

1402 Douglas Street – Rezoning Application:

January 29, 2019

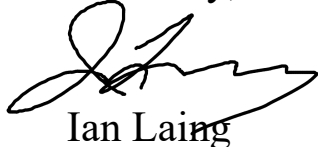
Re: Support for 1402 Douglas Rezoning.

To Whom It May Concern,

I am writing to confirm that I am the owner of the building located at 722 Johnson Street less than half a block away from the applicant's location.

I wanted to write mayor and council and express my support for this rezoning at this specific location and my support for the operator. This location is well suited for a retail cannabis location and I welcome this operator and use in the neighborhood.

Sincerely,



Ian Laing

Devon Cownden

From: Mia Yamanashi [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, January 30, 2019 3:36 PM
To: Development Services email inquiries; Zoning
Subject: Farm on Douglas complaint

Hi

Word is your council and the rezoning committee are considering changing the historical points of our city and shading out old windows which should be a loss and such a shame. could you please consider a different area or building.

thanks ;)

Mia Yamanashi

Devon Cownden

Subject: Heritage first

From: Mike Chef [REDACTED]

Sent: January 29, 2019 9:41 AM

To: Zoning <zoning@victoria.ca>

Subject: Heritage first

Dear City Officials,

Regarding :

Farm on Douglas in Victoria

Im disgusted that some of Canadian heritage will be lost by the fogging or hazing of the windows which I believe is a heritage building. Please do not allow this to happen. Why would you not choose another building or location which would not have this take place. I strongly disagree with the rezoning consideration and demand it be stopped immediately. As a Canadian I DON'T WANT this to happen to my HERITAGE. Lets take example from countries and protect it before its lost.

Yours truly,
M.Duncan

Devon Cownden

From: Anna Cole [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, January 30, 2019 2:47 PM
To: Ben Isitt (Councillor); Zoning; Victoria Mayor and Council; Development Services email inquiries
Subject: FARM ON DOUGLAS

Dear Victoria City Council Members and Government,

Re: Proposed Dispensary on Douglas

I am writing as a constituent to urge you to oppose repurposing of the heritage building on Douglas in Victoria. Hazing or fogging the windows of this heritage site to allow for repurposing or rezoning would irreparably deface this historic building, and disrespect our Canadian heritage. As a patriotic Canadian, I ask that you oppose this desecration of a historical site and work with other members of the council to find an alternative dispensary site. Our citizens deserve to have their heritage preserved for themselves and future generations. Please do not allow the rezoning to take place on Douglas.

Yours truly,
Anna Prokes

Devon Cownden

From: Jay Prokes [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, January 30, 2019 2:42 PM
To: Ben Isitt (Councillor)
Cc: Development Services email inquiries; Zoning; Victoria Mayor and Council
Subject: FARM ON DOUGLAS

Dear Victoria City Council Members,

Re: FARM ON DOUGLAS

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Yours truly,
Jadyn Prokes

Sent from my iPhone

Devon Cownden

From: William Standfore [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, January 30, 2019 2:25 PM
To: blsitt@victoria.ca
Cc: Development Services email inquiries; Zoning; publichearing@victoria.ca
Subject: Stop ruining our cities Heritage building/Farm on Douglas

Hi

As it has come to my knowledge that FARM ON DOUGLAS has applied to have rezoning which allows them to tint or shade the windows of the heritage building I have walked passed many times and wish it remain apart of the Canadian heritage we have left. lets protect it and not destroy it please please please do not allow this to occur. why not pick another location nearby and more modern which keeps our cities heritage alive and well for the future generations to enjoy as much as we have. Looking forward to your reply...

Sincerely
Bill

Devon Cownden

From: Mich chan [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, January 30, 2019 2:56 PM
To: Victoria Mayor and Council; Zoning; Development Services email inquiries
Subject: Our city/No to rezoning heritage bldg

Hi Mr mayor and council,

I wanted to make my voice heard on the matter of Farm on Douglas request to change a heritage building windows and shade them or make some changes to the building. Definitely not cool !! I think I would feel bad telling my grandchildren about how we took something old with plenty of history and culture left in it to make a weed shop. Ya this isnt cool at all . I would rather different options . Like a modern building or something less notable on a culture scale.

