The following item(s) of correspondence were received in opposition to Rezoning Reference # 14-26

Brandi Z

Sent:

April 17, 2016 9:15 PM

To:

Clerks

**Subject:** 

Comment on Rezoning Reference #14-26

Hi,

I am writing regarding the comment on Rezoning Reference #14-26. I am the resident of Red Brick at 7058 14th Ave. My suite is facing the rezoning area, and I believe I will be affected by the proposed bylaw. The 32-storey residential tower and a four-storey low-rise apartment building will no doubt block the sunshine, judging from how close our building is to the rezoning land. I bought this condo last year, and no one told me there would be a rezoning in the future. If I were told about this plan, I would for sure had never considered buying this condo. I like my condo as I can enjoy the sunshine in the morning. Imagine when the 32-storey tower blocks the sunshine, I will never have any chance to enjoy the sunshine at home. It will also decrease my condo's value, who would pay for my loss?

I strongly object this rezoning proposal. Please do not approve this proposal. Please do not block the sunshine from us.

Thank you.

Resident of 7058 14th Ave Brandi Rez Ref # S569

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## Arriola, Ginger

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From:

Arriola, Ginger

Sent:

April 20, 2016 11:12 AM

To: Cc: 'Brandi Z' Arriola, Ginger

Subject:

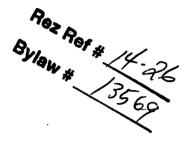
RE: City of Burnaby Rezoning Application Ref 14-26

Thank you for your quick response.

Kind regards.

Ginger E. Arriola

Council Support Assistant / Office of the City Clerk City of Burnaby, Main Bldg., Ground Floor 4949 Canada Way, Burnaby BC V5G 1M2 ginger.arriola@burnaby.ca 604.294.7284 (Office) 604.294.7537 (Fax)



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From: Brandi Z

Sent: April 20, 2016 11:06 AM

To: Arriola, Ginger

Subject: Re: City of Burnaby Rezoning Application Ref 14-26

Hi Ginger,

Thank you for your email.

My legal name is Jingyuan Zhang.

My address is #304 7058 14th Ave, at Red Brick.

Thank you.

Brandi

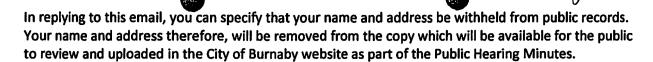
Sent from my iPhone

在 2016 年 4 月 20 日,11:02、Arriola, Ginger < Evangelina. Arriola@burnaby.ca > 写道:

This confirms that we received your email expressing your objection to Rezoning Ref. #14-26.

In order to be considered at the Public Hearing next week, please provide us your complete name and address (with unit\*#, if applicable) as stated in the notice you received because legislation concerning Public Hearings requires the City to obtain these information. Often too, City Council passes a motion to request staff for a report to respond to concerns raised at the Public Hearing and such report be mailed to those who wrote or spoke at the Public Hearing.

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Thank you, we hope to receive your reply as soon as possible.

Ginger E. Arriola

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From:

Irene

Sent:

April 16, 2016 3:44 PM

To:

Clerks

Subject:

rezoning objection

Hi,

My name is Irene Chong.

I am one of the red brick residents, who live right beside your rezoning area and you will be building right in front of my window. I will be very much be affected by the propose bylaw of building a 32 storey building and 4 story condo right in front of my home. A home that when I purchased the developer promised they will not build anything on the small land in front of my view. If you build this building, it will completely block the view of the red brick residents, the noise level will be unbearable. There will be no privacy as the building are too too close. It blocked the visual intrusions to me viewing the mountain and the trees to relax. There will be no open space for walking dogs, too many people will be cramped in this area. I will not be able to attend the public hearing, please update me with any news on this. The area is already filled with residents which if a lot of homes built will cause the area to be cramped and air quality for building will deeply affect residents in red brick as it will be very very close to us. Only a 3 feet pathway in the middle. As this is very close and we are a low rise, the shaking and building of the new building will deeply affect the structure of red brick. If more residents are in the area and traffic will be a problem too because elementary school and high school are right beside us already.

As the land is inclined, if the new building floods it will definitely be a threat to flood red brick completely damage to our health and safety. If in case of earthquake, the 32 storey could fall down right on us. Also, construction dust will be affecting us as we will not be able to open the window and affect our health physically and mentally from the noise of building new building very close to us.

Hope you can take my concerns seriously. Thank you very much!

Irene

Rez Ref # 14.26
Bylaw # 13569

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Irene

Sent:

April-20-16 4:08 PM

To:

Clerks

Subject:

Re: rezoning objection

Hello.

404-7058 14th Ave Burnaby bc V3n0e6

Thanks!

