

Schedule 2 to the Minutes of the
Development Permit Panel meeting
held on Wednesday, October 28, 2009.

Subject: FW: Tanaka Comments re DPP Meeting, October 28, 2009 - HA/DP for Relocation of Heritage Building from 4091 Chatham Street to 3791/3811 Mocnton Street

Importance: High

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Sent: October 25, 2009 6:00 PM

To: Brunette, Terence; Steves, Harold; 'Bill McNulty'; Barnes, Linda; Dang, Derek; 'Greg Halsey-Brandt'; 'Ken Johnston'; HalseyBrandt, Evelina; 'Sue Halsey-Brandt'; Brodie, Malcolm

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Hi All,

Hope this email finds you well. Would anyone please explain to me the effect if any may have in securing a development permit in relocating the Heritage Building to the Museum site with another group headed by Mr. Kibble opposing the relocation? If Mr. Kibble and his group were really concerned, they should have come to the Committee and Council Meetings last year. They also had the opportunity to voice their concerns at a Public Hearing as well. So why now? The citizens of Richmond chose the Museum site (70%) at a Public Hearing and Council accepted the decision of the public and voted unanimously in favour of the Museum site at the February 9, 2009 Council Meeting.

When the intensity of demand is placed on the Council from the citizens making a convincing case against the Museum site, there is a propensity for Council to whatever deem necessary to alleviate or satisfy the demand placed on them as was the case at the October 15, 2008 Meeting. However, on Wednesday, October 28 the onus is on Council to prove to the citizens, who voted 70% in favour of the Museum site at a Public Hearing held on December 13, 2008, that the councillors are responsible and accountable by adhering to the unanimous decision reached on February 9, 2009.

Thank you in advance for your attention to this matter.

Regards,

Jim Tanaka

