

# AMENDED AGENDA PLANNING AND LAND USE COMMITTEE MEETING OF JANUARY 8, 2015, AT 9:00 A.M. COUNCIL CHAMBERS CITY HALL, 1 CENTENNIAL SQUARE

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# CALL TO ORDER

# **APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

# **CONSENT AGENDA**

# **ADOPTION OF MINUTES**

1. Minutes from the meeting held on December 11, 2014.

# **DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION REPORTS**

2. Rezoning Application # 00462 for 2208 Lydia Street --A. Meyer, Assistant Director, Development Services Division, Sustainable Planning and Community Development

> A proposal to rezone the property to authorize a Garden Suite in the rear yard of the subject property located in the Fernwood neighbourhood. A Public Hearing is required prior to Council making a final decision on the application.

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Planning and Community Development

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> A proposal to authorize seven additional fermentation tanks for a brewery in the Rock Bay area of the Burnside neighbourhood. There are no variances associated with the application, therefore a Hearing is not required prior to Council making a final decision on the permit.

# **NEW BUSINESS**

5.	LATE ITEM: Motion - Gorge Waterway Initiative	69 - 71
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[Addenda]

# **ADJOURNMENT**

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# Planning and Land Use Committee Report For the Meeting of January 8, 2015

To:	Planning and Land Use Committee	Date:	December 12, 2014
From:	Leanne Taylor, Planner, Development Services	Division	
Subject:	Rezoning Application #00462 for 2208 Lydia	a Street	4

# RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommend that Committee forward this report to Council and that Council instruct staff to prepare the necessary Zoning Regulation Bylaw Amendment that would authorize the proposed development outlined in Rezoning Application #00462 for 2208 Lydia Street, that first and second reading of the Zoning Regulation Bylaw Amendment be considered by Council and a Public Hearing date be set.

# EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The purpose of this report is to present Council with information, analysis and recommendations for a Rezoning Application for the property located at 2208 Lydia Street. The proposal is to allow a garden suite in the rear yard of the property.

The following points were considered in assessing this Application:

- The proposal is consistent with the Traditional Residential Urban Place Designation in the Official Community Plan (OCP) 2012.
- The proposal is consistent with the policies and design specifications of the *Garden Suite Policy* (2011).

Staff recommend that the Planning and Land Use Committee advance this Rezoning Application to a Public Hearing as the proposal is consistent with the OCP and the garden suite policy.

# BACKGROUND

#### **Description of Proposal**

This Rezoning Application is to rezone the property to the R1-B-GS2 Zone, Single Family Dwelling with Garden Suite District, to permit the construction of a garden suite in the rear yard of the subject property.

#### Sustainability Features

The applicant has identified a number of sustainability features which will be reviewed in association with the concurrent Development Permit Application for this property.

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# Land Use Context

The immediate neighbourhood is characterized by single-family houses and all the adjacent properties are utilized for single-family dwelling units and accessory buildings.

# **Existing Site Development and Development Potential**

The site is presently a single-family house. Under the current R1-B Zone, Single Family Dwelling District, the property could be developed as a single-family house with a secondary suite. Should the rezoning proceed in compliance with the *Garden Suite Policy*, a single family dwelling and a garden suite will be permitted, thus precluding the use of the main dwelling for the inclusion of a secondary suite.

# Data Table

The following data table compares the proposal with the R1-B-GS2 Zone. The parcel qualifies as a "plus site" since it is over 557 m<sup>2</sup> in size and, therefore, the floor area of a garden suite may be increased to 56 m<sup>2</sup>. An asterisk is used to identify where the proposal is less stringent than the proposed Zone. A variance to reduce the separation space between the main dwelling unit and the garden suite would be required. Two asterisks are used to indicate existing non-conformities.

Zoning Criteria	Proposal	Zone Standard R1-B-GS2 "Plus site"		
Existing House				
Site area (m <sup>2</sup> ) – minimum site area for a "Plus Site" in the <i>Garden Suite Policy</i>	563.4	557		
1 <sup>st</sup> and 2 <sup>nd</sup> Storey floor area (m <sup>2</sup> ) - maximum	239	280		
Combined floor area (m <sup>2</sup> ) - maximum	332**	300		
Lot width (m) - minimum	13.7	7.5		
Height (m) - maximum	6.96	7.6		
Storeys - maximum	1.5	2		
Site coverage % - maximum	34	40		
Setbacks (m) - minimum Front (Shelbourne Street) Rear Side (north) Side (south) Combined side yards	8.27 15.51 1.28** 4.3 5.58	7.5 10.3 1.5 3 4.5		
Parking - minimum	1	1		
Garden Suite				
Combined floor area (m²) – maximum	43.38	56		
Height (m) – maximum	3.78	5.5		
Storeys – maximum	1	1.5		

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Zoning Criteria	Proposal	Zone Standard R1-B-GS2 "Plus site"
Rear setback (west) (m) – minimum	1.66	0.6
Side setback (south) (m) – minimum	1.66	0.6
Separation space between buildings (within the site) (m) - minimum	2*	2.4
Rear yard site coverage (%) - maximum	23.81	25

# **Community Consultation**

Consistent with the *Community Association Land Use Committee (CALUC) Procedures for Processing Rezoning and Variances Applications*, the applicant has consulted the Fernwood CALUC at a Community Meeting held on June 4, 2014. A letter dated June 12, 2014, is attached to this report.

# ANALYSIS

# **Official Community Plan**

The OCP Urban Place Designation for the subject property is Traditional Residential. In accordance with the OCP, garden suites are subject to DPA 15E: Intensive Residential – Garden Suites. The proposal is consistent with the objectives of DPA 15E to achieve new infill that respects the established character in residential areas.

# **Garden Suite Policy**

The proposed development is consistent with the relevant land use policies of the *Garden Suite Policy*. Other than the variance to reduce the separation space between the main house and the proposed new garden suite, all the siting criteria are met.

# CONCLUSIONS

This proposal to construct a new garden suite is consistent with the OCP objectives and guidelines for sensitive infill in the form of garden suites within established residential areas. The garden suite creates an opportunity for another form of rental housing and it will provide a liveable environment for its occupants with minimal infringement on the neighbouring dwellings. Staff recommend that Council consider supporting this Application.

# ALTERNATE MOTION

That Council decline Rezoning Application #00462 for the property located at 2208 Lydia Street.

Planning and Land Use Committee - 08 Jan 2015

Respectfully submitted,

Leanne Taylor Planner Development Services Division

Alison Meyer, Assistant Director Development Services Division Sustainable Planning and Community Development Department

Report accepted and recommended by the City Manager:

Jason Johnson

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Date:

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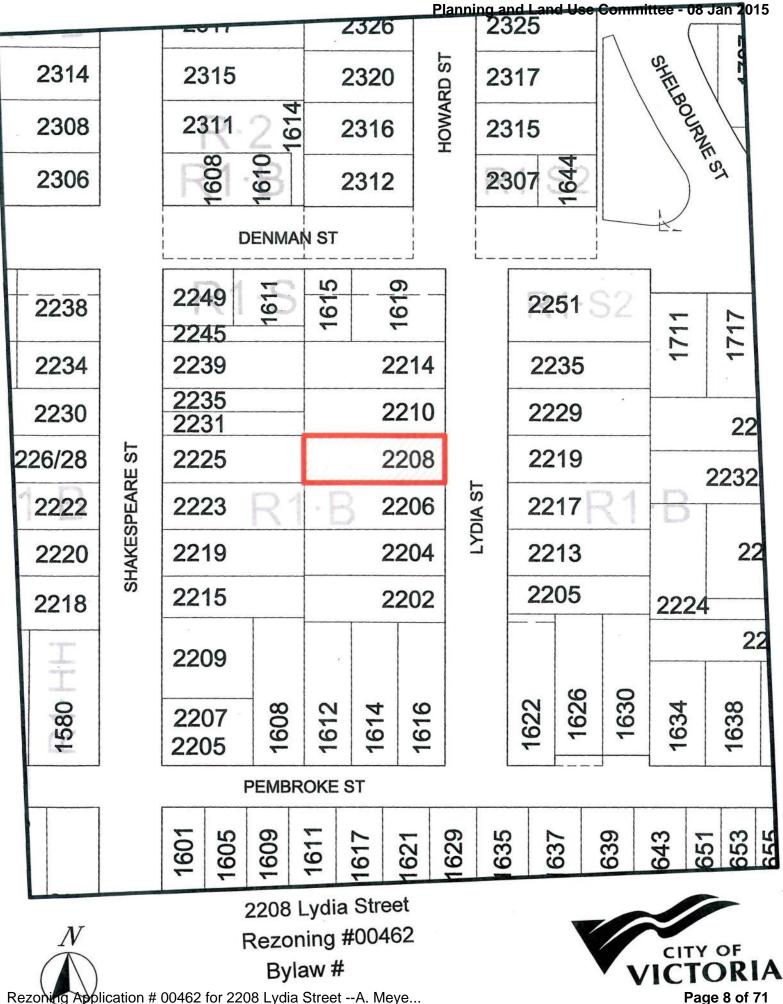
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John Pearce and Christy Pham 2208 Lydia St. Victoria, B.C. V8R 4K5 \$

