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City of Victoria
1 Centennial Square
Victoria, BC V8W 1P6

Attention: Mayor Lisa Helps and Council

**RE: Development Permit & Variance Application - Rental Residential Building 610,
618-624 Herald Street & 611-635 Chatham Street Old Town, Victoria, BC**

As a property and local business owner in Old Town, our Group is writing to express our unequivocal support for the above noted development permit and variance applications.

The development fits within the Old Town fabric with design and architectural features that respect the historic nature of the area. As a local business, we are feeling the effects of a tight labour market and the impacts a lack of rental housing in Victoria has on our businesses and employees.

I trust that this letter conveys our excitement and support for this project and the benefits it will bring to the fantastic Old Town neighbourhood.

Respectfully,



Keith Barbon, CEO
The Truffles Group of Companies

