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Apr 17, 2001

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MARCH 20, 2001

PLANNING COMMITTEE CITY OF RICHMOND
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ATTN: COUNCILOR BRODIE AND THE PLANNING COMMITTEE

DEAR COUNCILORS OF RICHMOND:

WE UNDERSTAND RICHMOND HOME DEPOT STORE HAS MADE AN APPLICATION TO THE PLANNING COMMITTEE TO AMEND A ZONING BY LAW SO THAT THE I4 ZONE IN RICHMOND WILL BE ALLOWED TO SELL GARDEN PLANTS AND LANDSCAPING SUPPLIES.

I AM WRITING ON BEHALF OF THE OAK RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION TO INFORM YOU THAT RICHMOND HOME DEPOT HAS BEEN A VERY GOOD CORPORATE CITIZEN IN OUR COMMUNITY. ON BEHALF OF RICHMOND HOME DEPOT, MR. CLIFF CHENG HAS:

AGREED TO DONATE REFLECTOR JACKETS, FLASH LIGHTS AND 2 WAY RADIO FOR OUR CITIZEN'S PATROL PLANNING FOR THIS SPRING 2001.

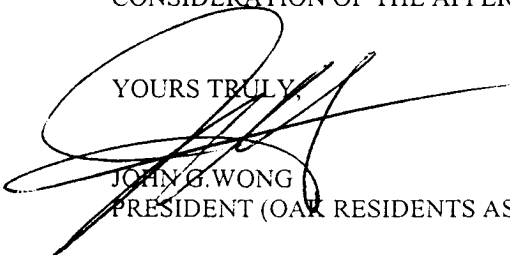
HAVE DONATE FLOWERS TO OUR GENERAL MEETING FEBRUARY, 2001 TO RAISE MONEY FOR OUR ASSOCIATION. ALSO AT THE SAME TIME GIVE SOME TIPS ON HOW TO LOOK AFTER OUR PLANTS.

HAVE DONATE DOOR PRICES FOR OUR VARIOUS DINNER FUNCTIONS IN YEAR 2000.

HAVE HELD AN OPEN INVITATION TO OUR RESIDENTS TO ATTEND HIS FREE SEMINAR ON LAWN AND GARDEN MAINTENANCE. AT THIS TALK IT ATTRACTED OVER 30 PEOPLE AND ALSO GIVE AWAY DOOR PRICES HELD ON JANUARY 30, 2001.

WE WOULD ALSO LIKE TO ENDORSE/SUPPORT THE APPLICATION BY RICHMOND HOME DEPOT BECAUSE IT CONFORMS TO OUR BELIEF/SUPPORT FOR COMPETITION AND THAT IT BENEFITS THE CONSUMERS. WE ARE PLEASE TO SUBMIT THIS LETTER TO YOU FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION OF THE APPLICATION.

YOURS TRULY,



JOHN G. WONG
PRESIDENT (OAK RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION)

