vancouver because the housing is so mixed, mansions and small old homes all blending to make a unique area to live.

Pls allow only lane houses or duplexes/triplexes.

High density developments such as 4plexes or 6plexes on a single lot loses the unique quality of West Vancouver.

What I would like to see (now that I am in s.22(1) is one level housing in a group environment.... sociable and no stairs, so safer. They have it in UK and Australia but I realize our WV land is so pricey we can not afford to build less than the maximum allowable for a lot!)

Unfortunate for those of us who live in and love West Vancouver and do not want to live in a condo.(I have s.22(1)

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Guess it's a townhouse with my own front door for me!

Hope this helps to get a residents balanced viewpoint!

Sincerely

s. 22(1)

Thank you.

s. 22(1)

From: VJ Grimes [REDACTED] s. 22(1)
Sent: Monday, June 3, 2024 12:06 PM
To: vgrimes1@hotmail.com; Christine Cassidy; Linda Watt; Nora Gambioli; Peter Lambur; Scott Snider; Sharon Thompson; Mayor Mark Sager; correspondence
Subject: densification issue = +

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VJ Grimes
1750 Esquimalt Ave, #206
West Vancouver, BC V7V 1R8

03 Jun 2024

Dear Mayor Sager and Councillors
District of West Vancouver

densification issue

My name is VJ Grimes and I am a resident of West Vancouver.

I interpret council's vision for densification (and I agree) as, zoning all West Vancouver single-family lots to be potentially multi family, up to 3 units for the effect of even playing field for all owners (an owner's residence and 2 rental units, or 3 owner's residences), developed by any home owner. Or for "2-or-more contiguous lots" (a land assembly of purchases), available for competition of not-for-profit purchaser/developers to develop not-for-profit housing, removing windfall profit incentive. The plan leaves out profit seekers, whose one incentive is to own the profit difference (seller's price and value in finished project) and exit the market with profits, that cause inflated values of the development and housing in West Vancouver. An even playfield, just as levels of government envision, in order to avoid profit seekers that create luxury units for high profit and prices, or cheap units at high margins and high rents.

Please **do not redact** my name or my home address or my email address.

Thank you.

VJ Grimes
vgrimes1@hotmail.com

From: Andrea Albanese [REDACTED] s. 22(1)
Sent: Saturday, June 1, 2024 6:11 PM
To: dinnerave@gmail.com; Christine Cassidy; Linda Watt; Nora Gambioli; Peter Lambur; Scott Snider; Sharon Thompson; Mayor Mark Sager; correspondence
Subject: No more densification = +

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Andrea Albanese
1036 Jefferson Ave
West Vancouver, BC
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01 Jun 2024

Dear Mayor Sager and Councillors
District of West Vancouver

No more densification

My name is Andrea Albanese and I am a resident of West Vancouver.

The proposed densification by the province is not in line with the values and character of West Vancouver. We have available homes for rent and new developments in the pipeline. I'm also not necessarily in favour of the Cypress development either—an increase in WV's densification by 25% is too great.

Please **do not redact** my name or my home address or my email address.

Thank you.

Andrea Albanese
dinnerave@gmail.com

From: [REDACTED] s. 22(1)
Sent: Saturday, June 1, 2024 5:36 PM
To: [REDACTED] s. 22(1) Christine Cassidy; Linda Watt; Nora Gambioli; Peter Lambur; Scott Snider; Sharon Thompson; Mayor Mark Sager; correspondence
Subject: B.C. Bill 44 =+

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[REDACTED] s. 22(1)
West Vancouver
[REDACTED] s. 22(1)

01 Jun 2024

Dear Mayor Sager and Councillors
District of West Vancouver

B.C. Bill 44

My name is [REDACTED] s. 22(1) and I am a resident of West Vancouver.

My husband and I are firmly against B.C. Bill 44. This bill is completely undemocratic especially since the Premier was not elected by the people and the efforts municipalities have already made have not been taken into account. The people must be able to create their own communities as they see fit. The North shore of Vancouver has significant traffic problems as it is. We need transport, not more housing.

Thank you.

[REDACTED] s. 22(1)

From: [REDACTED] s. 22(1)
Sent: Saturday, June 1, 2024 6:10 PM
To: [REDACTED] s. 22(1) Christine Cassidy; Linda Watt; Nora Gambioli; Peter Lambur; Scott Snider; Sharon Thompson; Mayor Mark Sager; correspondence
Subject: Densification Legislation =+

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[REDACTED] s. 22(1)

West Vancouver

[REDACTED] s. 22(1)

01 Jun 2024

Dear Mayor Sager and Councillors
District of West Vancouver

Densification Legislation

My name is [REDACTED] s. 22(1) and I am a resident of West Vancouver.

We are vehemently opposed to the forced densification of single family lots in our city. This ridiculous legislation will have a profoundly negative effect on our neighborhoods and community.

Thank you.

[REDACTED] s. 22(1)

From: John Noble [REDACTED] s. 22(1)
Sent: Saturday, June 1, 2024 6:17 PM
To: john.m.noble@gmail.com; Christine Cassidy; Linda Watt; Nora Gambioli; Peter Lambur; Scott Snider; Sharon Thompson; Mayor Mark Sager; correspondence
Subject: bc forced densification =+

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John Noble
6251 Wellington Avenue
West Vancouver
V7W2H5

01 Jun 2024

Dear Mayor Sager and Councillors
District of West Vancouver

bc forced densification

My name is John Noble and I am a resident of West Vancouver.

I very much oppose the BC forced densification of West Vancouver

Please **do not redact** my name or my home address or my email address.

Thank you.

John Noble
john.m.noble@gmail.com

From: Marcella Szel [REDACTED] s. 22(1)
Sent: Saturday, June 1, 2024 6:20 PM
To: marcella.szel@gmail.com; Christine Cassidy; Linda Watt; Nora Gambioli; Peter Lambur; Scott Snider; Sharon Thompson; Mayor Mark Sager; correspondence
Subject: Bill 44 deification = +

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Marcella Szel

**2595 Bellevue Ave
West Vancouver
V7V 1E3**

01 Jun 2024

Dear Mayor Sager and Councillors
District of West Vancouver

Bill 44 deification

My name is Marcella Szel and I am a resident of West Vancouver.

I support the decision of council defeating the motion regarding Bill 44. The councillors who spoke clearly defined the issues.

Please **do not redact** my name or my home address or my email address.

Thank you.

Marcella Szel
marcella.szel@gmail.com

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Sent: Saturday, June 1, 2024 6:52 PM
To: [REDACTED] s. 22(1) Christine Cassidy; Linda Watt; Nora Gambioli; Peter Lambur; Scott Snider; Sharon Thompson; Mayor Mark Sager; correspondence
Subject: NDP governments push for increased housing in west van =+

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[REDACTED] s. 22(1)

West Vancouver

[REDACTED] s. 22(1)

01 Jun 2024

Dear Mayor Sager and Councillors
District of West Vancouver

NDP governments push for increased housing in west van

My name is [REDACTED] s. 22(1) and I am a resident of West Vancouver.

