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Public Hearing March 27, 2023 re: Item 3

From: Krista Woodward To: **External-Clerks**

Subject: [EXTERNAL] 8th & 8th, New Westminster, Townhouse Development with Heritage House Revitalizations

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New Westminster City Hall,

My name is Krista Woodward and I have been a resident of New Westminster since 2000. I am writing to express my support for the townhouse project located 8th & 8th. I would love for there to be an increase in affordable housing in the city, as I do not own a house and would love to one day. As well I recognize the value of providing affordable housing options for possible teachers or others who may struggle to afford a single-family home. As an artist myself (stained glass so really New Westie), I also appreciate the heritage notes of this design. I think aesthetics and designs are important, and important to the city of New Westminster. To be honest some of the development designs I have seen lately have been really unattractive. I think New West is losing its character and beauty so I really appreciate any effort to create a nice design fitting into the city and providing increase in affordable housing in the city.

I strongly urge City Hall to support this project, which I believe will have a positive impact on the community. Thank you for your time and attention to this matter.

Sincerely, Krista Woodward