July 28, 2014

Mayor and Council City of Victoria c/o 1 Centennial Square Victoria, BC V8W 1P6

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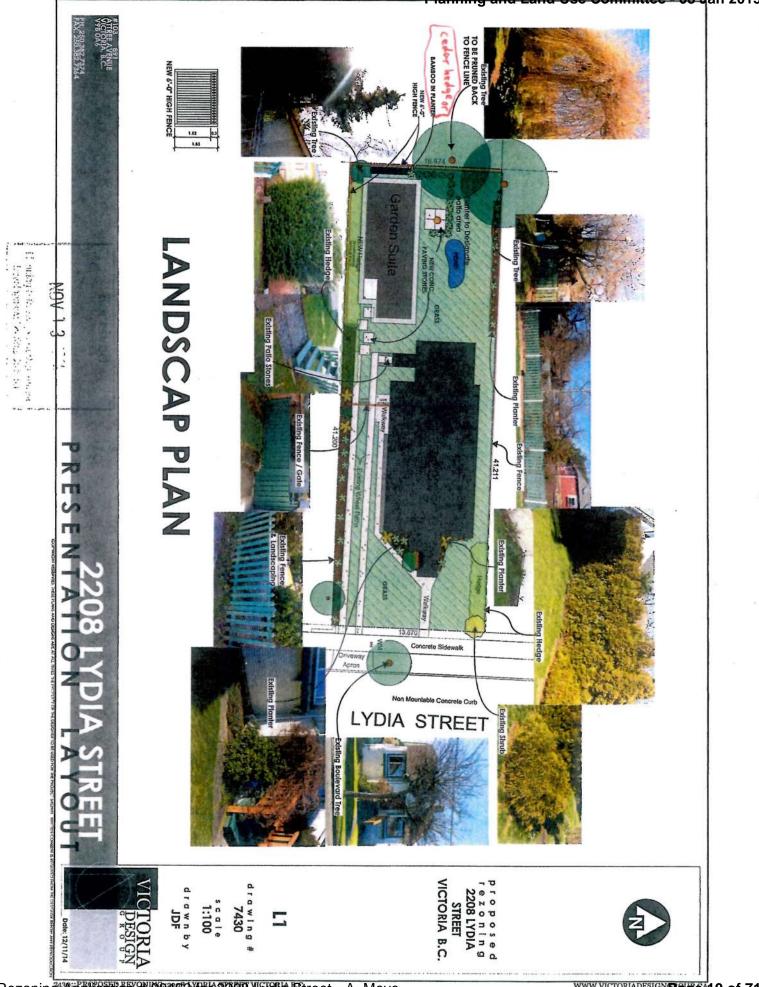
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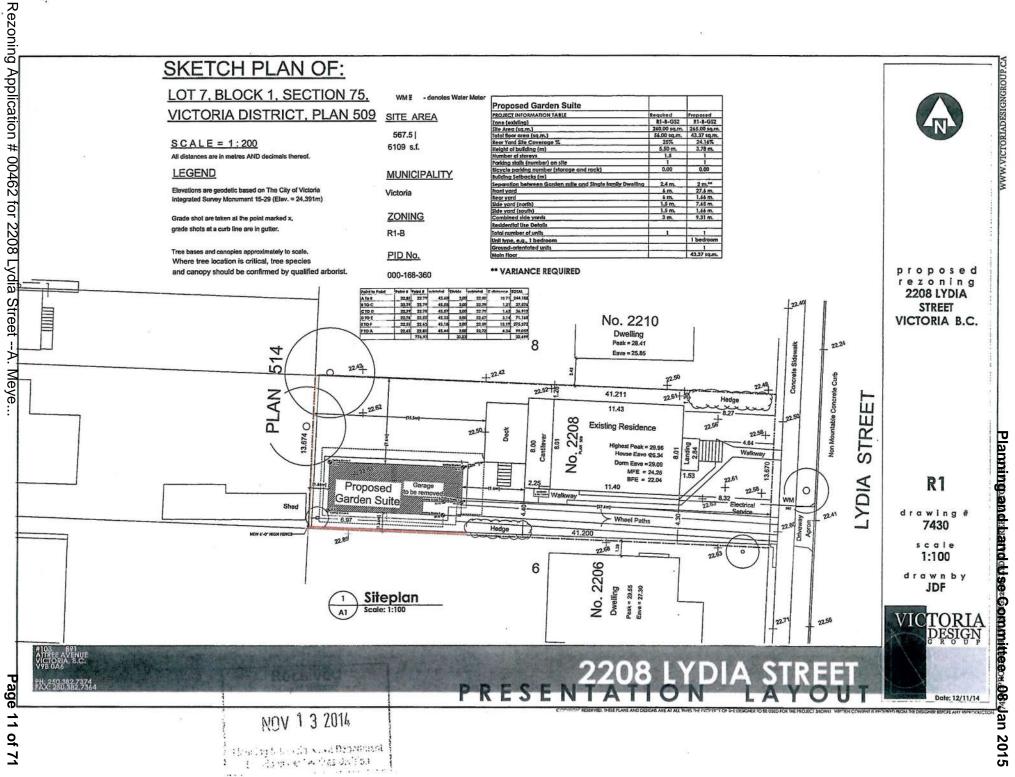
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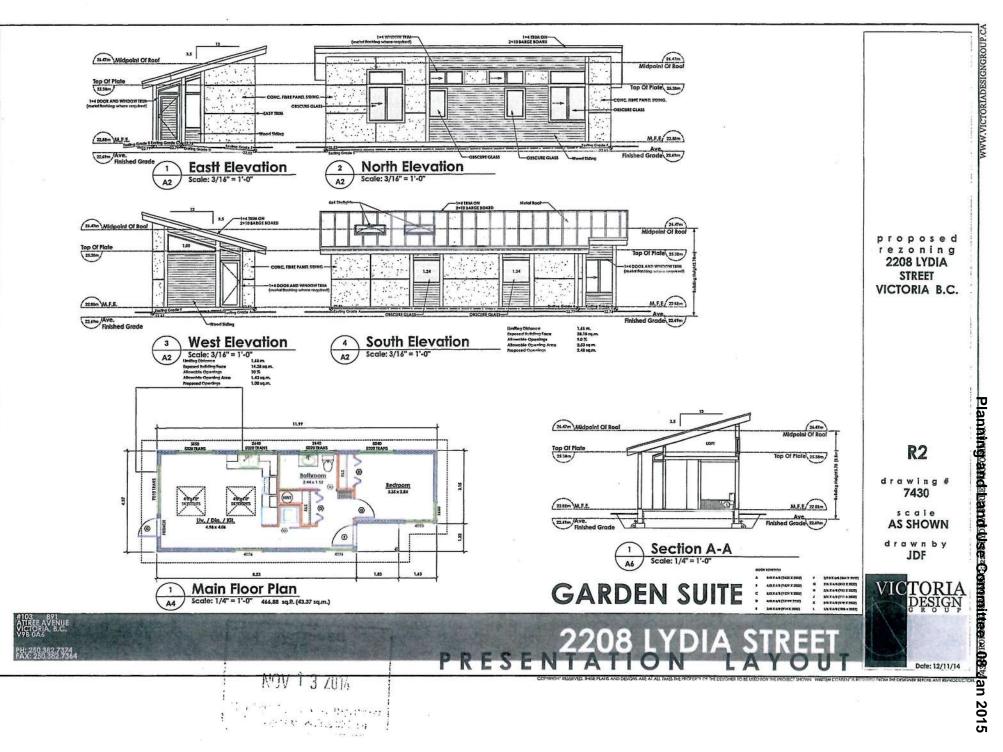
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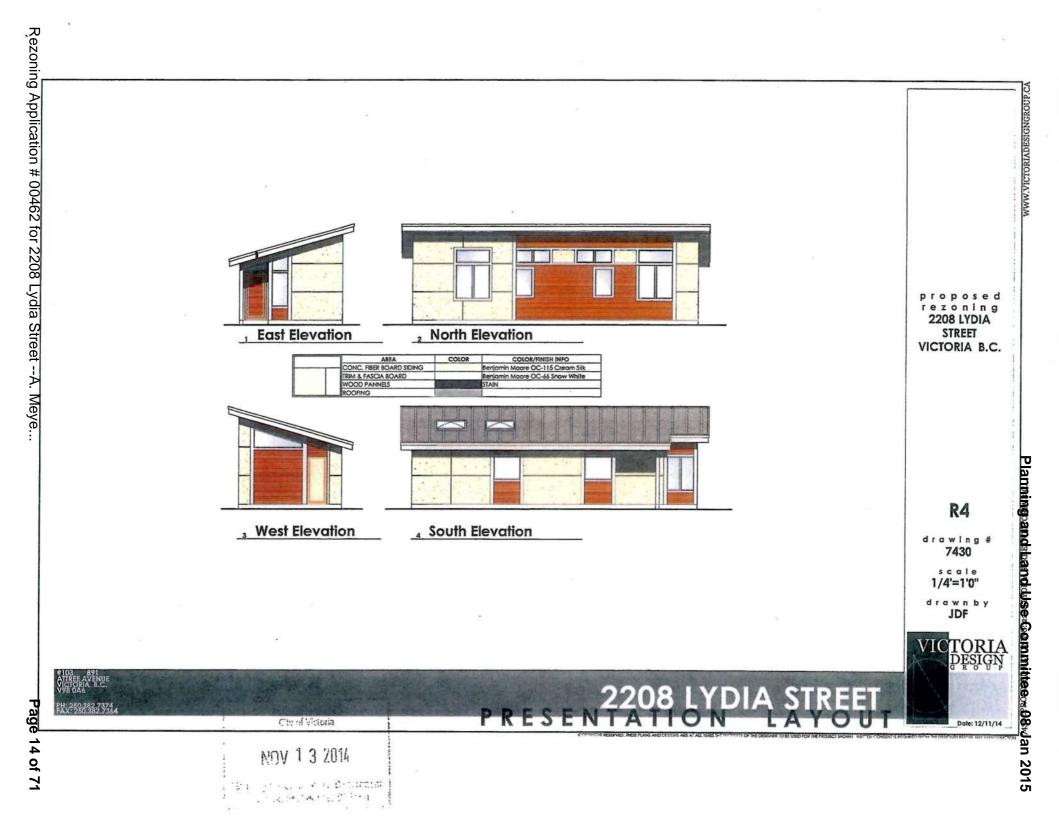