I oppose the NDP governments densification plan for West Vancouver.

Thank you.

[REDACTED] s. 22(1)

From: [REDACTED] s. 22(1)
Sent: Saturday, June 1, 2024 7:11 PM
To: [REDACTED] s. 22(1); Christine Cassidy; Linda Watt; Nora Gambioli; Peter Lambur; Scott Snider; Sharon Thompson; Mayor Mark Sager; correspondence
Subject: No to Bill 44 =+

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[REDACTED] s. 22(1)

West Vancouver

[REDACTED] s. 22(1)

01 Jun 2024

Dear Mayor Sager and Councillors
District of West Vancouver

No to Bill 44

My name is [REDACTED] s. 22(1) and I am a resident of West Vancouver.

Thank you council for your unanimous decision to vote no to bill 44.
I applaud you and agree 100%.

Thank you.

[REDACTED] s. 22(1)

From: Dan Green [REDACTED] s. 22(1)
Sent: Saturday, June 1, 2024 7:31 PM
To: modan@shaw.ca; Christine Cassidy; Linda Watt; Nora Gambioli; Peter Lambur; Scott Snider; Sharon Thompson; Mayor Mark Sager; correspondence
Subject: Bill 44 = +

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Dan Green
1200 Inglewood Ave
West Vancouver, BC
V7T1Y6

01 Jun 2024

Dear Mayor Sager and Councillors
District of West Vancouver

Bill 44

My name is Dan Green and I am a resident of West Vancouver.

I am not in favour of provincial government Bill 44 and I totally agree with the points made regarding this bill by the City Council of West Vancouver.

Please **do not redact** my name or my home address or my email address.

Thank you.

Dan Green
modan@shaw.ca

From: Beverley Newton [REDACTED] s. 22(1)
Sent: Saturday, June 1, 2024 10:46 PM
To: lecharmarey@gmail.com; Christine Cassidy; Linda Watt; Nora Gambioli; Peter Lambur; Scott Snider; Sharon Thompson; Mayor Mark Sager; correspondence
Subject: Development bill 44 =+

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Beverley Newton
4297 Morgan Crescent
West Vancouver V7V 2P1

02 Jun 2024

Dear Mayor Sager and Councillors
District of West Vancouver

Development bill 44

My name is Beverley Newton and I am a resident of West Vancouver.

Council should oppose in all ways adopting Bill 44.
Even if that requires legal action.

Please **do not redact** my name or my home address or my email address.

Thank you.

Beverley Newton
lecharmarey@gmail.com

From: [REDACTED] s. 22(1)
Sent: Sunday, June 2, 2024 1:09 AM
To: [REDACTED] s. 22(1) Christine Cassidy; Linda Watt; Nora Gambioli; Peter Lambur; Scott Snider; Sharon Thompson; Mayor Mark Sager; correspondence
Subject: Bill 44 = +

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[REDACTED] s. 22(1)

West vancouver

[REDACTED] s. 22(1)

02 Jun 2024

Dear Mayor Sager and Councillors
District of West Vancouver

Bill 44

My name is [REDACTED] s. 22(1) and I am a resident of West Vancouver.

I applaud council in their recent decision to not blindly follow the edicts under our current federal and provincial governments. Community planning should reflect the nature of neighborhoods. Currently we have insufficient parking on [REDACTED] s. 22(1) leading to access challenges on a street where young adults are walking to and from school. Adding more densification will only exacerbate this situation . Thank you

Thank you.

[REDACTED] s. 22(1)

From: Peter Curtis [REDACTED] s. 22(1)
Sent: Sunday, June 2, 2024 6:04 AM
To: peteracurtis@shaw.ca; Christine Cassidy; Linda Watt; Nora Gambioli; Peter Lambur; Scott Snider; Sharon Thompson; Mayor Mark Sager; correspondence
Subject: Densification = +

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Peter Curtis
2519 Highgrove Mews
West Vancouver
BC. V7S 0A4

02 Jun 2024

Dear Mayor Sager and Councillors
District of West Vancouver

Densification

My name is Peter Curtis and I am a resident of West Vancouver.

I am against the radical potential demands of the current provincial NDP government. This message pertains to forced densification of currently single dwelling lots to multi-dwelling. This action follows hard on the ill-considered Lands Act modifications that the NDP had considered.

I am against such broad reaching acts by government, I suggest that new lots are rather targeted for such zoning purposes, and that rezoning of existing single dwelling lots follow the standard rezoning considerations, including that of the impacts of neighbours to the lot under consideration.

Please **do not redact** my name or my home address or my email address.

Thank you.

Peter Curtis
peteracurtis@shaw.ca

From: s. 22(1)
Sent: Sunday, June 2, 2024 6:49 AM
To: s. 22(1) Christine Cassidy; Linda Watt; Nora Gambioli; Peter Lambur; Scott Snider; Sharon Thompson; Mayor Mark Sager; correspondence
Subject: Bill 44 = +

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02 Jun 2024

Dear Mayor Sager and Councillors
District of West Vancouver

Bill 44

My name is s. 22(1) and I am a resident of West Vancouver.

Thank you, Council, for not approving Bill 44. The housing problem did not happen overnight, and this bill will not solve the problem overnight. Thoughtful planning is what we want and expect in our community. However, the permitting process in West Vancouver does need to be streamlined and simplified, as soon as possible. This is a major roadblock to increasing housing in our community.

Thank you,

Thank you.

s. 22(1)

From: [REDACTED] s. 22(1)
Sent: Sunday, June 2, 2024 12:15 PM
To: [REDACTED] s. 22(1) Christine Cassidy; Linda Watt; Nora Gambioli; Peter Lambur; Scott Snider; Sharon Thompson; Mayor Mark Sager; correspondence
Subject: NDP ATTEMPT TO RAM BILL 44 =+

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[REDACTED] s. 22(1)

West Van

[REDACTED] s. 22(1)

02 Jun 2024

Dear Mayor Sager and Councillors
District of West Vancouver

NDP ATTEMPT TO RAM BILL 44

My name is [REDACTED] s. 22(1) and I am a resident of West Vancouver.

Kudos to all Councillors, especially the 3 who spoke out against this bill, & especially to Councillor Watt who phrased her comments so clearly & well; she has exposed a serious character flaw inherent in our present Premier. Consider that under Premier Horgan, legislation created little or no contentious reaction; under Eby, barely a year into his unelected job, we have a street drug fiasco, this Bill 44 strong arm attempt to force municipalities to do his bidding, and a sly & incomprehensible attempt to give first nations carte blanche judgement on all decisions related to crown land use. Scarcely a positive result anywhere among these cases!

