

To Public Hearing
Date: <i>March 19, 2012</i>
Item # <i>5</i>
Re: <i>Bylaw 8866</i>

MayorandCouncillors

From: City of Richmond Website [webgraphics@richmond.ca]
Sent: March 14, 2012 7:01 PM
To: MayorandCouncillors
Subject: Send a Submission Online (response #628)
Categories: 08-4105-20-2011587257 Development at 8631 Francis Rd

**Schedule 2 to the Minutes of
the Council Meeting for
Public Hearing held on
Monday, March 19, 2012.**

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Survey Information

Site:	City Website
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Survey Response

Your Name:	Harvey Gill
Your Address:	8951 Cooper Road
Subject Property Address OR Bylaw Number:	8631 Francis Road (RZ 11-587257)
Comments:	<p>Dear Sir/Madam, The series of Coach Houses (RCH) along Francis Road have taken their toll on the trees in this area. A majestic Sequoia was cut down by developers to make room for the existing Coach Houses and this proposed new rear lane threatens another beautiful established tree. This tree does not need to be cut down, every effort has to be made to accommodate this tree and still give access to the lane. The tree is situated along the north side of the proposed lane right against the fence line. It can easily be paved around and its bottom branches trimmed without inhibiting access or affecting the proposed coach houses. Recently further down Francis by St. Albans other trees were cut down for similar development, this tree doesn't need to be downed in the same manner. I trust every effort will be made to work around this tree. We have set a poor example in our efforts to save large trees in this area, in the name of development. In this case we can avoid cutting down this tree and still gain access in the lane. Sincerely H.Gill 604-248-3498</p>