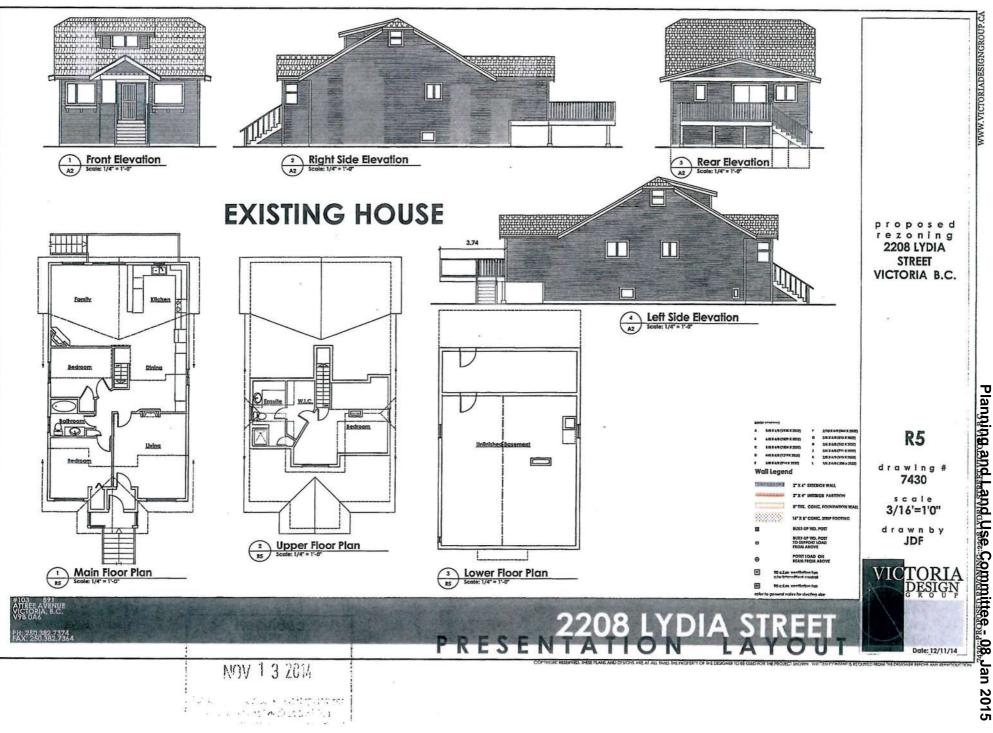


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# Fernwood Community Association

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June 12, 2014

Planning Department City of Victoria #1 Centennial Square Victoria, B.C. V8W 1P6

Received City of Victoria JUN 1 6 2014 lanning & Development Department **Development Services Division** 

Re: 2208 Lydia

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The consultant for the proponent presented the plans for a garden suite located in the rear left corner of 2208 Lydia. General comments from the neighbours included a request to have fencing to the maximum height permitted for screening purposes. One person indicated they felt it was appropriate infill. Another neighbour felt they would rather see basement suites than garden suites. A question was asked re: having the garden suite and a basement suite and it was confirmed that you cannot have both. Councillor Madoff was in attendance and iterated that Council had wished to give the public a number of options for creating rental accommodation not just basement suites. A question was raised with regard to the increased site coverage and the loss of future gardening land and it was pointed out that the net increase of covered ground was only 200 ft<sup>2</sup> with the removal of the existing shed. A comment was made by an adjacent owner that the contrast of the modern architecture of the garden suite to the surrounding homes was a bit stark.

No strong objection was raised by immediate neighbours most of whom were in attendance.

Sincerely,

Stephanie Hill Acting Chair - Land Use Committee Fernwood Community Association

# **Green Building Features**



# Garden Suite at 2208 Lydia Street Applicant: John Pearce, 250-891-2370

Category	Feature
Landscaping	Planting extensive cedar trees /
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	drought-tolerant plants )
	Increase the number of
	trees on the lot
Water	Install faucets and shower
	Heads with flow rate of 81/min
	Or less.
	Install dual flush toilet with
	Ultra-low flow (4.5 L/flush)
Renewable Energy	Southern facing flat roof, to provide opportunity for potential solar power or water heating. (at
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Dec 16, 2014

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To Mayor Lisa Helps and Council:

# **RE: Improved Landscape Features for Garden Suite Application**

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From the outset of the garden suite application process, my wife and I have talked with many of our neighbours to inform them of our intentions and to hear any concerns they may have, in order to mitigate any potential issues.

Our neighbour, Susan, on the North side has always been a strong supporter of our garden suite application, our neighbour Alice on the west side has been satisfied with our plan, and all other neighbours in the near vicinity that we have spoken with have been supportive. Initially, our neighbours Claire and Gabe on our south side, expressed concerns for their privacy; however, several weeks ago they informed us that they were happy with our recent landscape changes:

In addition to a 6' fence to be built around the perimeter of our property, we have now included a cedar hedge to be planted between the new fence and the garden suite along the south property line. The cedar trees, starting at an 8' height, will grow into a thicker and taller hedge blocking sightlines from Claire and Gabe's property. Their stated wish for "out of sight, out of mind" will be satisfied with this new amendment to our landscaping plan.

After much consultation with neighbours and meetings with the Victoria Design Group, we feel our garden suite plan offers a high quality of life for a tenant, with a high degree of privacy for surrounding property owners. Thank you very much for your consideration and we look forward to answering any questions that may arise during the public hearing.

Sincerely,

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# 2208 Lydia Street – Rezoning Application #00462





# Subject Property – 2208 Lydia St

# **Property to the North**







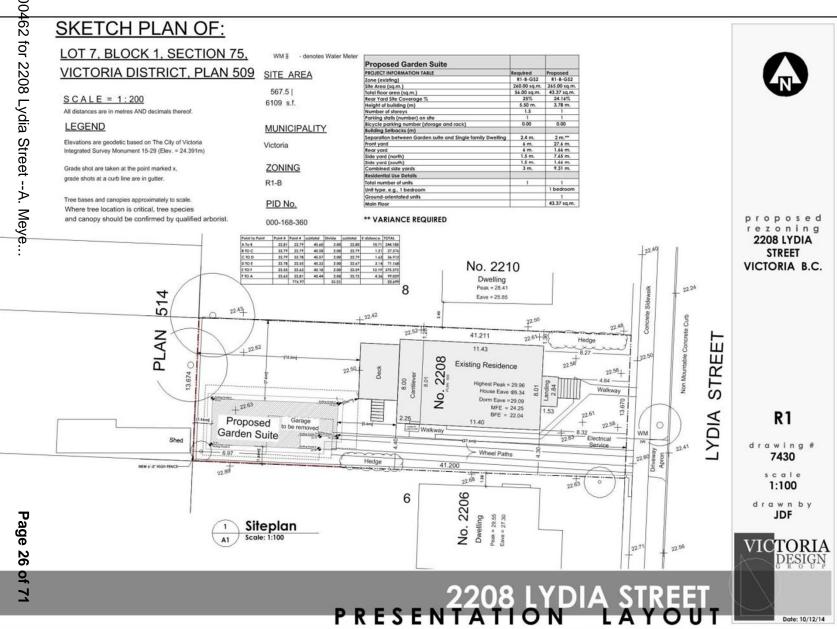
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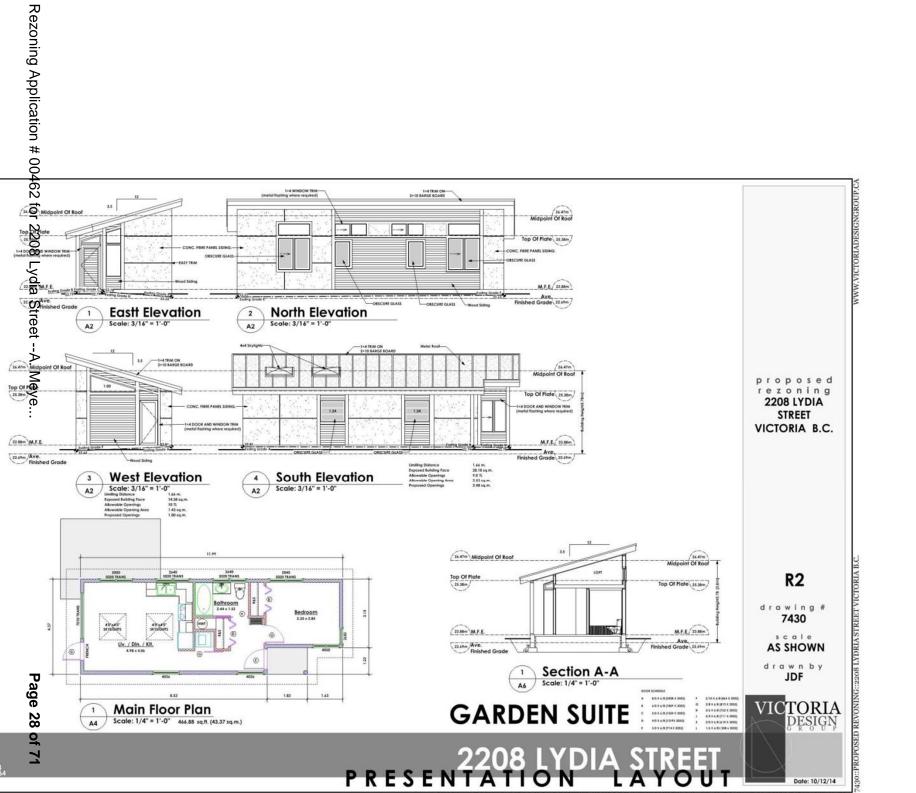
# **Properties to the West**





