Thank you.

[REDACTED] s. 22(1)

From: Penny Gayton [REDACTED] s. 22(1)
Sent: Sunday, June 2, 2024 12:49 PM
To: pennygayton@gmail.com; Christine Cassidy; Linda Watt; Nora Gambioli; Peter Lambur; Scott Snider; Sharon Thompson; Mayor Mark Sager; correspondence
Subject: pennygayton@gmail.com =+

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Penny Gayton
5145 Ashfeild Road
West Vancouver
V7W2X4

02 Jun 2024

Dear Mayor Sager and Councillors
District of West Vancouver

pennygayton@gmail.com

My name is Penny Gayton and I am a resident of West Vancouver.

Thank you for your stance on Bill 44. I am in total agreement.

Please **do not redact** my name or my home address or my email address.

Thank you.

Penny Gayton
pennygayton@gmail.com

From: Noreen Tilley [REDACTED] s. 22(1)
Sent: Sunday, June 2, 2024 1:57 PM
To: noreentilley@icloud.com; Christine Cassidy; Linda Watt; Nora Gambioli; Peter Lambur; Scott Snider; Sharon Thompson; Mayor Mark Sager; correspondence
Subject: Civixwestvan = +

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Noreen Tilley
606 14th Street
West Vancouver
V7T2R3

02 Jun 2024

Dear Mayor Sager and Councillors
District of West Vancouver

Civixwestvan

My name is Noreen Tilley and I am a resident of West Vancouver.

I agree with councils decision regarding Bill 44

Please **do not redact** my name or my home address or my email address.

Thank you.

Noreen Tilley
noreentilley@icloud.com

From: Kenneth MacLeod [REDACTED] s. 22(1)
Sent: Monday, June 3, 2024 3:51 PM
To: macleodofcanada@gmail.com; Christine Cassidy; Linda Watt; Nora Gambioli; Peter Lambur; Scott Snider; Sharon Thompson; Mayor Mark Sager; correspondence
Subject: BC Bill 44 = +

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Kenneth MacLeod
5030 Bear Lane
West Vancouver
V7W 1L1

03 Jun 2024

Dear Mayor Sager and Councillors
District of West Vancouver

BC Bill 44

My name is Kenneth MacLeod and I am a resident of West Vancouver.

Bill 44 would result in the destruction of the unique character of West Vancouver. I do not support any aspect of Bill 44

Please **do not redact** my name or my home address or my email address.

Thank you.

Kenneth MacLeod
macleodofcanada@gmail.com

From: s. 22(1)
Sent: Monday, June 3, 2024 6:59 PM
To: correspondence
Subject: opposition to rezoning

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Dear Council,

I am to oppose the cities rejection of rezoning that would have allowed additional coach houses and secondary suites on about 200 residential properties.

First and foremost, you state that most single family lots in West Vancouver allow coach houses. In reality, restrictive rules for development permits and extreme zoning regulations are a real deterrent and make it extremely difficult to build a coach house on a property in West Vancouver.

I do not believe that an increase in coach houses in our neighbourhoods would destroy that nature and character of our community. I invite you to take a stroll in Vancouver between Main and Cambie, a vibrant community where coach houses have provided homes for young people to raise their young children.

Furthermore, there are many families in our community who have grown children who love living in West Vancouver and want to start raising their young children here but are forced out by the high cost of homes. Coach houses could provide an alternative for young families to stay close to their aging parents and remain in their community that they love.

Lastly, the apartments that Linda Watts refers to above the highway, in most cases do not provide access to the blue bus system. Lower income families and most young people need transport to take them to their jobs. Therefore, I do not feel that these living spaces should be included in your tally of places the city is providing as a living space.

Respectfully,

s. 22(1)

West Vancouver

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From: [REDACTED] s. 22(1)
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To: correspondence
Subject: Horseshoe Bay Park

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Hi

We stopped at Horseshoe Bay Park on Friday May 31 while we waited for our ferry. As you know Horseshoe Bay is an exceptional natural setting that we enjoy. Thank you for your efforts to update the park. Unfortunately the geese droppings have made it disgusting. The grassed areas are unusable. The concrete walkway was more than disgusting with feces smeared all over it. Once on the walkway there was no way to avoid it. Geese are grazers, preferring open lawn grass. My suggestion is to remove all the grass. Replacement options include hard surfacing the area so that it is not an inviting area for the geese. Alternatively replace the grass with a rain garden with plants that are not favoured by geese or some form of pollinator friendly garden.

Thank you

[REDACTED] s.22(1)

Nanaimo BC

[REDACTED] s.22(1)

From: [REDACTED] s. 22(1)
Sent: Monday, June 3, 2024 12:07 PM
To: Mayor Mark Sager; Nora Gambioli; Christine Cassidy; Linda Watt; Peter Lambur; Scott Snider; Sharon Thompson; correspondence
Subject: Councillor's Motion regarding Alcoholic Beverages in Horseshoe Bay Park and Whytecliff Park (File: 0120-06)

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Dear Mayor and Councillors,

I write to you on the above captioned agenda item (June 3, 2024, Regular Council Meeting) with concern for the unstated but obvious social costs that will be hoisted upon the West Vancouver ratepayers if this motion receives majority support. My concerns are expressed below. Those concerns are not trivial, nor are they dismissible out of hand. As payors of the property tax (up 7%+ this year over last year) and ratepayers (utility fees up 5%+ this year), we cover over 90% of the fixed and variable running costs (recreation and culture user-fees cover only the cost of the contractors providing those services), every motion of council brings with it additional costs that are usually ignored or brushed under the carpet by Council. This was the case in the year 2006 [REDACTED] s.22(1) the Council Committee styled as the "Fiscal Sustainability Task Force". I am sorry to say that the more things change, the more they stay the same -- special interests capture councillors and the general residents are none the wiser but are expected to foot the bill arising from the special interests' demands. This is not necessarily the case here, but it could be given the mention of the Horseshoe Bay Village local business interests in the ultimate "Whereas...". My specific remarks on this Motion follow below.

This is a 'feel-good' motion. It ignores the social costs that will be incurred. Those social costs include increased litter and trash that the municipal rate-payers will be on the hook to provide additional fees to cover the cost of collection and disposal (cf., District of West Vancouver Utility quarterly bills for "Public-domain" waste collection), and additional police service patrols to monitor under-age drinking and adult drunkenness (incl. but not limited to driving under the influence).

The key assumption made by the mover is that alcohol will be consumed "responsibly". What if it isn't consumed "responsibly"? Whytecliff Park is out of the way. WVPD patrols are effectively non-existent in 2024 in the Horseshoe Bay-Whytecliff area. There was a time when there was a "Horseshoe Bay constable" making routine patrols in the Horseshoe Bay area. That was then. Today, not a hint of constable from WVPD.

