The Mayor a Councillors vote mo to the youth home and By Law change on Grouse Road.

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9832 Haldi Rd.,
Prince George, BC
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To the Mayor and all City Councillors,
We do not want a youth group home in our neighborhood!

The reasons are as follows:

- -We don't have enough water! Some of us have to pay for water to be hauled in. A group home should be on city water.
- -The septic systems for all homes are set up according to the number of people in the house. Not the 5 youths and 2-5 supervisors and drivers. Up to 9 or 10 at any one time
- -We had an electrical outage this last weekend. No electricity for about 19 hours and so after about 6 hours no bathroom facilities.
- -The road is not maintained well. Haldi always has potholes and they are not always fixed even though we phone. Also the hill before Grouse Road has been dug up,

and then rebuilt, it has also been redone again and paved and is in constant need of care.

-Grouse road is excellent for kids to ride bikes and play on because it is quiet and safe. All the extra traffic from the supervisors, the delivery trucks, the water trucks supplying enough water for the house, and the septic trucks needed to empty the septic when there is twice the number of people living there than is allowed, makes for a very unsafe road for children.

-The by law in place makes for a good neighborhood. Please do not change it. The Shift company can put in as many youth, adults, and other people if you change the by law from Community Care Minor to Community Care Major. They want to start a business in our neighborhood with however many people they want to have. Many of us have lived in this area for over 20-40 years and enjoyed being with neighbors. If we wanted to live beside a business we would have moved to town.

Thank you,

Carol Helland