# Planning and Land Use Committee Report For the Meeting of January 8, 2015

To: Planning and Land Use Committee Date: December 23, 2014

From: Leanne Taylor, Planner, Development Services Division

Subject: Development Permit with Variance Application #00462 for 2208 Lydia Street

# RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommend that Committee forward this report to Council and that, after the Public Hearing for Rezoning Application #00462, if it is approved, Council convene a Hearing for the proposed variances associated with Development Permit with Variance Application #00462 for 2208 Lydia Street and consider the following motion:

"That Council authorize the issuance of Development Permit Application #00462 for 2208 Lydia Street, in accordance with:

- 1. Plans date stamped November 13, 2014;
- 2. Development meeting all *Zoning Regulation Bylaw* requirements, except for the following variances:
  - Part 1.113, Section 1.113.5(d): Reduce the separation space between a garden suite and a single family dwelling from 2.4 m to 2 m.
- 3. Final plans to be generally in accordance with the plans identified above to the satisfaction of the Assistant Director, Development Services Division, Sustainable Planning and Community Development Department."

# EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The purpose of this report is to present Council with information, analysis and recommendations for a Development Permit Application for the property located at 2208 Lydia Street. The proposal is to construct a garden suite in the rear yard of the subject property. The variance is related to the separation space between a garden suite and the main dwelling unit.

The following points were considered in assessing this Application:

- The proposal is consistent with the objectives for sensitive infill in Development Permit Area 15E: Intensive Residential - Garden Suites of the *Official Community Plan 2012 (OCP)*.
- The proposal is consistent with the policies and design specifications of the *Garden Suite Policy* (2011).

• The variance to reduce the separation space between the garden suite and the main dwelling unit would be required as a result of an existing deck that is attached to the main dwelling unit. If the deck is removed, the garden suite would exceed the minimum separation space requirement.

# BACKGROUND

# **Description of Proposal**

The proposal is for a garden suite in the rear yard of the subject property. Specific details include:

- The proposed garden suite is a modern-design and demonstrates a unique individual identity with contrasting materials, roof form and general architectural expression. The design complements the architectural diversity of the neighbourhood.
- Siding materials include concrete fibre panel, wood siding and a metal roof.
- New hard and soft landscaping would be introduced.

The proposed variance is related to reducing the separation space between the garden suite and main dwelling unit from 2.4 m to 2m. All other criteria of the R1-B-GS2 Zone, Single Family Dwelling with Garden Suite District, as detailed in the report associated with the concurrent Rezoning Application, are met.

# Sustainability Features

As indicated in the applicant's green building features summary dated November 13, 2014, the following sustainability features are associated with this Application:

- water conservation
- energy efficiency
- drought-resistant landscaping.

# Existing Site Development and Development Potential

The site is presently a single family home.

# **Community Consultation**

Consistent with the *Community Association Land Use Committee (CALUC) Procedures for Processing Rezoning and Variances Applications*, the applicant has consulted the Fernwood CALUC at a Community Meeting held on June 4, 2014. A letter dated June 12, 2014, is attached to this report. This is a requirement associated with Rezoning Applications.

# ANALYSIS

# **Development Permit Area and Design Guidelines**

The OCP identifies this property within Development Permit Area 15E: Intensive Residential - Garden Suites.

The Garden Suite Design Guidelines encourage garden suites to relate to the principal building in terms of materials, roof form and general architectural expression. The proposed garden suite is a modern building with a flat, sloping roof and is finished with natural materials. The roofline of the principal dwelling unit is hip-shaped, the exterior cladding is vinyl siding and a covered porch and gable form the entryway. Even though the garden suite and main dwelling unit have some architectural differences, the garden suite does fit in with the overall character and architectural diversity of the neighbourhood.

The proposed windows and entryway for the garden suite, the outdoor space and landscaping are consistent with the policies and design specifications of the *Garden Suite Policy* (2011).

The applicant is requesting a variance to reduce the separation space between the garden suite and the main dwelling unit from 2.4m to 2m. The reduction in the separation space is due to an existing deck on the rear side of the main dwelling unit. There are no Building Code issues associated with this reduction and any impacts associated with this requested reduction would be limited to the subject site.

# CONCLUSIONS

This proposal to construct a new garden suite is consistent with Development Permit Area 15E: Intensive Residential - Garden Suites. The garden suite creates an opportunity for another form of rental housing and it will provide a liveable environment for its occupants with minimal infringement on the neighbouring dwellings. Staff recommend that Council consider supporting this Application.

# ALTERNATE MOTION

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Report accepted and recommended by the City Manager:

