## Subject: FW: Your e-mail re Billboards

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> Dear Mr. Waugh:

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> Don't be angered by the "Billboard" proposal but instead prepare for the
> next election. The reason I say so is not only for the reasons as stated
> in your letter but also because one - the bridge will not solve the
> traffic problem on Dollarton but will on the contrary exacerbate it and
> number two - this is merely the beginning of the uglification of the
> District and three - the District has access to millions of dollars
> provided we have the political courage to take back what is ours, namely
> all the money we spend to subsidize the City of North Vancouver via the
> Rec Commission including providing playing fields. They are building the
> high-rises and we are building the playing fields.
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> That is quite apart from all the other serious shortcomings in how we
> manage the District resources. The bottom line is that the Billboards are
> a way out to divert attention from the issues we have failed to address.

Shore which is the reason why those same taxpayers have moved and are > living here in the first place.

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I say get ready for the next election in full knowledge that, unless there
 are going to be changes in the makeup of Council this coming November the
 uglification of the District will proceed with accelerated speed.

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> Thank you for speaking out.

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> Yours truly

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Ernie Crist

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