The mover states "this amendment will likely provide a boost to the local business community in Horseshoe Bay." This is an example of 'projection' by the mover. The mover has no notion of whether visitors to Whytecliff Park will visit Horseshoe Bay

Village businesses to purchase groceries, supplies, and alcohol on their way to Whytecliff Park. They probably won't, having made their purchases before they depart from home.

As to Horseshoe Bay Park visitors, they fall into three categories: (a) visitors who view Horseshoe Bay Park as a destination for recreation and bring their families along for a picnic; (b) transients passing through Horseshoe Bay on their way to the Sunshine Coast or Vancouver Island via BC Ferries; and (c) indigent transients who stay over night in the park because of a lack of hotel fare or because of preference for sleeping under the stars during fair weather summer nights. The first category will bring their own beverages with them from home. The second category will dine and drink in a restaurant or pub rather than buy liquor from "off-premises sales". Persons in the third category are possible customers for "off-premises sales", but are not likely to provide a boost to local businesses for the same reason that they are unlikely to seek a hotel room -- want of money.

In any event, it is unlikely that off-premises sales of alcoholic beverages will increase for the one or two 'off-premises liquor sales' vendors that exist in the Village. The sales, if any, will be indistinguishable from other purchases. And, we might note that the mover has no means, and no intention, of monitoring such sales to prove the mover's contention. Call it political puffery, for that is what it is.

Routine police presence in West Vancouver has been on a declining trend these past few years. That trend won't be altered by this motion, and the mover makes no mention of police patrols to Whytecliff Park, or Horseshoe Bay Park, to support the local community if the consumption of alcoholic beverages becomes a permitted use in those parks.

One reason why the consumption of liquor is permitted in Ambleside Landing, Millennium Park, John Lawson Park (excluding the playground) and the western portion of Dundarave Park (excluding playground) from noon to dusk, seven days per week, is that WVPD can patrol and respond to complaints promptly and with relative ease from the WVPD public safety building on the site of the Municipal Hall. That isn't case for Whytecliff Park and Horseshoe Bay Park. Response times for those two parks is on the order of 20 to 30 minutes or more, depending on the demand for police services from other parts of West Vancouver and the North Shore, Lions Gate Bridge, Burnaby and Vancouver.

Council funds but doesn't control the activities of the WVPD. WVPD is a municipal police force, to be sure, but it is under the control and direction of the provincial government. The WVPD board will have to be consulted. There is no indication that the mover considered consulting the WVPD board before making the notice of motion. Add that to the tasks that District staff must undertake before an amendment to Bylaw 5118 is considered.

All in all, this motion is ill-conceived and poorly thought out. Council should not vote for the motion, for good and sufficient reasons along the lines outlined herein.

Sincerely,

s. 22(1)

West Vancouver, BC

s. 22(1)

s. 22(1)

From: Paul Whitehouse [REDACTED] s. 22(1)
Sent: Tuesday, June 4, 2024 4:09 PM
To: pswhitehouse@icloud.com; Christine Cassidy; Linda Watt; Nora Gambioli; Peter Lambur; Scott Snider; Sharon Thompson; Mark Sager, Mayor; correspondence
Subject: 2023 Budget = +

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Paul Whitehouse
2180 Argyle Ave
West Vancouver
V7V 1A4

04 Jun 2024

Dear Mayor Sager and Councillors
District of West Vancouver

2023 Budget

My name is Paul Whitehouse and I am a resident of West Vancouver.

Please consider keeping the same property tax rate for rental properties.

Please **do not redact** my name or my home address or my email address.

Thank you.

Paul Whitehouse
pswhitehouse@icloud.com

**THE CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF WEST VANCOUVER
ARTS & CULTURE STRATEGY UPDATE SUBCOMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES
PACIFIC ROOM, MUNICIPAL HALL
TUESDAY, MAY 7, 2024**

Committee Members: S. Swan (Chair), K. Hall, and M. Wilberg attended the meeting in the Pacific Room, Municipal Hall.

Staff: D. Niedermayer, Senior Manager, Cultural Services (Staff Representative); and A. Nomura, Cultural Services Department Secretary (Committee Clerk) attended the meeting in the Pacific Room, Municipal Hall.

1. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 4:32 p.m.

2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

It was Moved and Seconded:

THAT the May 7, 2024 Arts & Culture Strategy Update Subcommittee meeting agenda be approved as circulated.

CARRIED

M. Wilberg absent at vote

3. ADOPTION OF MINUTES

It was Moved and Seconded:

THAT the April 24, 2024 Arts & Culture Strategy Update Subcommittee meeting minutes be adopted as circulated.

CARRIED

M. Wilberg absent at vote

REPORTS / ITEMS

4. Arts & Culture Strategy (2018-2023) Update Discussion

M. Wilberg entered the meeting at 4:34 p.m.

Subcommittee members discussed the questions to be asked in meetings with business associations and schools.

The following questions were formulated for business associations:

- Are you familiar with areas or zones that are lively with arts programming?
- Do you think the atmosphere created by arts programming in the business district would help drive business? If so, would you support a change in the busking bylaws?
- How could your business association support the development of arts in West Vancouver?

- Are there other methods to enliven the streetscape?

The discussion then moved onto questions to be asked for schools:

- How can the ACAC and the District help you extend and amplify the programs, workshops and courses you already have in motion?
- Would additional workshops, classes and/or artist in residence programmes, with professional artists, be of assistance to you?
- If they would be, how best could the ACAC and the District be of assistance?
- Are you looking for more ways to collaborate with arts organizations in the community?

Members also discussed funding for an arts facility and suggested meeting with the West Vancouver Foundation to discuss the culture of giving at an individual level.

The draft questions discussed will be finalized before the next Arts & Culture Advisory Committee meeting on May 16, where they will be presented by K. Hall.

It was Moved and Seconded:

THAT the discussion regarding Arts & Culture Strategy (2018-2023) Update Discussion be received for information.

CARRIED

5. PUBLIC QUESTIONS

There were no questions.

6. NEXT MEETING

Staff confirmed that the next Arts & Culture Strategy Update Subcommittee meeting is scheduled for May 28, 2024 at 4:30 p.m. and held in-person in the Pacific Room, Municipal Hall.

7. ADJOURNMENT

It was Moved and Seconded:

THAT the May 7, 2024 Arts & Culture Strategy Update Subcommittee meeting be adjourned.

CARRIED

The meeting adjourned at 5:41 p.m.

Certified Correct:

s. 22(1)

Chair

s. 22(1)

Committee Clerk

From: Weiler, Patrick - M.P. <Patrick.Weiler@parl.gc.ca>
Sent: Friday, May 31, 2024 12:08 PM
To: Weiler, Patrick - M.P.
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Good afternoon,

Please see the attached letter from MP Patrick Weiler regarding a call for applications for the small projects component of the Enabling Accessibility Fund (EAF).

