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Subject: Proposed Liquor/Beer store on Queensway and 20th

Hello,

I would like to register my opposition to the proposed liquor store in the old Pizza hut building on Queensway. I live within a couple of blocks of this location and we already have to deal with the elements that live in the VLA district. I am not saying that all the people that live there are undesirable but the low rent and multiple duplex/fourplexes usually do attract the wrong people. We live on the north side of 20th and it is considered the good side of 20th. We currently have to deal with prostitution in the area (including in our backyard) and I have more than once had to clean up drug paraphernalia in the back alley directly behind our house. I drive by the beer store on Strathcona as well as the one off Victoria, near parkland. The piles of litter strewn about and the abundance of homeless people make me think that this kind of thing is drawn to liquor outlets like a magnet and I/We try to keep our street drug and vagrant free as much as possible! Please reconsider changing the zoning and allowing the liquor store to reside there!

Regards Rob Newton 1942 Larch Street

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