Sent from my iPhone

On Apr 21, 2016, at 1:24 AM, Clerks < Clerks@burnaby.ca > wrote:

Hi Irene,

All feedback regarding rezoning items need to include the senders civic (home) address. Please provide us with your complete address so that we can forward your comments to the Public Hearing for this item.

Thank you.

Office of the City Clerk 4949 Canada Way, Burnaby, BC V5G 1M2 phone: (604) 294-7290 | fax: (604) 294-7537 Email: clerks@burnaby.ca

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----Original Message-----

From: Irene

Sent: April-16-16 3:44 PM

To: Clerks

Subject: rezoning objection

Hi,

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City of Burnaby

4949 Canada Way

Burnaby, B.C. V5G1M2

Attention: Office of the City Clerk

Re: Burnaby Zoning Bylaw 1965

Amendment Bylaw No. 11.2016 Bylaw No. 13587

Amendment Bylaw No. 8.2016 Bylaw No. 13584

Amendment Bylaw No. 2.2016 Bylaw No. 13569

Amendment Bylaw No.9.2016 Bylaw No. 13585

Amendment Bylaw No.10 Bylaw No.13586

Rez Ref # 14-39

Rez Ref # 14-27 Rez Ref # 14-26

Rez Ref # 14-28

Rez Ref # 15-37

I am very concerned with the increased local traffic that all these developments will inevitably create. I feel my property value and quality of life will be affected by these large developments with the increased traffic directed through my area.

The City has installed a full functioning traffic light at Kingsway & 14<sup>th</sup> Ave. (completed and ready for activation) and a pedestrian light at Kingsway & 16<sup>th</sup> Ave. These traffic lights will attract additional traffic from these proposed developments as well as cut through traffic looking to avoid Edmonds or 10<sup>th</sup> Ave. Already the city has removed parking from 4 houses on 14<sup>th</sup> Ave. at Canada Way and I was told they will remove parking from the street if needed.

I have been a resident of the area for over 40 years and am very familiar with the traffic pattern changes over the years. There was an increase in cut through traffic before improvements were made to the intersections at Edmonds & Kingsway, Edmonds & Canada Way, and Kingsway & 10<sup>th</sup> Ave. Now as traffic

increases again, commuting drivers are looking for a short cut to avoid 10<sup>th</sup> Ave. or Edmonds St. When 14<sup>th</sup> Ave and 16<sup>th</sup> Ave. get backed up, the traffic starts rat running on Mary, Davies and Burgess.

I have made suggestions to council and the engineering department for minor adjustments for improvements to the intersections but they are only interested in turning those streets into major arterial routes.

I was initially told it was a done deal and they are not interested in meeting with area residents because, I assume they didn't want to give the impression that residents had some input into how their neighbourhood evolves.

This kind of bullying is unacceptable just to satisfy their own agenda of increased development without consideration to residents affected. We live here, not members of the Engineering Dept. that are making decisions affecting our quality of life.

Sincerely

arlice & Gregory Smelser

7551 Davies Street

Burnaby, B.C.

Ronald Chan

Sent:

April-25-16 5:33 PM

To:

Clerks

Subject:

Burnaby Rezoning Reference #14-26

Categories:

Blue Category

Location: 7679 Eighteeth Street and 7701 Eighteeth Street

RE: Opposition for building 32 storey residential tower

Hello,

As a homeowner in 7088 14th St. building, I disagree with City of Burnaby permitting the construction of a 32-storey residential tower due to the height of the building and the noise level.

The height of the building does not match the outlay of the other low-rise apartments. Also, the building of a 32-storey residential tower will negatively affect the home prices at our buildings. In addition, the residential tower is built right across from secondary school. This could increase the chance of car accidents near the school area.

Thank you. Ivy Tsang 7088 14th Avenue Burnaby BC V3N 0E7 Rez Ref # 11-26 Bylaw # 13569

CATHERINE NG

Sent:

April-25-16 10:19 PIVI

To:

Subject:

Re: Burnaby Zoning Bylaw 1965, Amendment Bylaw No. 2, 2016, Bylaw No. 13569, Rezoning

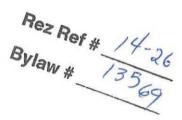
Reference #14-26

## Objection.

The new development of the 32-storey residential tower and a four-storey low-rise apartment building will be adding too much distractions to the guiet neighbourhood, especially to the Stride Ave Community School and the Byrne Creek Secondary School.

Best regards, Catherine Ng

327-7058 14th Ave Burnaby, BC **V3N 0E6** 



On Apr 25, 2016, at 8:17 AM, Clerks < Clerks@burnaby.ca > wrote:

Please accept this email to acknowledge receipt of your correspondence.