Sincerely,

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Patrick Weiler

Member of Parliament
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May 31, 2024

Dear Friends & Neighbours,

More inclusive and accessible spaces, services and workplaces are critical to helping Canadians, including persons with disabilities, to fully participate and meaningfully contribute to society and the economy. The Government of Canada is strongly committed to support organizations that increase accessibility and inclusion in their communities and contributing to creating a barrier-free access for everyone.

This week, as part of National AccessAbility Week 2024, we **launched a new call for proposals (CFP) under the small projects component of the Enabling Accessibility Fund (EAF).**

Under this new CFP, \$14.7 million has been allocated to fund approximately 150 small scale construction projects across the country. Each project could receive up to \$125,000, and priority will be given to accessibility projects led by Indigenous organizations and projects led by organizations that deliver services to support persons with disabilities living in poverty, such as shelters, food banks and clothing charities.

We also announced over \$18.7 million in funding for 264 projects submitted under the EAF small 2022 CFP process that are driving positive change in communities across the country. This funding is in addition to the \$70.8 million announced in May 2023, for 902 accessibility projects that are helping to increase the social and labour market participation of persons with disabilities, which brings the Government's total investment under the 2022 CFP to more than \$89 million.

The EAF program supports the Government's Disability Inclusion Action Plan (DIAP), which is focused on reducing poverty among persons with disabilities, helping persons with disabilities into good quality jobs, facilitating easier access to federal programs and services, and building accessible and inclusive communities while fostering a culture of inclusion.

Organizations have until 12:00 p.m. PDT on July 23, 2024 to submit a proposal online at Enabling Accessibility Fund - Small Projects.

Employment and Social Development Canada will hold virtual information sessions to provide an overview of this application process for organizations interested in applying for funding. The dates for the sessions are as follows:

- June 18, 2024, at 10:00 AM PDT
- June 26, 2024, at 10:00 AM PDT
- July 9, 2024, at 10:00 AM PDT

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If you would like to attend an information session, send an email to NC-HIP-PIP-EAF_ODI-GD@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca. In your email, specify the date and your preferred language (English or French). If you require accommodations to participate, please let us know 10 business days prior to the information session.

For more information or questions on the EAF, [please see this webpage](#) and the following contact information:

General information

- Enquiries will be answered between May 28, 2024 to July 19, 2024, at 12:00 pm PDT.
- **Email:** NC-HIP-PIP-EAF_ODI-GD@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca

Technical help

- Contact us here for technical help related to the EAF small projects calculator.
- **Email:** NC-HIP-PIP-EAF_ODI-GD@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca
- Contact us here for technical help related to the Grants and Contribution Online Services (GCOS).
- **Email:** NA-GCOS-SELSC-GD@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca

Accessibility and disability help

- If you have questions or need an accommodation, please email us before July 19, 2024, at 12:00 pm PDT.
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If you require our assistance, please do not hesitate to reach out to our office. We would be more than happy to support your application in any way that we can.

Sincerely,



Patrick Weiler, MP
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May 31, 2024

Dear Friends & Neighbours,

Every Canadian deserves to fully participate in a country that is free of physical, societal and attitudinal barriers. The Government of Canada is committed to invest and support community projects that help remove barriers to accessibility, increase disability inclusion, and provide greater opportunities for persons with disabilities across every province and territory.

This week, as part of National AccessAbility Week (NAAW) 2024, Minister of Diversity, Inclusion and Persons with Disabilities, Kamal Khara, **launched a new call for proposals (CFP) under the Accessible Canada Fund – NAAW stream of the Social Development Partnerships Program – Disability component (SDPP-D).**

Under this new CFP, up to \$2 million over two years is available to support up to 20 projects that will help:

- improve understanding and knowledge among Canadians about accessibility and disability inclusion, including through NAAW activities taking place in 2025 and 2026;
- reduce stigma and attitudinal barriers towards persons with disabilities; and,
- share best practices and lessons learned within the disability community on NAAW activities, to help support the broader culture change objectives of the Accessible Canada Act.

The Minister also announced that 12 organizations across the country received approximately \$1.5 million in funding over two years as a result of the 2022 call for proposals under the same program.

Eligible organizations have until July 17, 2024, at 12:00 p.m. PDT to apply for funding by going to the [Accessible Canada Fund – NAAW stream webpage](#) and accessing the Application for Funding Form and instructions.

Employment and Social Development Canada will hold information sessions to give an overview of this application process. You can participate online or by teleconference on:

- June 12, 2024 at 11 a.m. PDT

The session will include *langue des signes québécoise (LSQ)* and American Sign Language (ASL) interpretation, as well as live captioning.

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If you are interested, send an email to EDSC.AC.NAAW-SNA.CA.ESDC@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca by June 10, 2024 at 11 a.m. PDT

In your email, please specify your preferred language (English or French). We will send you the instructions on how to attend.

If you cannot attend and would like a copy of the presentation, send an email to EDSC.AC.NAAW-SNA.CA.ESDC@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca after June 13, 2024.

If you have any questions or require more information, you can reach out to the contact information below.

General information

- Enquiries will be answered between May 29, 2024 and July 15, 2024 at 10:00 a.m. PDT
- **Email:** EDSC.AC.NAAW-SNA.CA.ESDC@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca

Accessibility and disability help

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If you require our assistance, please do not hesitate to reach out to our office. We would be more than happy to support your application in any way that we can.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be 'P. Weiler', written in a cursive style.

Patrick Weiler, MP
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MAY 2024 NEWSLETTER

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Dear Mayor and Council,

As we approach the end of the spring parliamentary sitting, it continues to be a very busy time in Ottawa with late night sittings, committee hearings, and parliamentary debate as we work to pass legislation before the House rises for the summer. With [inflation now down to 2.7%](#), among the lowest in the G7, our government is continuing to work to support Canadians and make life more affordable.

I'm also excited to announce that I am moving on from my role on Finance Committee (FINA) to take on new committee assignments with the Public Accounts Committee (PACP) and Indigenous and Northern Affairs Committee (INAN), the latter for which I am honoured to have been elected as Chair. As someone who has worked in aboriginal law and previously served on INAN, this is an opportunity I am humbled to take on.

From May 5-11, we marked Emergency Preparedness Week in Canada, a way to highlight the importance of getting our loved ones, homes, and communities ready for any emergency. Our region has a myriad of risks and hazards to account for, from earthquakes, flooding, and

the great outdoors, and more; that is why it is vital that we all take steps to get prepared. I had the pleasure of visiting the Sea to Sky to hear from Search and Rescue teams, firefighters, and other experts to show us how we can all better prepare for emergencies. [Watch this video to learn more.](#)

Here in the riding, I had the pleasure of joining the shíshálh council, hiwus Joe, MLA Nicholas Simons and others at the long-awaited opening of the [Our House of Clans housing project](#), which provides 34 much-needed affordable housing units for the community.

