

September 20, 2018

Dear Mayor and Council,

Re: Rezoning Application REZ00657 for 475 Gorge Road East

I am writing this letter in support of the Rezoning Application of 475 Gorge Road East for The Green Hart cannabis dispensary which is being presented before the Committee of the Whole on September 27, 2018.

I am a resident of Burnside Gorge and reside within 2 blocks of this business. The site of The Green Hart dispensary is always kept to high standards of appearance, with a clean lot, well maintained landscaping, and a graffiti free well kept building exterior. The staff's commitment to professionalism is evident throughout the business operation.

While I am not a supporter of the large number of cannabis dispensaries in Burnside Gorge, I am a strong supporter of this facility's application. Unlike many of the other businesses in my community the proprietor, Erin Drew, and the staff of The Green Hart are model community citizens. Their volunteer time commitments and financial contributions are much needed and appreciated by the Burnside Gorge community. Their actions in supporting their neighbourhood are what make a community a better place to live.

My interactions with The Green Hart staff has not been as a patron but through their ongoing community actions which have always been positive.

I appreciate the opportunity to comment.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Avery Stetski', written over a horizontal line.

Avery Stetski

Cc: Erin Drew, The Green Hart