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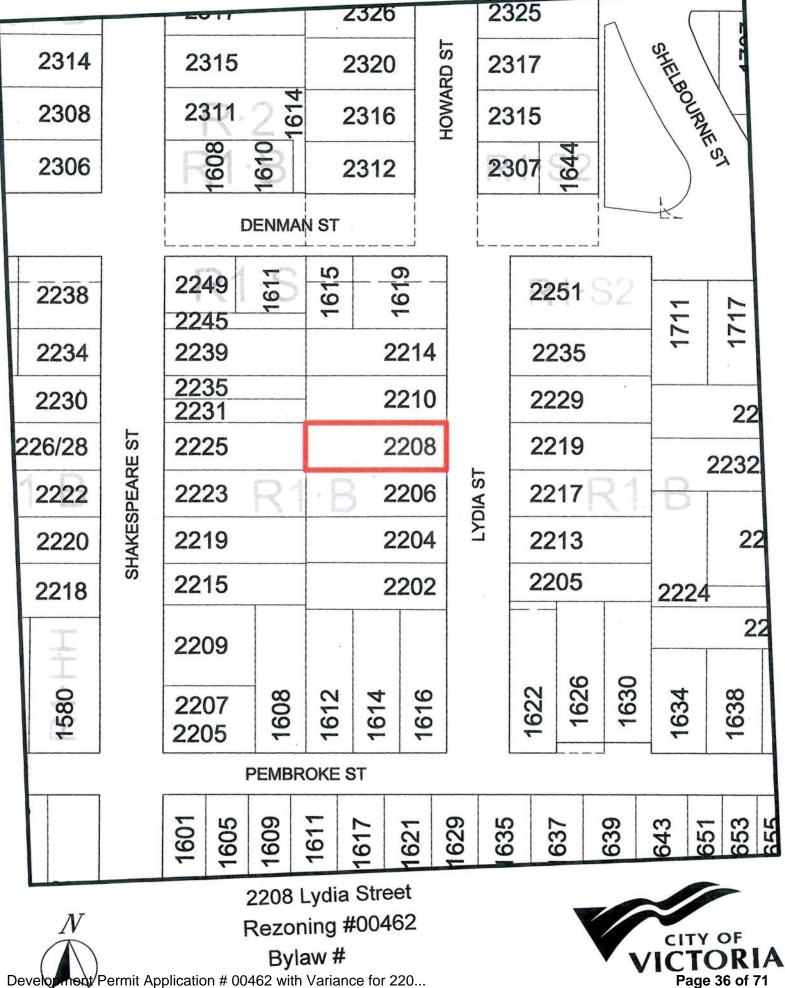
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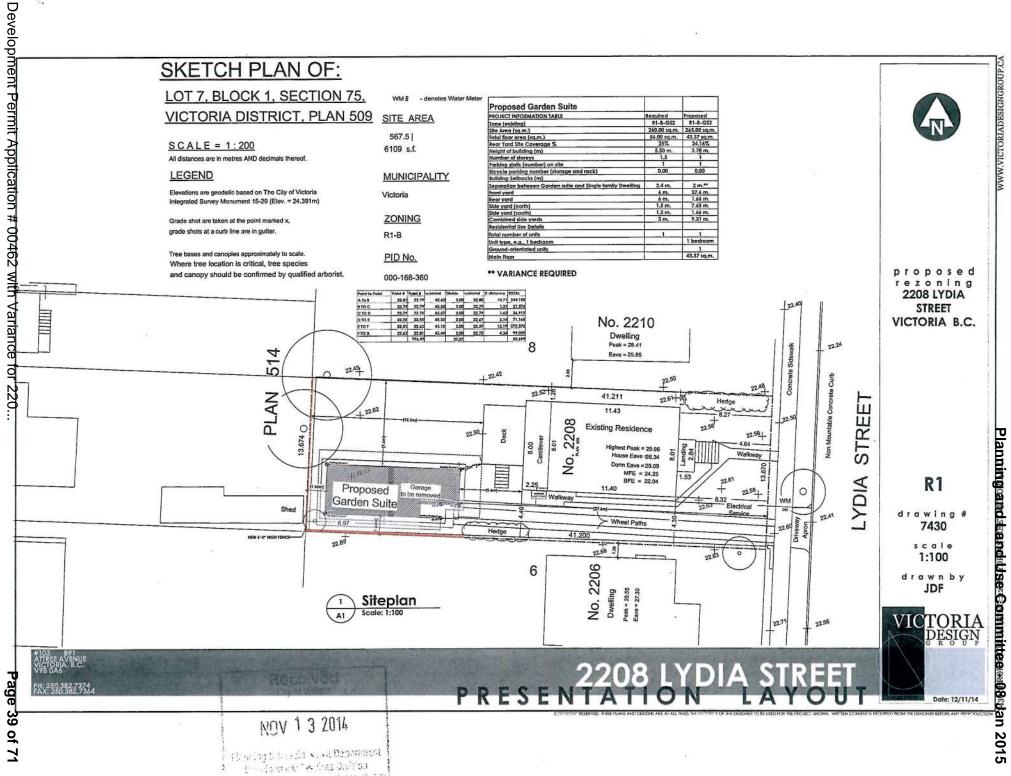
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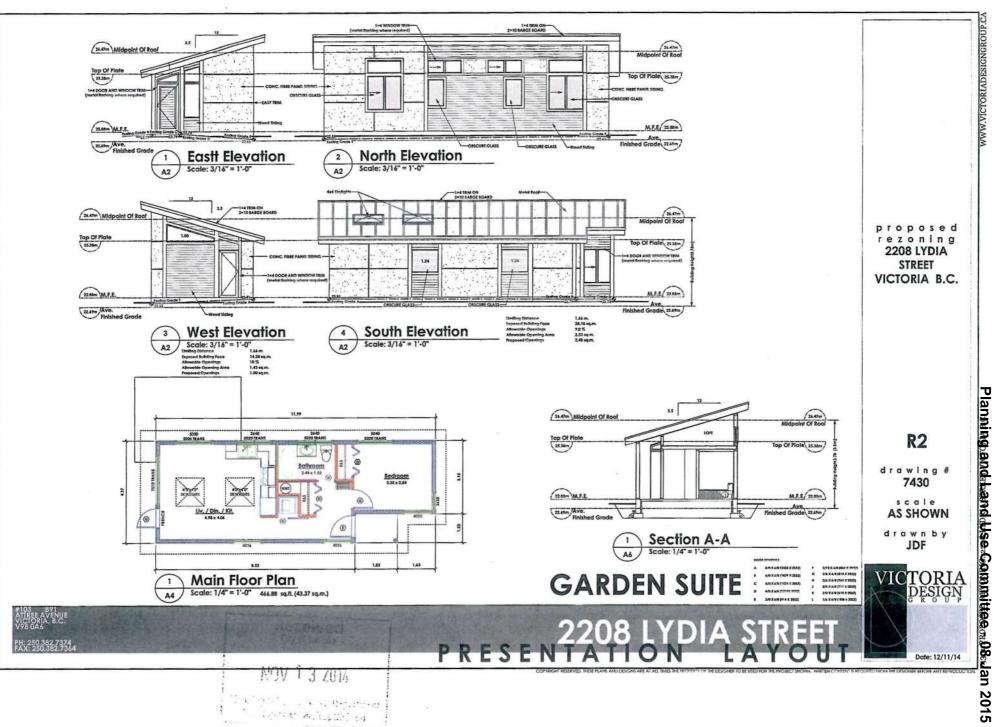


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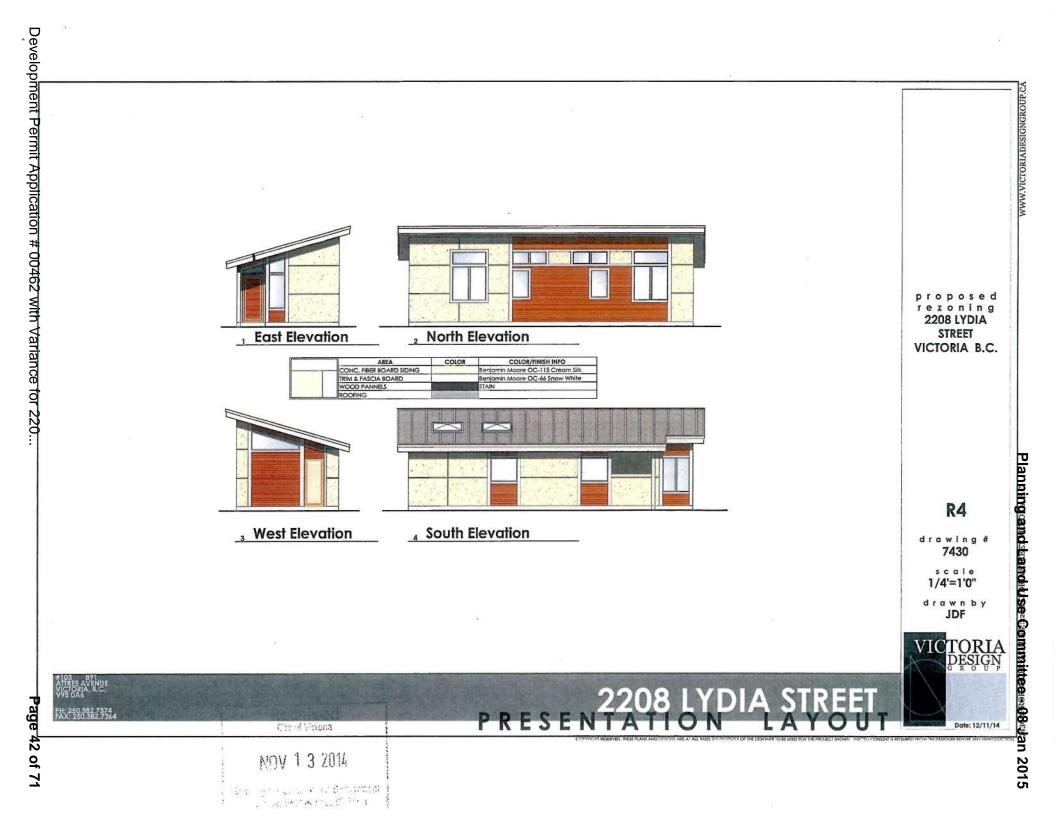


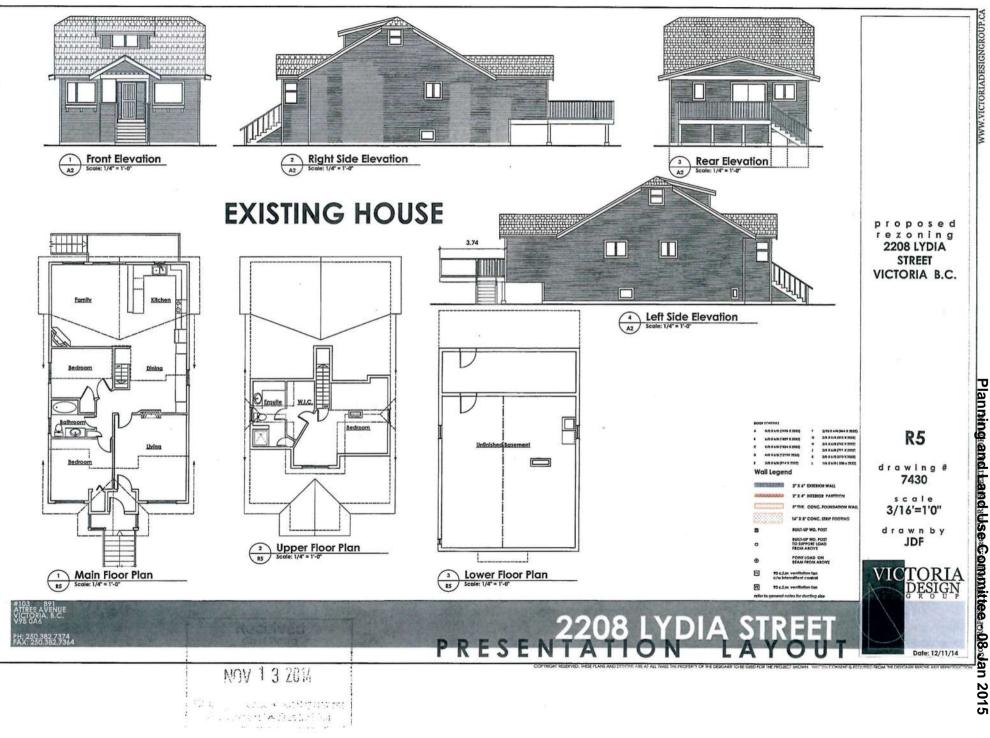
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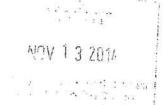
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To: Planning and Land Use Committee Date: December 11, 2014

From: Brian Sikstrom, Senior Planner, Development Services Division

Subject: Development Permit Application #000392 for 515 Pembroke Street

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#### EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The purpose of this report is to present Council with information, analysis and recommendations for a Development Permit Application for the property located at 515 Pembroke Street. The proposal is to install seven additional fermentation tanks to a brewery.

