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Number	Name	Address	Schedule 12 to the Minutes of the Citpublic Hearing meeting of
			Richmond City Council held on
1	Harvinder Mehat	11240 Bird Road	Richmond Monday, July 17, 2017.
2	Jithan Virk	8814 Delvista Drive	Delta
3	Manpreet Nagra	13489 - 60th Avenue	Surrey
4	Makhan Dhesi	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	······································
5	Parveen Dhesi		
6	Shannon Dhesi		
7	Sukhjinder Dhesi		
8	Steven Dhesi	•	
9	Knee Gur	6611 No. 2 Road	Richmond
10	David Lindsay	12180 Imperial Drive	Richmond
11	Arvin Girn	4641 Sunland Place	Burnaby
12	Jag Bhandal	5140 Moncton Street	Richmond
13	Jasdeep Sidhu	9091 No. 4 Road	Richmond
14	Ranjit Pooni	9371 Dayton Avenue	Richmond
15	Gurjit Pooni	9371 Dayton Avenue	Richmond
16	Puneet Pooni	9371 Dayton Avenue	Richmond
17	Kulwinder Pooni	9371 Dayton Avenue	Richmond
18	Sunjit Pooni	9480 Blundell Road	Richmond
19	Raveena Pooni	9371 Dayton Avenue	Richmond
20	Kashmir Pooni	9371 Dayton Avenue	Richmond
21	Satwinder Pooni	9480 Blundell Road	Richmond
22	Lake Chang		
23	Sumaiyya Hasan	8980 Heather Street	Richmond
24	Nauman Mughal	10199 Williams Road	Richmond
25	Aliza Hasan	8980 Heather Street	Richmond
26	Steven Thaker	3160 River Road	Richmond
27	Kayla Zhang		
28	Rajinder Mann	7580 Railway Avenue	Richmond
29	Aman Hayer	3411 Lockhart Road	Richmond
30	Kuljit Bapla	9011 Ash Street	Richmond
31	Shali Tark	5500 Lynas Lane	Richmond
32	Satvinder Bhandal		Richmond
33	Satnam Sangha	6827 - 130th Street	Surrey
34	Hurmeet Jagde	6391 No. 5 Road	Richmond
35	Fred Zhang	4771 Wintergreen Avenue	Richmond
36	Yun Chang		
37	Gary Gai		
38	Austin Kay	4060 River Road	Richmond

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39	Carter Turner	340 Ewen Avenue	New Westminster
40	Navtej Dhot	5880 Dover Crescent	Richmond
41	Balbir Chot	8751 No. 5 Road	Richmond
42	Syed Hasan	6411 Blundell Road	Richmond
43	Preena Nijjar		
44	Sukhdev Jhaj	No. 6 Road	Richmond
. 45	Surinder Grewal	6831 Gamba Drive	Richmond
46	Tim Pember	65-6300 London Road	Richmond
47	Mandeep (Mike) G	3700 Bargen Road	Richmond
48	Sharon Hayer	3700 Bargen Road	Richmond
49	Ranjit Gill	12357 Cameron Drive	Richmond
50	Kulwinder Gill	12357 Cameron Drive	Richmond
51	Brittany Pannu		
52	Prieya Gill	12357 Cameron Drive	Richmond
53	Jasbir Gill	3700 Bargen Road	Richmond
54	Amarjit Gill	3700 Bargen Road	Richmond
55	Inderjit (Andy) Sand	3580 Bargen Drive	Richmond

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MayorandCouncillors

From:	Harvinder Mehat <harvi.mehat@gmail.com></harvi.mehat@gmail.com>
Sent:	Friday, 14 July 2017 14:02
То:	MayorandCouncillors; web@myrichmond.ca
Subject:	PETITION: Richmond Massing Amendments to Bylaw 8500

Dear Mayor and Council,

We, the people and the building community representatives of the City of Richmond, petition the elected Council and Mayor to incorporate in whole or in part the recommendations as submitted on June 20th, 2017 by the Richmond Home Builders Group (RHBG) with respect to the new Richmond Building Massing Bylaw.

RHBG has put forth a very generous compromise in correlation to the city staff's recommendations. We reluctantly accept a majority of the proposed changes; however, we feel the items 1-3 as listed below will have an unwelcomed negative effect on the design, construction and the value of a new home.

* See diagram on page 5 for changes that will come into effect on July 17th, 2017 if we don't act. Please attend this Public Meeting (7pm) at the city hall and show your support.

1). Change Rear Yard Setback to 60/40 meaning 6m (20ft) for the ground floor and 7.5m for the upper floor instead of the city recommendation of 25% (Example: 120ft lot = 30ft setback).

2). Maximum Depth of House. This should stay as Status Quo instead of the city proposal of 55% of lot depth and then the requirement of a continuous wall articulation. This inward jog of 8ft plus the 4ft side setback at the rear of the house will result in wasted yard space and loss of function and design.

3). Garage Projection. Change the projection from the city recommendation of 9.1m to 9.8m. The additional 2.2 feet will allow a side door access to the house and provide a safe clearance for a vehicle from the main front entrance.

4). Where applicable, reduce front yard setback from 20ft. to 15ft. With the addition of the city boulevard, 15ft setback and the L-shaped garage, there is plenty of space left over to not impose on the neighbours.

5). If above options are not acceptable then commission the City Planning Department to implement a Neighbourhood by Neighbourhood zoning bylaw. For example, Steveston Village has its own unique character and should not be subjected to same bylaws. If nothing else, RHBG proposes that the current amendments be scrapped altogether and a new planning session undertaken, one that involves representatives from the building community, neighbourhoods and the City from the beginning.

I appoint Richmond Home Builders Group as my voice and immediately demand that the elected City Councils and the Mayor of Richmond incorporate the changes as put forth by the RHBG representatives.

For more information, visit http://www.myrichmond.ca or email info@myrichmond.ca

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