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City of Burnaby
Council Meeting on 28 August 2023
Penzance Permanent Barriers

Dear Mayor Hurley and Council:

Thank you for unanimously passing this important amended motion to make the three barriers on Penzance permanent.

Retaining these barriers along Penzance Drive at Beta Ave., the laneway and Gamma Ave. will successfully create safer neighbourhoods for Burnaby Heights and Capitol Hill.

As you know, throughout Capitol Hill there are many steep hills as well as twisting/turning roads with blind corners, hidden driveways/alleys, open ditches, high hedges and few sidewalks.

This can make for very challenging and serious safety concerns when a heavy volume of traffic races through Capitol Hill and Burnaby Heights on their way from Port Moody/Coquitlam to downtown Vancouver/North Vancouver or to the Parkland Refinery.

For the past 50 years my husband and I have lived on a busy corner in the Capitol Hill neighbourhood. Originally it was a six way corner with no stop signs at the intersection of Cambridge, Gamma, Bessborough and Empire.

There have been so many vehicle accidents at this corner that I have lost count. We know that in the past and currently Burnaby Council, City Traffic Staff and City Planners

have worked hard to implement many different types of traffic calming measures throughout North Burnaby including re-designing our very busy corner to a safer four way stop.

However, even with all of the traffic calming elements short-cutting traffic still continued through the neighbourhood.

By your vote to make the barriers permanent you have put safety first and have accomplished a critical piece of the North Burnaby Traffic Safety and Calming Plan. Thank you for your dedicated service and making our City of Burnaby a great place to live.

Respectfully Submitted by
Donna and Dennis Maniago



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