Proud Canadian ,
Chanko

Devon Cownden

From: donna crowe [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, January 30, 2019 5:41 PM
To: Development Services email inquiries

Dear City Officials,

Regarding :

Farm on Douglas in Victoria

I would like to join the list of people who disagree with the application to alter the heritage building where they plan to open a pot shop and change a monumental and historic buildings appearance. Please don't allow the change

Yours truly,

Donna Crowe

Sent from my iPhone

Pamela Martin

From: Victoria Mayor and Council
Sent: January 30, 2019 2:37 PM
To: Public Hearings
Subject: FW: rezoning of farm dispensary

From: Neil Owen Photography [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, January 30, 2019 2:11 PM
To: Victoria Mayor and Council <mayorandcouncil@victoria.ca>; Lisa Helps (Mayor) <LHelps@victoria.ca>
Subject: rezoning of farm dispensary

RE: rezoning of farm dispensary

Mayor and council of Victoria BC,

I send this email as I DO NOT support the rezoning of farm dispensary. While I do support the sale of recreational and medicinal cannabis in this province, all applications must fit within the guidelines set out by the province. Farm Dispensary is 110 metres away from another dispensary, and that does not comply with the 400m mandated by provincial regulations. The building is a heritage building, and I do not think that the frosted glass required by provincial regulations is allowed in a building that has that designation.

Thank you for reading this.

Neil Owen
[REDACTED]

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From the desk of Neil Owen
[REDACTED]

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Pamela Martin

From: Victoria Mayor and Council
Sent: January 31, 2019 10:48 AM
To: Public Hearings
Subject: Fw:

From: donna crowe [REDACTED]
Sent: January 30, 2019 5:40 PM
To: Victoria Mayor and Council
Subject:

Dear City Officials,

Regarding :

Farm on Douglas in Victoria

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Yours truly,

Donna Crowe

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Pamela Martin

From: Victoria Mayor and Council
Sent: January 30, 2019 4:12 PM
To: Public Hearings
Subject: FW: Farm On Douglas /Heritage building

From: Pam Swann [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, January 30, 2019 3:12 PM
To: Victoria Mayor and Council <mayorandcouncil@victoria.ca>; Zoning <zoning@victoria.ca>; Development Services email inquiries <DevelopmentServices@victoria.ca>
Subject: Farm On Douglas /Heritage building

Good Afternoon Mayor,

My nephew and I were having a tea and he told me about some legal cannabis shop trying to change some of Canadian heritage by fogging out some windows on the historical building. We both think Farm on Douglas should not go through with those types of changes to our cultural buildings. Therefore I demand it stopped please and thank you. Just chose a less established cultural building to make history and not erase what has been here already.

Yours Truly,

Pamela Swann

Pamela Martin

From: Victoria Mayor and Council
Sent: January 30, 2019 4:28 PM
To: Public Hearings
Subject: FW: Farm Re Zoning issue 1402 Douglas St

From: Derek ter Mul [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, January 30, 2019 2:25 PM
To: Victoria Mayor and Council <mayorandcouncil@victoria.ca>; Lisa Helps (Mayor) <LHelps@victoria.ca>
Subject: Farm Re Zoning issue 1402 Douglas St

Good day Major and Council,

I was informed recently that there will be a vote tomorrow for a potential Re Zoning of the dispensary Farm at 1402 Douglas St.

If I'm not mistaken that is a heritage building that restricts frosted windows that dispensaries in Victoria require. On top of that they are also located within 200 meters of another dispensary (Lotus Land). These issues raise red flags and are cause to turn down this bid.

Kindest regards,

Derek Ter Mul

Pamela Martin

From: Victoria Mayor and Council
Sent: January 31, 2019 10:50 AM
To: Public Hearings
Subject: Fw: Regarding: Farm on Douglas in Victoria

From: Stephane Constantineau [REDACTED]
Sent: January 30, 2019 5:48 PM
To: Victoria Mayor and Council; Zoning; Development Services email inquiries
Subject: Regarding: Farm on Douglas in Victoria
Dear City Officials,

I would like to ask you don't change the heritage or cultural values of the building in this rezoning application.
I do not want to see a piece of glass tinted on the old structure. Thank you.

Steph C.

Pamela Martin

From: Victoria Mayor and Council
Sent: January 30, 2019 4:18 PM
To: Public Hearings
Subject: FW: Respecting laws in place

From: Jane Michaels [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, January 30, 2019 8:52 AM
To: Lisa Helps (Mayor) <LHelps@victoria.ca>; Victoria Mayor and Council <mayorandcouncil@victoria.ca>
Subject: Respecting laws in place

Hey,

I'm a designer that works in Victoria and Toronto. I truly believe that farm dispensary should not be licensed downtown.

They are within 200m from another dispensary and they are in a heritage building. All dispensaries need to frost their windows like you said on the news a couple of weeks ago Lisa so there's absolutely no reason this licence should be moving forward, please respect the laws that are in place.

PS I love the bike lane upgrades great touch! Keep up the great work Lisa

Thanks,

Jane