Jan.24, 2018

Dear Mayor and Council:

Re: Development Variance Permit #00186 – 1322 Rockland Ave

My response to the staff EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

Question: 1. What guardlines are employed in the subdivision application? Zoning Regulation Bylaws or OCP and Rockland Neighborhood Plan?

Question: 2: If there is a conflict, which one supersedes?

Zoning Regulation Bylaw requires: 2,800 square meters for the existing buildings, we give 3,205 square meters!

Where does the Zoning Regulation Bylaw require to create the view corridor towards the mansion in LOT 1 from LOT2? This will result in take away 1/3 my building land!

Even if the OCP and Rockland Neighborhood Plan were applied, only the two variances should be evaluated against. Our 2 variances are exactly what the OCP and Rockland Neighborhood Plan are wanted: Protect Heritage Value and Character. Demolishing the coach house and the car port will demolish the historical value and character!

Registry of Heritage house does not take away owners the subdivision right according to Land Title Act and Local Government Act!

Regarding Driveway and Garry Oak tree report, we were only given a couple of days to come up with the report. And the final report was done today!

Please stop this highly prejudicial practice in the City of Victoria. We are living in the law and order society!

Submitted respectfully,

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