I also visited the newly renovated Men's Shed in Pemberton and joined the Coast for May Day celebrations. Capping off the month, I was excited to join the District of West Vancouver in [announcing a new park](#) that will protect 781 hectares of forest lands, including lands around the Old Growth Conservancy.

Finally, I want to take the time to highlight the extraordinary actions of someone in our community. Chris Evans [saved the life of a neighbour](#) by going into his burning home and carrying him out. I was proud to recognize him in the House of Commons as a hero and good samaritan, which you can watch below.



Parliamentary Updates

Amendments to Legislation in Finance Committee



This month, my team and I have been diligently working through key legislation in the Finance Committee. In addition to collaborating with colleagues from other parties on a myriad of bills, I was pleased to introduce measures protecting Canadians against greenwashing which I hope will be adopted.

Election as Chair of the Indigenous and Northern Affairs Committee



This past week, I have made the transition from Finance Committee to two new committee placements. While it has been extremely rewarding to work on important legislation like the Fall Economic Statement and the Budget Implementation Act, I am excited to announce that I have been elected as Chair of the Standing Committee on Indigenous and Northern Affairs (INAN). I am pleased to be returning to this committee after a brief period in Finance, and I am also eager to contribute in a similar role on the Standing Committee on Public Accounts.

Stop Ecocide Press Conference



To end the month, I am thrilled to table an electronic petition and sponsor a multi-partisan press conference to show support for making ecocide a fifth crime at the International Criminal Court (ICC), alongside genocide, war crimes, crimes against humanity, and crimes of aggression. Ecocide refers to mass damage and destruction to the natural living world. This petition has received more than 1200 signatures over two months, and places Canada as a global leader in the fight against ecocide.

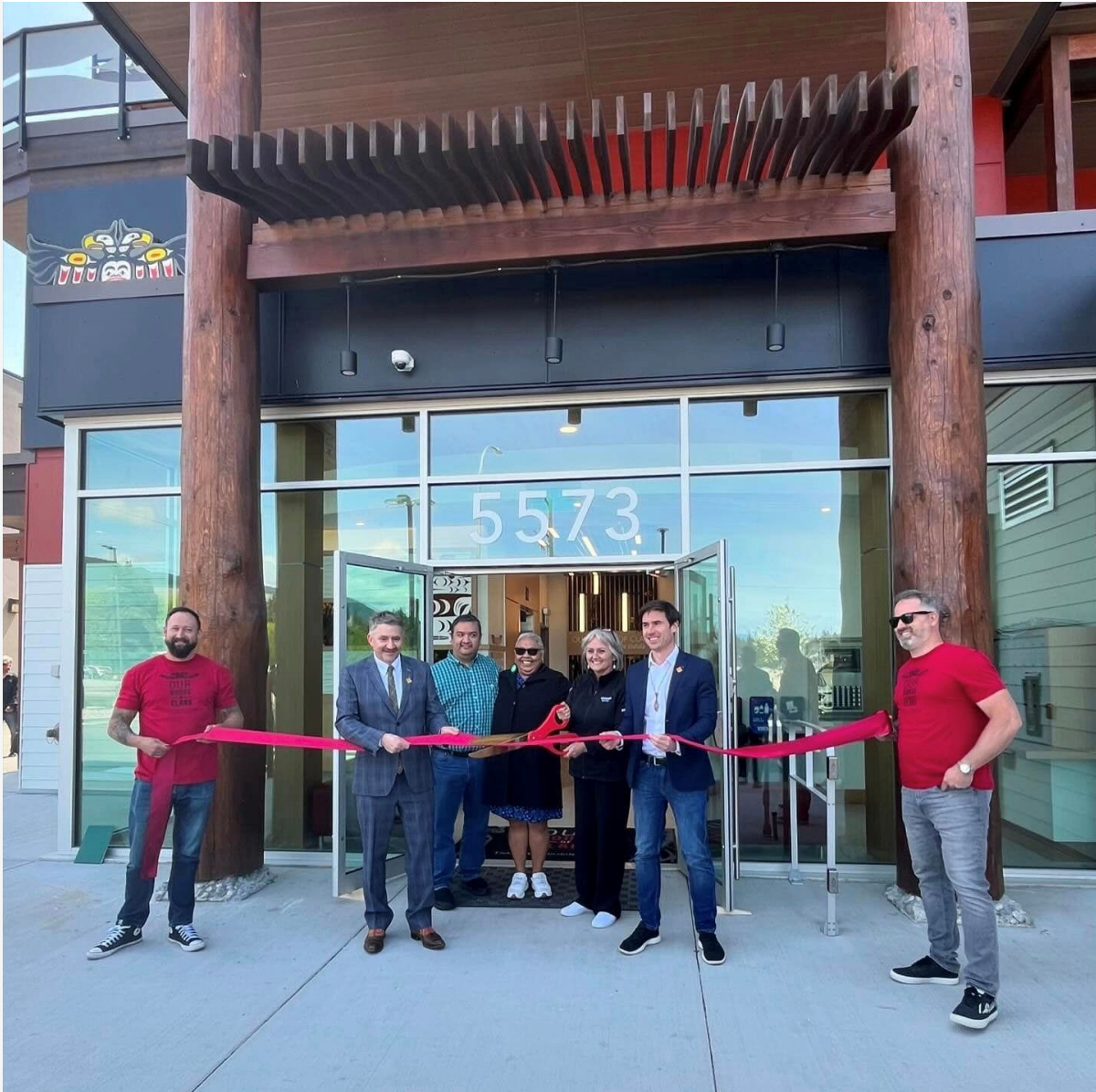
Supporting an Arms Embargo on Israel

The latest news of Israeli strikes killing many innocent displaced civilians in Rafah highlights the urgent need for an immediate ceasefire and for the enforcement of international law. With Government of Israel's continued prosecution of the war in defiance of the ICJ's orders, and the ICC application for arrest warrants for Israeli Prime Minister Netanyahu and Defence Minister Yoav Gallant for their management of the conflict, a strong case can be made that there is a substantial risk that Canadian arms may be used to commit violations of humanitarian law.

I therefore support the call to suspend the trading of weapons and military technology with the Government of Israel. In so doing, Canada can remain consistent in its support for the international rules-based system, international law and its responsibilities as a signatory to the Arms Trade Treaty.

Constituency Updates

Opening Our House of Clans



May 17th was a very special day on the Sunshine Coast as the shíshálh Nation's Our House of Clans housing project officially opened. Over two-thirds of the residential tenants have already moved into this stunning building, which is filled with traditional artwork, making it beautiful and welcoming both inside and out.

This project is a result of many people and organizations working together, and I am proud of the fact that our government has worked to support this project, with \$2.8 million through the federal Affordable Housing Fund.