The following points were considered in assessing this Application:

- The proposal is consistent with relevant City Policy and Design Guidelines.
- The proposed tanks are in addition to 15 existing tanks on the property and their impact will be minimal.

#### BACKGROUND

#### **Description of Proposal**

The proposal is to install seven additional fermentation tanks to a brewery.

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Specific details include:

- The height and appearance of the additional tanks are the same as the existing 15 tanks on the property.
- the tanks are to the rear of the brewery, which fronts on Pembroke Street so the visual impact is minimal.

#### Sustainability Features

The applicant has not identified any sustainability features associated with this proposal.

#### **Existing Site Development and Development Potential**

The site is presently occupied by 15 fermentation tanks and a large electrical kiosk.

Under the current M-3 Zone, Heavy Industrial District, the 661m<sup>2</sup> property could be developed at a density of 3:1 Floor Space Ratio (FSR) and with the uses proposed, however, it could also be developed for a variety of other industrial uses.

#### **Community Consultation**

This Application does not propose any variances and, therefore, has not been referred to the Burnside Neighbourhood Association Land Use Committee. This is consistent with the Community Association Land Use Committee (CALUC) Procedures for Processing Applications.

#### ANALYSIS

The following sections provide a summary of the Application's consistency with the relevant City policies.

#### **Development Permit Area and Design Guidelines**

The Official Community Plan (OCP) identifies this property with in DPA #10B, Rock Bay Heritage. One of the objectives of the guidelines is to revitalize the area.

#### Local Area Plans

The Official Community Plan 2012, Downtown Core Area Plan 2011 and Burnside Neighbourhood Plan all recognize the application site as part of a key employment area where there is support for the continuation of industries. The scale and nature of the proposal is considered to be consistent with relevant City Policy and Design Guidelines.

#### CONCLUSIONS

The subject site is located within a well-established industrial area. The proposal for the seven additional tanks is recommended for Council support and the proposal is consistent with the relevant City policies.

#### ALTERNATE MOTION

That Council decline Development Permit Application #000392 for the property located at 515 Pembroke Street.

Respectfully submitted,

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Brian Sikstrom Senior Planner Development Services

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Alison Meyer, Assistant Director Development Services Division Sustainable Planning and Community Development Department

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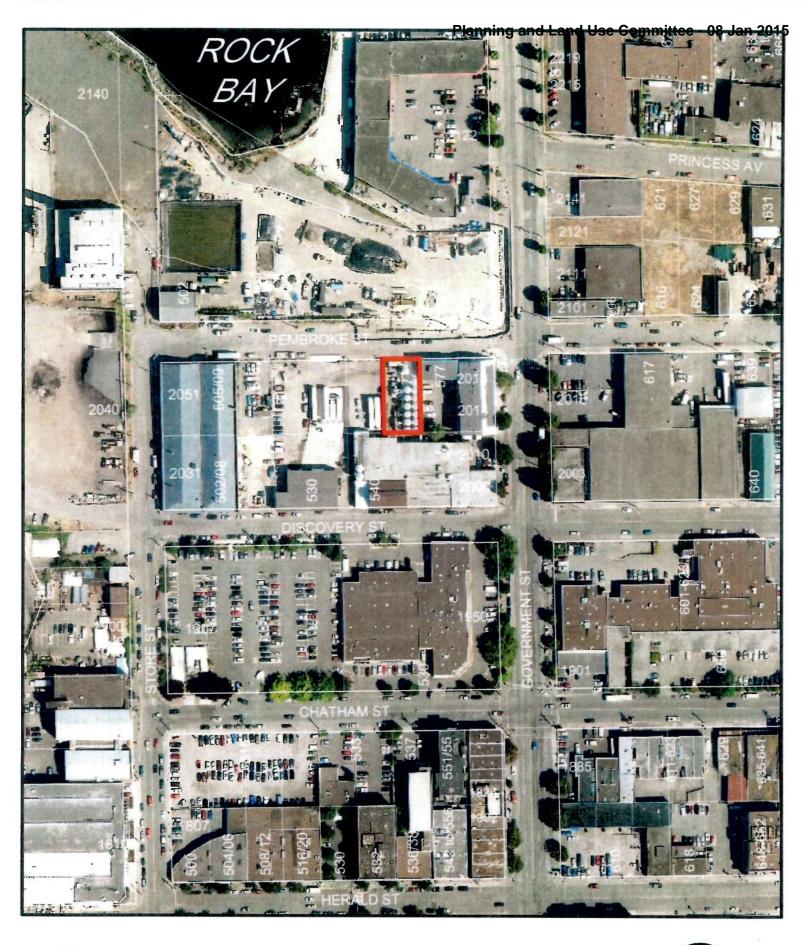
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#### List of Attachments

- Zoning map
- Aerial map
- Letter from the applicant dated October 2, 2014
- Plans dated October 3, 2014, and November 14, 2014.

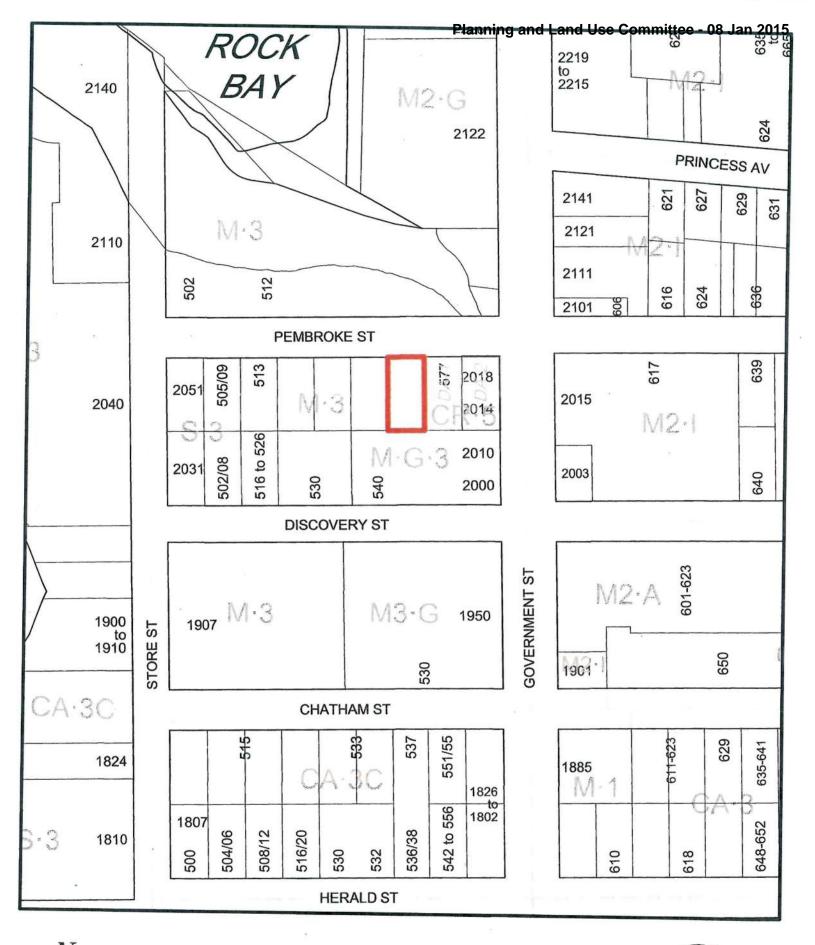


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October 2, 2014

Dear Mayor and council,

The development permit that I am submitting today is to allow for the addition of 7 more fermentation tanks at our Government Street facility. These will allow increased production at our facility, and will allow us to add two more positions in the brewing department.

