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Dear Mayor and Council,

On Thursday September 17th, it came to our attention that there would be a traffic pattern change on Spring Street commencing [September 28th](#). We are uncertain as to whether or not we are more disappointed or shocked in City Hall's decision to move forward with the proposed change. We find it unfortunate that stakeholders in your decision were not consulted or even notified with the proposed changes, given that Port Moody has implemented the "Good Neighbour Policy." It seems that City Council has forgotten this.

As a business that has been operating in one of Port Moody's oldest buildings and one of the largest tax payers for the past 22 years, we should have been informed of these decisions well in advance. Changes such as these do not happen overnight, in fact, they take months of preparation. It seems very undermining.

A number of years ago when Queen's Street was closed to implement "Queens Street Plaza," our liquor store saw a decline in sales of over 20% due to the redirection of traffic. When we were forced to shutdown the Burrard Public House from March 17th to July 8th, the liquor store was the only reason we were able to continue operating. One of the main reasons for this was the accessibility from all routes, including Spring Street.

We strongly encourage City Council to put a halt to this decision in order to consult with all Moody Centre businesses to find a proper resolution.

Regards,  
Damir Dugandzic