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Subject: Spot Rezoning Imperial Landing

To Public Hearing
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Item # 10
Re: OCP Amendment
Bylaw 9589 / Zoning
Amendment Bylaw 9590
ZT 16-735335

Dear City of Richmond,

I am sending this letter in support of this "essential community service" of spot rezoning the Imperial Landing Space to house Generations Daycare.

I think it is an absolute necessity and an asset as another business has been uprooted and forced out for yet another housing development.

This daycare is a godsend to the average hardworking family who depend on it and actually live in the vicinity whom many walk to and from to pickup their children.

If the problem is increased traffic I feel this to be a moot point as the Steveston landscape already has been altered for maximum density with the influx of new condo development etc. What's to say if another business goes in there, which eventually will, that there will be no traffic. It doesn't make sense to me?

Our children are our future and they should be given the opportunity to play and learn within our community. They breathe life and give hope and my hope is to fill that empty space with our future.

It has been vacant much too long. I often walk along the boardwalk and find it very sad and disheartening that it sits empty.

I feel the best option would be to allow the spot rezoning so that we could get on with it and help those within the community.

In the context of today, life is already more difficult and expensive to raise a young family.

Shouldn't we be more helpful rather than a hindrance?

"It takes a Village..."

Sincerely,
Judy Mah

