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I understand that companies hire paid consultants to assist them but I was very surprised they were able to speak at the public hearing. I also feel that the applicant was given so many opportunities to speak and the formal presentation time for the hospice was very short. The whole process seemed to be biased.

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1. Based on personal experience, The closure of the Hospice is a certainty. A temporary closure will cause loss of staff and expertise.

2. We did not anticipate the development of neighbouring adjacent properties when we considered this location for the hospice. But we did anticipate the City of Vancouver would consider us a community asset and call on us when they became aware of the intention of the developer. In actual fact, the City only met with us after they had received the application and implicitly approved it for recommendation to the Council.

The staff received the application in February 2018. The staff have told us that by the time they receive the application, they are satisfied with it to the point that they would recommend it to the council. The public information meeting was then a window dressing.

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