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From: Smitran Milutin

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To: Clerks

Subject: Request to present my case at the next City Council Meeting

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Hello,

I would like to request to be present and speak at the next Council meeting about the safety issue involving our property.

The details are summarized in the attaches letter.

Best regards, Milutin Smitran

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Copied to:

City Manager Deputy City Manager Dir. Planning & Building Chief Building Inspector Major and Council

Phone: <u>604-294-7340</u> 4949 Canada Way Burnaby BC, V5G 1M2

Date: June 03, 2017

To Major and Council:

Our address is 5160 Harbour View Road, Burnaby, and next to our house, at 5150 Harbour View Road, a new house has been built.

The slope was excavated to the basement level to create a back yard for the new house. The Allan blocks were placed in front of the undermined soil below our wall.

We contacted a geotechnical engineer whose observation concluded that the support system was not properly done and the undermined soil was not properly secured. He provided us with the *full report with conclusion that the wall is not properly built and it is a safety risk to our family.

We have been acquiring about our problem for several months and we never got clear directions what would be the best approach to properly raise the issue. We spent a significant amount of our valuable time to figure out what to do and to found the geotechnical engineer to complete the assessment.

We feel that this should not happen to regular citizens that work hard and pay all the taxes. They should be able to get directions in similar cases as ours so their problem can be addressed in a much easier and much faster manner.

*AVAILABLE IN CITY CLERK'S OFFICE

Best regards,

Milutin Smitran

Selma Smitran