



**ROCKLAND NEIGHBOURHOOD ASSOCIATION**

**November 5th, 2008**

**Mayor and Council  
City of Victoria  
1 Centennial Square  
Victoria, B.C. V8W 1P6**

**Dear Mayor Lowe and Council,**

**Re: rezoning of 1001 Terrace Avenue**

**As a neighbourhood association that has endeavored to honour the rezoning process agreed upon by CALUC and the City, we are alarmed and dismayed at Council's willingness to ignore a fundamental step in this process. We refer to the requirement that there be a community meeting before a rezoning proposal goes to public hearing.**

**If Council initiates rezoning and ignores the CALUC process, how are citizens to trust in the impartiality of the councilors? Indeed, who is qualified to adjudicate a rezoning proposal that Council itself is promoting?**

**We have no doubt that the other community associations would join us in our condemnation of such disregard for process, and urge you to reconsider.**

**Sincerely,**

**Janet Simpson, Chair  
Land-Use Committee  
Rockland Neighbourhood Association**

**Cc P. Ballantyne  
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B. Sikst**