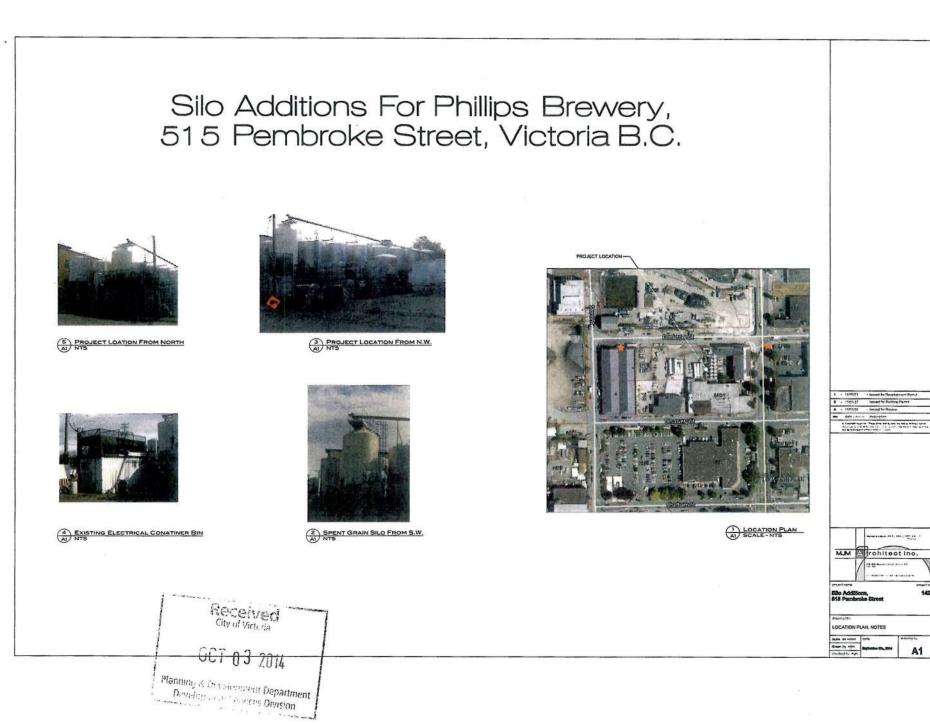
These tanks are exactly the same in dimension as the existing 15 tanks that we have in this same area, and will be built by the same supplier as the existing tanks, Specific Mechanical in Saanich.

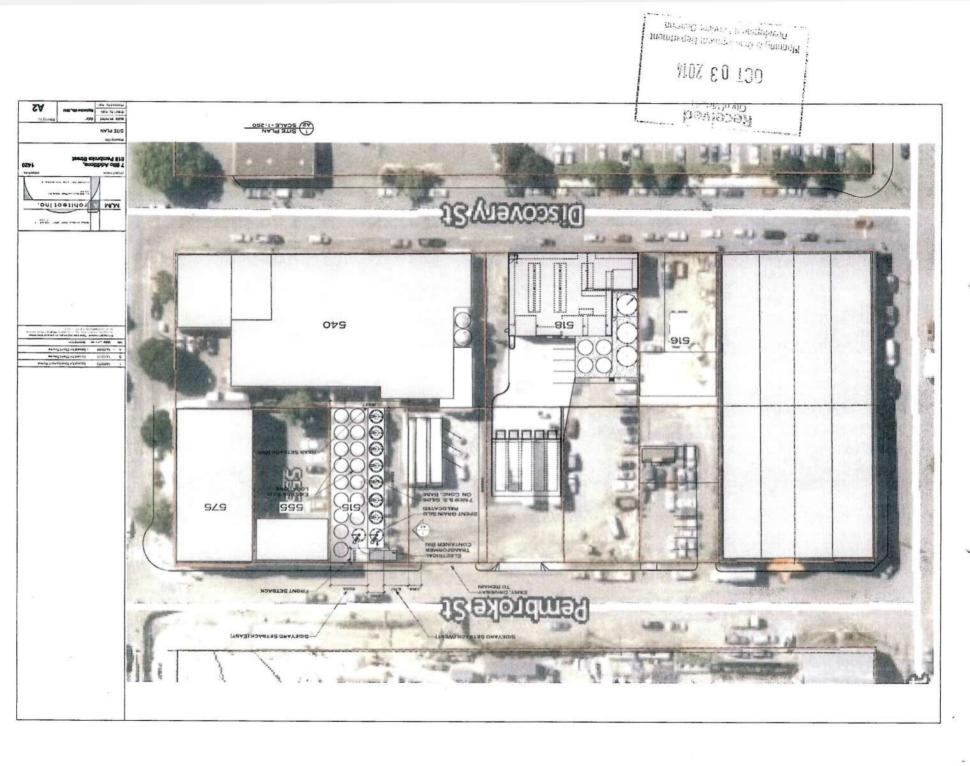
If you have any questions or concerns about the addition of these tanks, I would be happy to answer them at your convienience.

Thank you in advance for considering this,

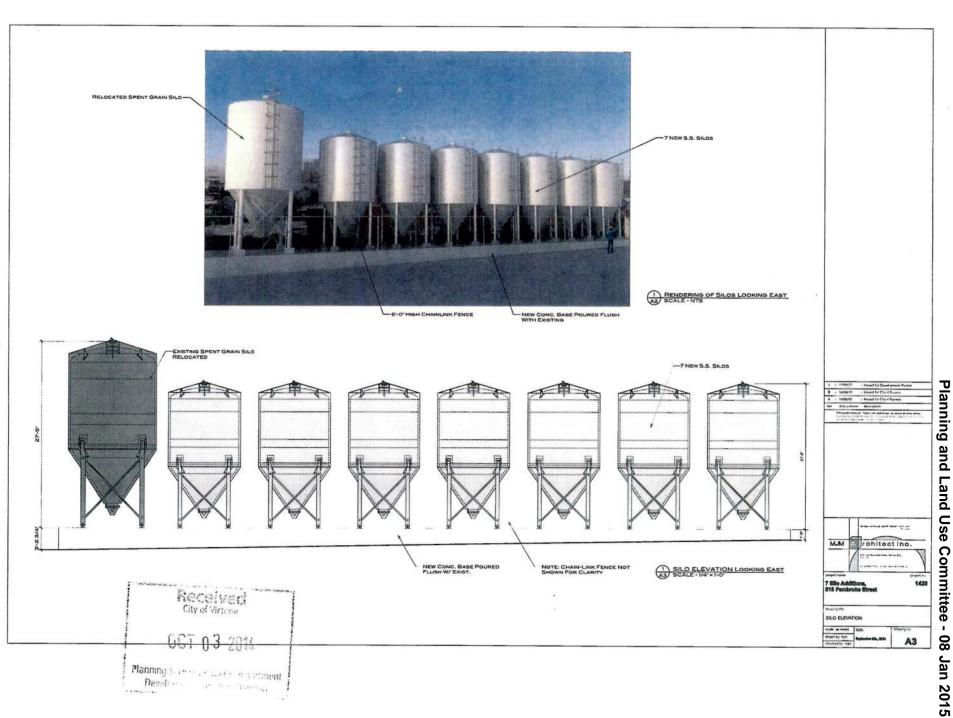
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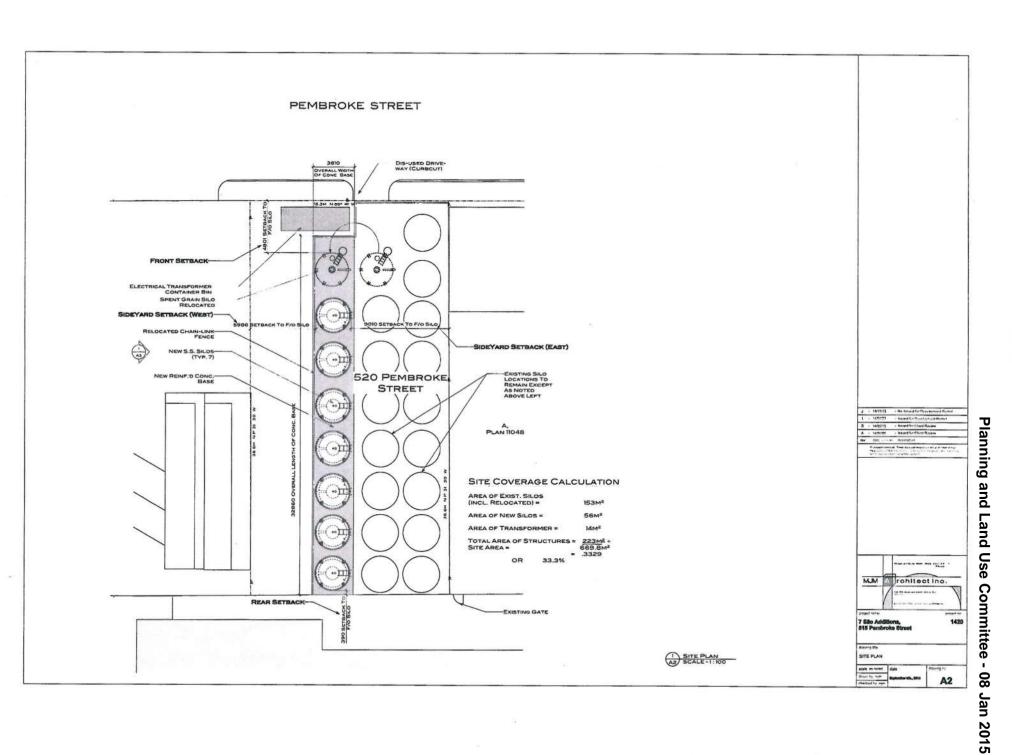
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## 2208 Lydia Street – Rezoning Application #00462