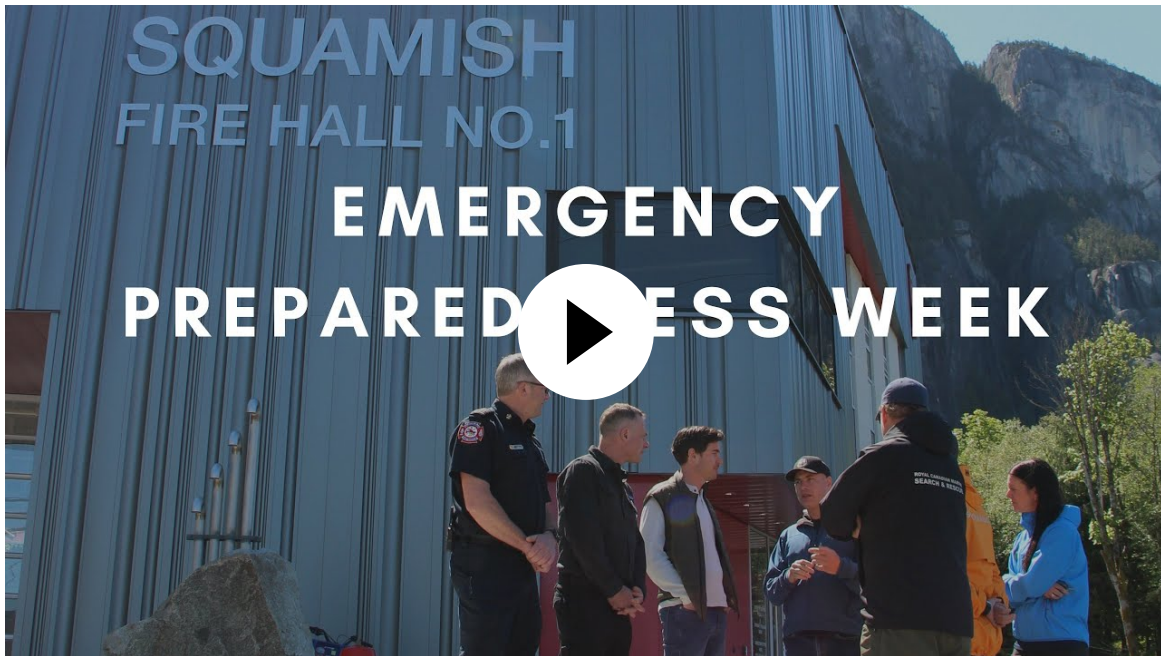
On June 23rd, the reconciliation pole started by the late master carver Tony Paul, is scheduled to be raised. He guided me and hundreds of other people in adding their hands to this project. I am looking forward to being on the Coast to be a part of this very wonderful celebration.

A New Park in West Vancouver



On Monday, May 27 I joined BC Parks, municipal representatives and members of the community to announce the indefinite protection of land in West Vancouver through a new park. The park will be 781 hectares – double the size of Stanley Park – and will include lands around the Old Growth Conservancy which are home to an important stand of old growth trees. I am grateful to all those involved in this project for protecting nature in our community.

Emergency Preparedness Week



There was no better way to spend Emergency Preparedness week than with some local heroes in the Sea to Sky. Thank you to Fire Chief Aaron Foote Fire Hall 1 manager, Ryan Donahue and all members of Squamish Fire Rescue, Squamish Search and Rescue, and the Royal Canadian Marine Search and Rescue Station 4 for all their hard work and taking the time to meet this month.

Being informed is one of the most important things you can do in case of an emergency. If you haven't checked it out already, we made a video with these three response agencies who shared some important tips and resources for Emergency Preparedness Week. You can watch that video above.

Also - stay tuned for a newsletter from me on emergency preparedness in the next few weeks!

May Day 2024



May Day is always a highlight of the year in Pender Harbour on the Sunshine Coast. It was a great event, and I enjoyed connecting with so many people, groups and organizations who make this community so wonderful. Special thanks to Pender Harbour Ocean Discovery Station (PODS) for hosting me on their float and showing me their plans for the new centre on Irvines Landing Road. I am looking forward to seeing it come to life!

Constituency Youth Councils with Minister Guilbeault

On Monday May 13th, the federal Minister of Environment and Climate Change Steven Guilbeault hosted a roundtable with members of Constituency Youth Councils across the Lower Mainland. It was well attended, with around 40 young people turning up to engage with the Minister and ask him questions about Canada's environmental policy, how we're doing and why it's important for young people to get involved.

See the video below to hear their views on why environmental policy is important to them.



Celebrating the Men's Shed Opening

Earlier in May, I was at the Pemberton Valley's Men's Shed to celebrate their move into a newly renovated space after nine years of operation. The Men's Shed is a powerhouse of health and well-being that recognizes and addresses the barriers to social inclusion faced by our senior community members. Social isolation and loneliness significantly impact our overall health and mental well-being. We want every member of our community to feel valued, safe, and respected for who they are, and to develop connections that allow them to live life to the fullest.

The Men's Shed movement originated in Australia and has grown rapidly across the globe. There are over 100 sheds in Canada with three in our constituency alone. I know that is in large part because of the work of Robert Goluch, leading Men's Shed Canada to expand the great work done here across the country. I want to congratulate Derek Walton, Richard Megeney, Ted Craddock, and the whole team for the hard work they put into making this a reality.



Returning Land to the Lil'wat Nation

In 2022, Lil'wat Nation and School District 48 signed a historic agreement returning 98 hectares of Pemberton-area land back to the Lil'wat Nation. The land has significant cultural value to Lil'wat7úl, having been the location of a Lil'wat village, prior to colonization. Their long-term vision for the site is to develop it as a place for wellness and healing. The land was previously home to the Coast Mountain Outdoor School (CMOS) where the fourth Nukw7ántwal Regional Gathering took place this month.

Organized by the Squamish-Lillooet Regional District (SLRD), Village of Pemberton, and Lil'wat Nation, this was a wonderful opportunity to meet with the elected officials and senior staff from these organizations as well as elected officials from the communities of N'Quatqua and Samahquam. I feel incredibly grateful to have been able to share space with such amazing people and look forward to supporting the nations' vision and path to healing.

Opening the Sp'akw'us Feather Park



This month, I also joined the community of Squamish for the soft opening and honouring ceremony of Sp'akw'us Feather Park with Sk̓wx̓wú7mesh Úxwumixw (Squamish Nation). The ceremony took place early Saturday morning to honour all those who contributed to the park. This includes amazing work by the Squamish méhmen (children) whose contributions and designs reference important Squamish oral histories. The park is now open for people to visit the playground, beaches, lawn areas, see the local art installations and more.

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Good afternoon,
Please see the attached letter from MP Patrick Weiler regarding an announcement that the Government of Canada is providing \$530 million to municipalities through the Green Municipal Fund to help communities adapt to climate change.

