

## Rhonda West

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### Mayor and Council

First Name Doug and Debbie  
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Subject: Rezoning - 341 - 361 Fraser Ave NW

Body

We wish to object to the proposed rezoning of this property. While we appreciate the difficulty of the issue for which rezoning is being considered, we submit that the issue is not a local government matter and should be deferred to the Federal and Provincial governments.

The attempt by BC Housing to draw the City into an issue that it cannot suitably address is yet another example of downloading by the province - and we have seen many. Council's own newsletter identifies Policing and Emergency Services as its single highest cost item. The proposed initiative (a band-aid on a severe wound) will only increase these costs for the City.

Amazing groups, such as the Salvation Army, Gospel Missions and other non-profit groups have repeatedly advised that short-term solutions aren't working and will not work. So why facilitate another?

If this initiative proceeds, we will, in advance, offer our sympathy to the residents of Salmon Arm who have invested dearly in homes and infrastructure in the area of the subject proposal.

Thank you for considering our submission.

Would you like a response:

Yes

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