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From: Patricia Kneller [REDACTED]
Sent: Friday, November 20, 2020 4:55 PM
To: Council; corporate
Subject: Fwd: White Gold Utilities Undergrounding Project

November 20, 2020

Dear Mayor and Council,

I Patricia Kneller, 7324 Fitzsimmons Road S, Whistler, BC have been a homeowner in White Gold since April of 2007. I am writing to you as a SUPPORTER of the White Gold utilities undergrounding project.

I want to Thank you for your decision on November 3, 2020 to progress the White Gold undergrounding project.

This project has been in the talk and process for a few years now and we are very excited to see it finally move forward in our community!!

I understand that there is a small handful of homeowners that oppose the project but I want to let you know that at NO time did I feel pressured to accept or go along with this project. All homeowners were given ample time, detailed information and transparency regarding the project to voice their concerns and I am happy to see the majority of the homeowners cast their votes in favor of the White Gold Utilities project. In addition to the vote we were all given a second chance to confirm our decisions to go forward with the project. The RMOW project team documentation was thorough and detailed. I did take my vote seriously as it is costly but in the end felt that the costs are very well worth the project. Thank you to all who volunteered the countless hours to see this project through!!

The community has voted to improve our neighborhood by burying the utilities as all new development is required to do so. There are a number of benefits including beautification of the street as this is a well loved and used walking pathway to the village. The timing is perfect for the repaving of the road, saving all of us money. Fire safety from the overhead lines. Reduced power outages, and I look forward to not seeing any more shoes hanging from the power lines! This project will enhance our neighborhood and will be appreciated by many.

City Council, I trust that you will take into consideration that the majority of homeowner in White Gold have voted in favor of this project when you review your decision on December 1, 2020.

Thank you all for taking the time you have put into making Whistler a wonderful place to live.

Sincerely,

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