

## Hildebrandt, Tina

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**From:** Correspondence Group, City Clerk's Office  
**Sent:** Monday, March 10, 2014 10:00 AM  
**To:** Public Hearing  
**Subject:** FW: Public Hearing, March 13, 2014 12 noon

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**From:** Marilyn Symonds s.22(1) Personal and Confidential  
**Sent:** Saturday, March 08, 2014 10:58 AM  
**To:** Correspondence Group, City Clerk's Office  
**Subject:** Public Hearing, March 13, 2014 12 noon

I am e-mailing you in regards to your public hearing for 2405 - 2445 Cornwall Avenue, Vancouver, B.C. on March 13th, 2014

My husband has been a resident of Point Grey Private Hospital for the past six years. The facility is extremely well run and the staff are professional, kind, efficient and caring. My family and I are in support of these two buildings being renovated and enlarged due to the fact that there are not enough care beds or facilities within the city.

Point Grey has an ideal location in that it is surrounded by the ocean, beautiful beaches and is centrally located. The residents have the opportunity to enjoy the parks and beaches whether they are able to go out or simply enjoy the incredible views.

The aging population is an extremely fast growing segment of our province and country. Developing quality facilities that reflect and cater to this need is something that I greatly support and am happy to be a part of.

M. Symonds

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**From:** Michael Fraser s.22(1) Personal and Confidential  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 06, 2014 7:39 PM  
**To:** Public Hearing  
**Subject:** Point Grey private hospital

I'm in favor of the point Grey private hospital expansion

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Michael Fraser

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**From:** Correspondence Group, City Clerk's Office  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 06, 2014 10:22 AM  
**To:** Public Hearing  
**Subject:** FW: Public Hearing 2405-2445 Cornwall Avenue (Point Grey Private Hospital) March 13 2014 at 130pm at City Hall.

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**From:** Mike Adams s.22(1) Personal and Confidential  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 06, 2014 10:17 AM  
**To:** Correspondence Group, City Clerk's Office  
**Cc:** s.22(1) Personal and Confidential  
**Subject:** Public Hearing 2405-2445 Cornwall Avenue (Point Grey Private Hospital) March 13 2014 at 130pm at City Hall.

We are writing in support of amending the zoning bylaw for the above address so as to allow expansion of the current Point Grey Private Hospital. Unfortunately we cannot attend the meeting in person since we will be away.

We have a relative, Irene Rowson currently residing in the Point Grey Private Hospital. We can ascertain that this is a first class seniors facility, well run, very well staffed and accommodating the needs of many seniors. We are indeed fortunate that she managed to find a bed.

For anyone who takes the trouble to look at the numbers, it is obvious that there is a current desperate need for many more of these beds on the Westside of Vancouver and, as the demographics clearly show, this need will become greater in the future. For those opposing this rezoning, we would ask the question where do they think these seniors are going to live? Are we planning to be a society that banishes our elderly to commercial areas far from their relatives and without access to outdoor parks and the ocean? Have we reached such heights of NIMBY thinking that we want to have these seniors out of sight and out of mind as they try and live the rest of their lives in peace and comfort in a residential community?

If we are truly interested in having a diverse sustainable community in Vancouver, we need to accommodate everyone, that includes cyclists and seniors. These are relatively quiet and unobtrusive neighbours, most are in bed by 8pm!

We hope the council will act in a responsible manner to satisfy the needs of society at large and not be overly swayed by voiceferous neighbours who seem to want to pull up the drawbridge behind them and keep others out of an environment that they themselves enjoy living in.

Regards Mike and Hilary Adams

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**From:** Correspondence Group, City Clerk's Office  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 06, 2014 10:20 AM  
**To:** Public Hearing  
**Subject:** Duplicate: Public Hearing, March 13th, 2014 re: Cornwall Ave. Development

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**From:** Wolfe, Kate s.22(1) Personal and Confidential  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 06, 2014 9:34 AM  
**To:** Correspondence Group, City Clerk's Office  
**Subject:** Public Hearing, March 13th, 2014 re: Cornwall Ave. Development

Dear Mayor and Council of the City of Vancouver,

I am writing you today to request that you give careful consideration to the lack of existing long term care beds in the Vancouver West Side and the need for future expansion. Our family has lived on the west side of Vancouver since the late 1940's, and is currently managing two elderly parents, one with advanced Alzheimer's and one with dementia. Fortunately for us, we recognized the need for increased care well before the critical stage and were able to get on a waitlist for Point Grey Hospital. Our wait took about one year to get a room for our mother, first privately funded then eventually publicly funded. Meanwhile our father was placed in a private facility (Amica at Arbutus Manor) until we were recently able to reunite him with our mother at Point Grey Hospital.

Our whole extended family resides on the west side of Vancouver, so it was paramount that we find suitable accommodation within easy distance of our homes and work places. When we did our initial search, we were disheartened at the lack of suitable options in our neighborhood.

Our experience with Point Grey Hospital is that it is run with great compassion for its residents and their families, while maintaining a healthy respect for its neighbors. We never have any trouble finding parking on either Cornwall Avenue or in the parking lot on the north side of the building. It is also conveniently located on the bus route along Cornwall.

The demographics of our aging population dictate that demand for long term care facilities is rising steadily. Now is the time to plan for the future, and the current development application put forth for the Cornwall Avenue site goes a long way to alleviate the pent up demand. We are very much in favor of this development being approved.

Yours truly,

Barbara Quinn

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**From:** Correspondence Group, City Clerk's Office  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 05, 2014 11:12 AM  
**To:** Public Hearing  
**Subject:** FW: Cornwall Avenue Development - Public meeting March 13

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**From:** Wolfe, Kate s.22(1) Personal and Confidential  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 05, 2014 11:01 AM  
**To:** Correspondence Group, City Clerk's Office  
**Cc:** 'pghosp@telus.net'  
**Subject:** Cornwall Avenue Development - Public meeting March 13

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Yours truly,  
Kate Wolfe

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