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From: Correspondence Group, City Clerk's Office
Sent: Monday, January 16, 2017 11:28 AM
To: Public Hearing
Subject: FW: development of 530 and 575 Drake Street

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From: T s.22(1) Personal and Confidential
Sent: Saturday, January 14, 2017 2:28 PM
To: Correspondence Group, City Clerk's Office
Subject: Re: development of 530 and 575 Drake Street

I will certainly be attending the hearing. I am absolutely AGAINST the proposed social services facilities to be used by Covenant House at this location! I have been a homeowner residing directly behind Covenant House for 13 years now and while I appreciate the work they do (I have worked for the city in Education for over 20years) our quality of life, in our chosen neighborhood, has been eroded with the added two buildings on Seymour and Drake as well as the other "More than a Roof" building. We deal with so much from the Granville street low income buildings/addiction services/Coast Mental Health (on Seymour) in the area that with the addition of these facilities it will certainly become (even more) unsafe. That is a guarantee! I have lived in the downtown core for 35 years and don't appreciate that I no longer feel safe to walk my dog down the lane or worry about heading across the street to simply grab some milk at Shoppers without the threat of harm. How sad . I love my neighborhood and you are taking away our right to a quality life. Our lanes are filled with needles, drug deals and people struggling and our children are on guard every second . At least have these services in the downtown core away from residential homes and families .

It's too much in this 5 block radius!!!!

Sent from my iPhone