# Subject Property – 2208 Lydia St

## **Property to the North**





## **Property to the South**



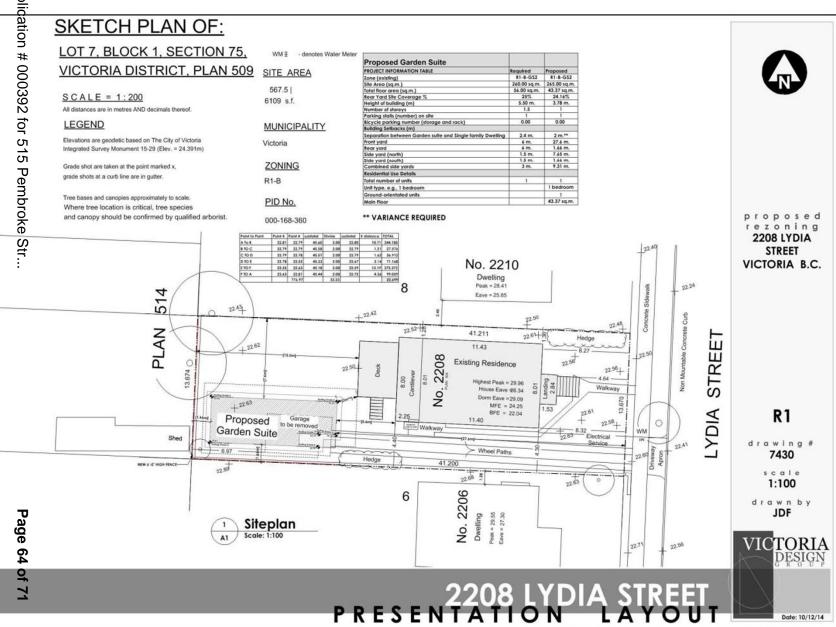
## **Properties across the street (East)**

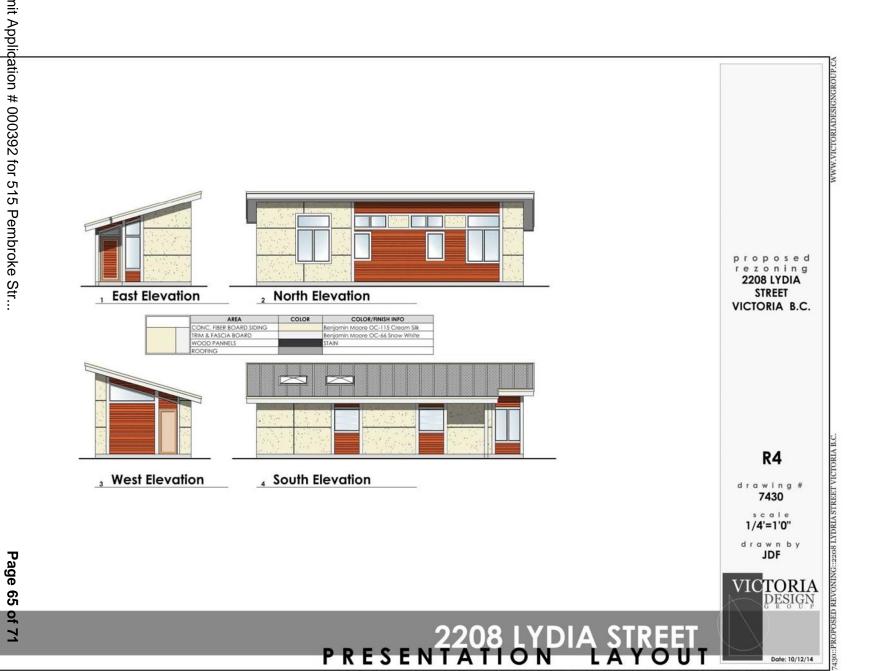


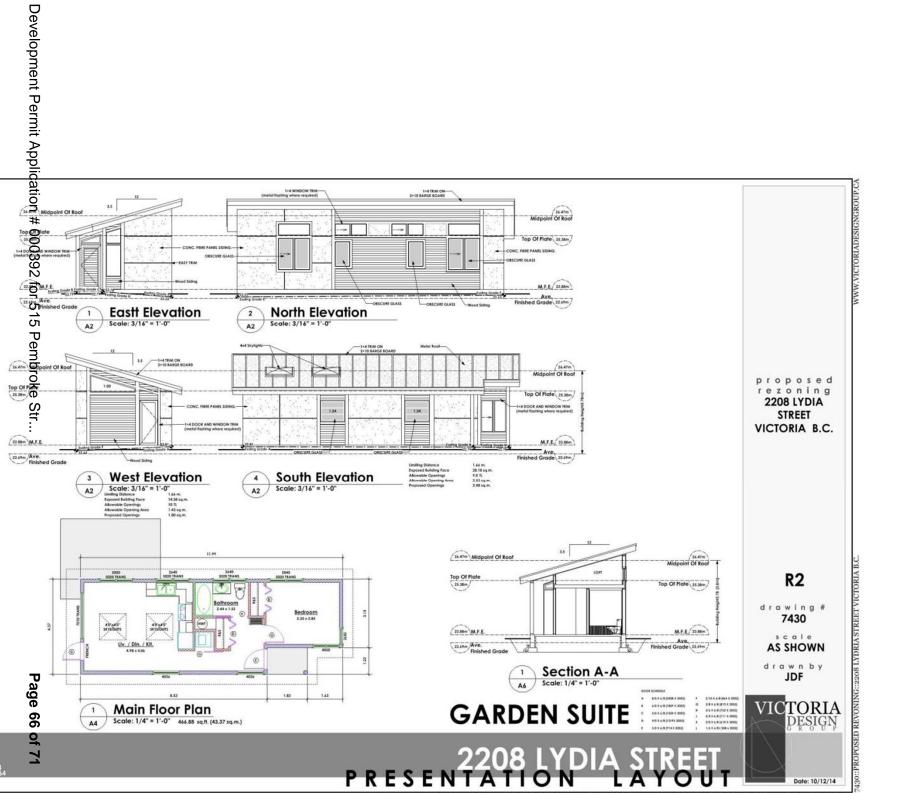
# **Properties to the West**





















#### **Council Member Motion** for the Planning and Land Use Committee meeting of January 8, 2015

Date: January 6, 2015 From: Councillor Isitt

Subject: Referrals to Gorge Waterway Initiative

#### BACKGROUND

The City has received the attached correspondence from the Gorge Waterway Initiative, requesting that land use and development applications fronting onto the waterway be referred to the organization for comment.

#### MOTION

BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council direct staff be refer land use and development applications on properties in Victoria West and Burnside-Gorge with frontage on the Gorge Waterway, Selkirk Waterfront and Upper Harbour to the Gorge Waterway Initiative for comment, with referrals limited to those applications already subject to a Community Meeting, and that the Community Meeting continue to be conducted as previously by the designated CALUC."

Respectfully submitted,

Councillor Ben Isitt

Attachments.

Letter from Gorge Waterway Initiative

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November 27, 2014

625 Fisgard Street, PO Box 1000 Victoria BC V8W 2S6 Tel: (250) 360-3299

File: 0360-20 Gorge Waterway Initiative Correspondence / Other

Mayor and Council City of Victoria #1 Centennial Square Victoria, BC V8W 1P6

Dear Mayor and Council,

#### RE: GORGE WATERWAY INITIATIVE AS REFERRAL AGENCY/STAKEHOLDER GROUP FOR REVIEW OF DEVELOPMENT PROPOSALS ALONG THE GORGE WATERWAY

At the Gorge Waterway Initiative (GWI) meeting of September 17, 2014, members decided to formally request the City of Victoria to include the GWI as a referral group when applications for development or rezoning of properties along the Gorge Waterway are received by your municipality. Although we are usually contacted by your staff when such applications are made, there have been times when this does not routinely happen. As a reminder, due to the nature of our initiative and the large number of members we now have on the steering committee, it takes a minimum of about three weeks for us to provide a coordinated response to a proposal or plan.

The GWI is a collaborative, community-driven group of organizations dedicated to the protection and enhancement of the natural and cultural features of the Gorge Waterway, Portage Inlet and surrounding watersheds. The goals of the GWI are to provide a forum for the exchange and sharing of information regarding the Gorge Waterway, Portage Inlet and their watersheds; promote education and awareness programs on appropriate land and water use; and to establish and encourage activities that show care and concern for the natural environment.

The GWI provides an opportunity for issues such as development and rezoning proposals on or adjacent to the waterway and major developments within the watersheds to receive a collective audience. The partner members can discuss responses in light of each other's mandates and as the issue or proposal relates to the common goals and objectives identified in the GWI's Stewardship Strategy for the Gorge Waterway.

If you have any questions or require clarification on the comments provided, please contact me at 250-360-3299 or at klloyd@crd.bc.ca. We look forward to continuing to work with the City of Victoria to ensure the protection of the Gorge Waterway and its unique ecosystems.

Sincerely,

Kitty Lloyd GWI Coordinator

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cc: R. Lapham, Chief Administrative Officer, CRD L. Hutcheson, General Manager, Parks & Environmental Services Department, CRD

Working together for the protection, restoration and enhancement of the waterway and its watersheds