

February 23, 2018

Office of the City Clerk 4949 Canada Way Burnaby BC

Re: Letter in Support of INTRACORP

Re-zoning reference - #17-25

On behalf of the Burnaby Neighbourhood House I am pleased to write this letter in support of our corporate friend and partner INTRACORP.

Our relationship with INTRACORP began when the City of Burnaby chose the Neighbourhood House to be the included amenity in the Metroplace development. INTRACORP was a pleasure to work with and quickly became intrigued by our charitable community work. They were very proud to be building the purpose built space for the Neighbourhood House. In fact, it is through their commitment to community that they arranged to fully fund our kitchen and to pay for our exterior building signage. This was completely over and above what was expected of them. We were very excited when their project manager at that time, Evan Allegretto accepted a position on our board of directors. Through his board term, Evan brought his expertise in building development to support our Gilpin daycare facility project and the acquisition of our community hall. Although, no longer on our board, Evan, now in a leadership role with INTRACORP, is only a phone call away when we need building advice.

As a company, INTRACORP has remained committed to financially supporting the work of the Neighbourhood House in Burnaby and participating in our annual gala event.

I understand that INTRACORP is continuing to do business in Burnaby and has further development projects underway in our neighbourhood. I can attest through experience that this development company has a good heart, with superb leadership and a sincere understanding of the importance of supporting the community where they do business. Growth and development are inevitable in our city and we support INTRACORP being a socially responsible company to move this development forward.

We look forward to hearing more about their success and continuing to have them as a financial supporter of our charitable work in Burnaby.

Sincerely,

Antonia Beck Executive Director

