

2. CD-1 Rezoning: 1026-1108 West 41st Avenue - Support

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2024-06-13	09:16	2. CD-1 Rezoning: 1026-1108 West 41st Avenue	Support	<p>There has been a very small increase in the total number of assisted living units in BC (around 2%) over the past five years. This is not sufficient. We need to see more care facilities built in the coming years to keep pace with BC’s aging population. There are many reasons why seniors move into assisted living facilities – some require memory care, have mobility/accessibility challenges, or need support to manage their medications and health. There are also many seniors who can no longer keep up with cooking and household maintenance or are suffering from social isolation and would like to have more opportunities to engage with others. There are tons of seniors living on the WestSide (where I am a resident by the way), so I think this is exactly where we should be concentrating seniors housing. I support this rezoning application.</p>	Dylan Elliott	Kitsilano	
2024-06-13	10:56	2. CD-1 Rezoning: 1026-1108 West 41st Avenue	Support	<p>My name is Brent Hanson. I am writing this personally but also as the Chair of the Redevelopment Committee for the Louis Brier Home & Hospital, which is across 41st Ave from this rezoning. As I am unable to attend the Public Hearing and give my support in person I wanted to make sure that Council knows of my support for this rezoning and project. It is a much needed project in this area and will offer services we desperately need. Not only that, I also grew up in this area and have had aging grandparents and now aging parents that feel the lack of care facilities within their neighbourhood. It is a scary thought for them to potentially have to leave the area and even Vancouver for proper care. Projects like this one allow for seniors to remain in their neighbourhood as they age, which is a key factor to their overall mental health. Most importantly, projects like this one will also relieve the burden that publicly funded or non profit care facilities currently face. Louis Brier has a long waitlist that continues to grow and we need the relief that the extra beds will bring. I am in full support of this rezoning and I urge council to support it as well. Thank you!</p>	Brent Hanson	I do not live in Vancouver	