

**Miscellaneous Amendments – Zoning and Development By-law and Various Other By laws and Land Use Documents - Support**

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2025-02-10	16:51	Miscellaneous Amendments – Zoning and Development By-law and Various Other By laws and Land Use Documents	Support	Hello, I am writing to ask that city council urgently help to reopen Check Your Drugs drug checking services at 880 E Hastings. These services are essential in preventing overdose and poisoning deaths. Please stop the VPD from raiding Dana Larson's Mushrooms Dispensaries, since these are what funds the lifesaving drug checking services, and mushrooms are harmless. I write this as a concerned NP with over 20 years experience in mental health, addictions, and harm reduction, including 17 years experience working in the DTES. Closing Drug Checking is going to be very lethal, and will affect people from all walks of life, including youth and working people. Please intervene urgently. Thank you. - Keren Mitchell MN-NP(F), RCC	Keren Mitchell	Strathcona	