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A Message from Ernie Crist;


Allow me to congratulate the speakers who addressed District Council on Monday Jan 20-2003 to voice their concerns regarding Council's handling of "Northlands" and to demand an outside audit. A special bouquet to Liz James, David Sadler, Jeremy Dalton, Doug McKay-Dunn, Alan Orr, Alex Schatroph, Laurie Johnston and Patrick Murray for their principled and statesman like address.

I consider the above mentioned persons including those who wrote to Council such as Bill Tracey and Peter Thompson to be among the most socially aware and conscientious citizens in our community. A decision to conduct an independent outside audit of the "Northlands" affair was made by the outgoing Council on Nov 30 - 2002 but was ignored by the present Mayor and Council more or less.

It is clear from the message conveyed both by the speakers and those who wrote letters that the democratic spirit of this community is very much alive. The message to the Mayor and Council of the District was clear and unanimous - we will not tolerate incompetence and/or corruption, real or perceived, and we expect Council to act in accordance with the democratic standards Canadians have fought for in long and bitter struggles and paid for with their blood. The struggle for good government begins in our own community, the District of North Vancouver.

Ernie Crist

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