

Schedule 38 to the Minutes of the Public Hearing meeting of Richmond City Council held on Monday, October 16, 2017.

MayorandCouncillors

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To Public Hearing	
Date:	<u>Oct 16, 2017</u>
Item #	<u>9</u>
Re:	<u>Bylaw 9062</u>
	<u>Bylaw 9063</u>

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Survey Response

Your Name	Gudrun Heckerott
Your Address	12333 English Avenue - Number 13
Subject Property Address OR Bylaw Number	4300 Bayview - Bylaw 7100
Comments	<p>Dear Elected Council: Onni is not considering the neighbourhood that it built, nor the neighbours who live in it. A transient AirBnB model benefits Onni, but does not reflect the community of young families, retirees, and professionals who live along the narrow corridor of Bayview. None of us moved here to be next to a hotel. We enjoy Steveston for its village ambience, river promenades, and neighbourliness. Insurance companies, banks, grocery stores, and medical/dental offices do not belong on a beautiful river promenade that connects the village to the museums of Britannia Shipyards. What we need is places to stroll, sit, eat, drink coffee, shop, buy seafood, and relax. Why is Onni even allowed to keep wagging the dog? For 6 years I have been protesting Onni's anti-neighbourhood building and planning. The buildings are there now. Why not turn them into social housing units for retirees and young families? Why not turn the units below into space that benefits the neighbourhood and all Richmond</p>

citizens? Every zoning change proposed by Onni has been patronizing and presumes that those who live here will somehow be soothed with a small sum of money, and that we will be placated by glossy high rent businesses and their traffic. Onni built our neighbourhood for a dandy profit. If Onni is at all community minded, they will give the space to community programs and services. It's time to join the world of Steveston and sing in harmony, not in me-me-me!