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June 3, 2024

Dear Friends & Neighbours,

Today, the Government of Canada and the Federation of Canadian Municipalities **announced the Local Leadership for Climate Adaptation (LLCA) initiative, through the Green Municipal Fund.**

This \$530-million initiative represents one of the largest ever investments in building liveable and resilient communities in preparation for climate change in Canadian history and is a key initiative under Canada's National Adaptation Strategy. Through collaboration with local governments, the initiative will support adaptation planning, capacity building, implementation, and financing, to help municipalities and their partners build long-term, resilient infrastructure. By 2031, the initiative will have funded more than 1,400 municipal activities.

As part of today's announcement, the federally funded Green Municipal Fund is accepting applications through its website under the Adaptation in Action funding stream of LLCA. In all, there are three funding streams that will provide substantial support for municipalities to carry out climate adaptation projects. In addition to support for climate adaptation planning, municipalities can apply for up to \$1 million for implementation projects and up to \$70,000 for feasibility studies. **Municipalities that have completed climate adaptation plans and/or risk assessments are eligible to apply. The deadline for applications is August 14, 2024.**

The Green Municipal Fund is also introducing funding for partner-led initiatives that will enable skills development and training to help local governments build more resilient communities. Eligible partners will receive funding and support to design and deliver training programs that equip municipalities with the tools they need for proactive and equitable climate resilience planning.

[For more information about this funding opportunity, please see this webpage.](#)

Please do not hesitate to reach out to our office if you have any questions or concerns. We would be more than happy to support your application in any way that we can.

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From: Matthew OConnor
Sent: Wednesday, May 22, 2024 10:27 AM
To: s. 22(1)
Cc: correspondence
Subject: Park Fee

Hello s. 22(1)

Thank you for your email and feedback regarding the Destination Parks Pay Parking program in West Vancouver. I am sorry to hear that s. 22(1) had trouble with using her cell phone to pay for parking at Whyte Lake/Nelson Canyon.

At their regular meeting on May 8, 2023, Council directed staff to initiate the initial phase of a pay parking program to include Lighthouse, Whyte Lake/Nelson Canyon, and Whytecliff parks. Staff will report back on the implementation of the first phase of the pay parking program after the program has been operational for six months. This will provide an opportunity to review and reflect on any learnings from the initial phase implementation period and amend the program accordingly. Read the Destination Parks Pay Parking Program Implementation report [here](#). I have noted your request for physical pay stations, and we will ensure that your feedback is captured.

Council provided direction to implement the program without physical pay stations. During the last few years, the parking industry has seen a move towards mobile applications such as Pay By Phone and static QR code-based payment portals. It is not unusual now to see a parking location that does not accept cash or direct credit card payment. With a desire to implement the program quickly and with minimal upfront capital cost investment and on-going maintenance associated with physical pay stations, the initial phase of the program will utilize mobile phone applications and direct access to a payment portal through a QR code on signage.

The program helps manage parking availability, maintain park infrastructure, and fund various amenities and services that benefit everyone who utilizes these spaces.

Staff will continue to look for ways to enhance cellular connectivity in all areas where this program is implemented. I would be happy to discuss this further with you. Feel free to reach out to me directly at 604-925-7153 or via email.

Sincerely,

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To: correspondence
Cc: [REDACTED] s. 22(1)
Subject: Park Fee

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Hello District of West Vancouver,

Recently, [REDACTED] s. 22(1) was at Whyte Lake and received a parking ticket of \$98.00 from Impark. She saw the sign asking her to pay for parking but no parking meter, she would have had to pay it online on her phone. If you have spent time in this area, you know that the reception there is spotty at best. Therefore, she could not get access into the system to pay for parking, assumed that the system must not be in place yet since there was nowhere to make a payment, and went for a brief walk. She came back to this incredibly expensive parking ticket.

We reached out to Impark disputes department to no satisfying resolve. Their dispute department phone numbers (3 of them) all inform you that they cannot connect the call, and then the line goes dead. It is ridiculous to implement a parking meter system without the parking meter. We are now aware that we require an annual park pass for several of West Vancouver Parks, but there should still be an available option to make a payment at the lot without the need for internet access if you do not have a pass.

On the issue of requiring the \$20 annual park pass, we resent this process! For years, many public park areas in the Greater Vancouver Area have charged for parking, but not West Vancouver. We allowed people to come in from anywhere outside of WV and park for free. In the many years that we have live in WV we have watched areas such as Ambleside get worn down by the thousands of visitors from outside of the District...leaving behind their picnic mess (our local tax dollars pay for the cleanup) and wearing down our parking lots which are now in incredible disrepair. For years, the WV has used our local tax dollars to pay for the cleanup after our visitors leave and our visitors did not pay a dime.

I would sincerely like to understand why are we asked to pay this petty, yet insulting, \$20/vehicle to park in our local parks? Why not charge each visitor for parking in our neighbourhoods or local parks and provide decals to the locals to be able to park for free. And assuming that the plan is to *start* charging for parking in areas including parks such as Ambleside, then why not charge a dollar more than you had planned and allow the locals free access to their own neighbourhood.

Please help me understand.

Sincerely,

[REDACTED] s. 22(1)
[REDACTED] West Vancouver
West Vancouver resident

From: Tiffany Bentley
Sent: Tuesday, June 4, 2024 10:09 AM
To: s.22(1)
Cc: correspondence
Subject: Litter & Garbage

Dear s.22(1),

Thank you for your correspondence to Mayor and Council regarding the litter at the Marine Drive underpass at Capilano River. Your correspondence has been forwarded to staff for follow-up.

Staff attended to the area on Friday, May 31 and collected litter from the trail starting at the entrance of 6th Street and Clyde Avenue through to Park Royal. We have also added this trail to the litter collection area list so that it can be checked more frequently.

We appreciate you bringing this to our attention.

Thank you,

Tiffany

Tiffany Bentley
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We acknowledge that we are on the traditional, ancestral and unceded territory of the Skwxwú7mesh Úxwumixw (Squamish Nation), səłlŵataʔł (Tsleil-Waututh Nation), and xʷməθkʷəy̓əm (Musqueam Nation). We recognize and respect them as nations in this territory, as well as their historic connection to the lands and waters around us since time immemorial.

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Dear Mayor and Council Members:

We wish to draw your attention to the garbage and litter that is accumulating along the pathway under the Marine Drive Bridge over the Capilano River (access is from 6th Street off Clyde Ave.).

Many of us Seniors use the pathway to go to Park Royal South as well as to Ambleside. It is most disappointing to see this trash and pieces of cardboard (which is often used to form a barrier around individuals doing drugs).

Requests to the District to clean up this area on an ongoing basis have not produced any results. Really, it would take one crew person with a pick up truck no more than 15 minutes to remove all the garbage in the area.

It would be most appreciated if this could be attended to this week.

Thank you

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