If you are unable to attend the public hearing tommorrow night, please provide your specific feedback for this rezoning application (ie. in support or objection and reason) no later than tomorrow, Tuesday, at 4:45 pm. Please include your civic (home) address in your feedback.

Thank you for contacting the Office of the City Clerk.

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----Original Message----From: CATHERINE NG Sent: April-22-16 9:39 PM

To: Clerks

Subject: Re: Burnaby Zoning Bylaw 1965, Amendment Bylaw No. 2, 2016, Bylaw No. 13569, Rezoning Reference #14-26

Dear Sir/Madame,

Due to my working schedule, I will not be able to attend the Public Hearing on Tuesday, 2016 April 26 at 7:00 p.m. in person.

Best regards, Catherine Ng

Sent:

April 26, 2016 12:11 PM

To:

Clerks

Subject:

Burnaby Zoning Bylaw 1965, Amendment Bylaw No 2, 2016, Bylaw No 13569, Rezoning

Reference #14-26

## Hi there,

I am writing in response to the rezoning in my area. As a resident in my building, I am not in favour for the construction of a 32-storey residential tower and a four-storey low rise apartment building for the following reasons:

- the proposed site is small and if construction were to go through, the area will be too densely populated for such a small space
- influx of people will result in more noise pollution and feel less like a community
- there will be lack of green space and wild life. Currently there are small trails with trees and bushes occupying that space. Birds have made homes out of those trees

Sandwiching a tower and low rise building between our building and a high school is not going to benefit the community that's currently established or current residents. As a current resident in the area, I sincerely hope that this rezoning does not go through and that the needs of our current community and residents are taken into account.

Best regards,

Mandy Ho 202-7088 14 Avenue Burnaby BC V3N 0E7



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> Allen Hutton 7304 14<sup>th</sup> Ave. Burnaby, BC V3N 1Z4

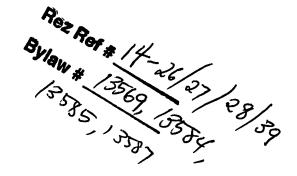
April 22, 2016

Mayor and members of Council

Subject: Rezoning Reference # 14-26, 27, 28 and 39

Public Hearing April 26, 2016

Dear: Sir/Madame



I am opposed to these rezoning's. The city owned land referred to in rezoning ref. 14-26 can be used to provide non market housing, as there is nothing wrong with the Cedar Place housing complex and it is far from being a slum, this would provide even more affordable housing. The New Vista Society has capacity for additional senior housing.

Regarding Rezoning Ref. # 14- 26,27 and 28, the city needs to develop a plan that is conducive to the neighbourhood.

Yours truly

**Alien Hutton** 

Attached: Letter dated; September 25, 2014.

Ja

City of Burnaby Office of the City Clerk 4949 Canada Way Burnaby, BC VSG 1M2 F. 604 294 7537

> Allen Hutton 7304 14<sup>th</sup> Ave. Burnaby, BC V3N 1Z4

**September 25, 2014** 

**Mayor and Council** 

Subject: Rezoning Reference #14-25 Public hearing September 30, 2014

Dear: Sir/Madame

I would like to complement the people who are responsible for the conceptual design that has been created.

This is not a town centre; it is simply a large piece of property located in a single family home neighbourhood. There is room for increased density on this property without affecting the character of the neighbourhood, but there is no room on this property for high-rises.

Before the city worries about the master plan they should resolve the traffic problems that have been created in this area and ensure that none will be created in the future.

This property was purchased by the city of Burnaby in 2000; this was confirmed to me by the Director of planning. It was purchased in the same year that the Telus building in Burnaby was purchased by ICBC.

I am opposed to the selling of any city owned property to this development. I am opposed to the high-rises that have been proposed for this site.

Yours truly,

Allen Hutton



S.Q SHI <shiq\_404@yahoo.com>

Sent:

April-26-16 3:41 PM

To:

Clerks

Subject:

Comments on Amendment Bylaw No.2.2016, Bylaw No.13569, Rezoning Ref #14-26

## Dear Sir/Madam

I am writing to oppose the proposed zoning bylaw amendment to permit the construction of a 32-story residential tower and a low-rise building for the following reasons -

- 1. The addition of a 32-story tower will increase substantially the population density of the area that will over stress the existing infrastructure, e.g. school and road, creating problems and reducing the quality of life for both the existing and future residents of the area.
- 2. The construction site will deprive the existing residents of what limited green space we are having now and thus reduce our enjoyment of our home.
- 3. The construction will bring long term noise and disruption to our daily life due to the close approximate of the site and our building.

I believe city should balance the insatiable appetite of yet another developer and the need for a liveable city where residents can enjoy quality life.

Thank you for your consideration.

Regards,

Sixin Shi

Address 403-7088 14th Ave Burnaby BC V3N 0E7

