

Schedule 3 to the Minutes of the
Development Permit Panel
meeting held on Thursday,
October 15, 2020.

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Date: October 15, 2020
Meeting: DPP
Item: #1

From: Kathy Stoessl <kstoessl@shaw.ca>
Sent: Wednesday, 14 October 2020 03:35 PM
To: CityClerk
Subject: PD panel meeting- Oct. 15, 2020, community input

RE: Project Details – 6111/6091 Dyke Road (DP 19-855200)

The details of this project specify that six black cottonwood trees are to be planted on the property. I am writing to request that the developer/landscaper consider an alternative to this type of tree.

There are currently several cottonwood trees on city land on the south side of Dyke road. These trees cause problems when the seeds are produced. As a resident in a south facing unit at the neighbouring property, Nakada, we get the full impact of these seeds. In addition to throat irritation and allergies, these seeds clog window screens and the intake filter on our heat exchange unit. When windows and doors are open, seeds gather like tumbleweed and float across our floors indoors. It is also unpleasant to use our deck during this period of time because of the snowstorm like abundance of seeds floating in the air.

I therefor strongly encourage the developer/landscaper to consider an alternative to the cottonwood trees. This is integral to the future enjoyment of all who live in this area.

Respectfully submitted for your consideration,

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