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From: on behalf of MayorandCouncillors
Subject: FW: Send a Submission Online (response #448)
Categories: UCRS Code / File Number: Bylaw 8484 (RZ 06-340471)

To Public Hearing
Date: May 19, 2009
Item # 5
Re: 8080 + 8100 Blundell
Bylaw 8484

From: City of Richmond Website [mailto:webgraphics@richmond.ca]
Sent: Friday, 15 May 2009 6:01 PM
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SCHEDULE 4 TO THE MINUTES
 OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF
 COUNCIL FOR PUBLIC
 HEARINGS HELD ON TUESDAY,
 MAY 19, 2009.

Your Name:	hilary slatter
Your Address:	307 - 8040 Blundell Road, Richmond, B.C., v6y 1j8
Subject Property Address OR Bylaw Number:	8080 and 8100 Blundell Road
Comments:	<p>I am against the proposed development of the above addresses for two reasons: 1) the traffic on Blundell Road has increased expotentially over the last few years and it has now become difficult ,and at time hazardous, to try and exit onto Blundell Road from 8040 Blundell Road. It is increasingly difficult at rush hours and at school leaving times. The idea of adding yet more traffic in such close proximity is, I believe, potentially dangerous. 2) the properties facing onto these two addresses will lose value and will lose the pleasant outline they now have. 3) Richmond has lost so many properties already to developers. Richmond has acre upon acre of arid, desolate 'ticky tacky' townhouses without a green leaf amongst them, with 10 - 20 townhouses crammed into spaces designed for 1 suburban house. In many areas Richmond has become a 'bedroom' community of increasingly smaller and smaller dwellings, with no green space, with no wild life. The town is becoming a pressure cooker of increased traffic, noise, density, overburdened social, hospital, police and fire services. We are in danger of becoming more dense than the West End in Vancouver, with none of the advantages of the proximity of Stanley Park, the Beaches and English Bay. STOP FURTHER DEVELOPMENT BEFORE IT GETS EVEN WORSE AND BEFORE LIFE BECOMES IMPOSSIBLE WITH TRAFFIC GRIDLOCK!</p>

