

SECTION 2  
COUNCIL CORRESPONDENCE (2016 SEPT 29)  
City Manager  
Deputy City Manager  
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Dir. Planning & Building  
Environment Committee (Nov. 08)

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**From:** Kathleen Rose [mailto: [REDACTED]]

**Sent:** September-20-16 8:49 PM

**To:** Clerks

**Subject:** RE: Please urge the UBCM to accept for discussion and support the AVICC motion to oppose old-growth logging

Dear Mayor Corrigan and Burnaby Councillors,

I understand that a motion was brought forward by Metchosin council, and has already been passed at the Association of Vancouver Island and Coastal Communities earlier this year, that old-growth forest on provincial Crown Land on Vancouver Island be protected from logging. I urge my city government to please support this proposal and make sure it's accepted to be voted on by the UBCM.

This is NOT a regional issue as argued by the UBCM resolutions committee. These precious trees are irreplaceable. They support complete ecosystems, sink carbon, are vital to flourishing First Nations culture and I can't believe our provincial government is allowing them to be destroyed for short term profit and jobs.

We need to save our old growth trees wherever they are found in B.C. I look to you all to help save these few remaining giants for the seven generations to come.

With gratitude,

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