



NORQUAY VILLAGE

Community Meeting in Chinese
June 2, 2009, 6:30 pm to 9:00 pm
Norquay Elementary

New Housing Discussion:

- Concerned about the rate of density change and new type of housing units introduced in Norquay as a result of the Plan
- Feel that recent City policy on secondary suite and laneway housing are sufficient for change in the neighbourhood
- Recent change at 29th & Slocan from single-family to small apartment was not a positive one with a lot of new people loitering; residents now detour to avoid walking on that side of the street
- Do not want Norquay to turn into development like the Collingwood Village clustering of apartment highrises around Joyce Skytrain Station
- Strong support on just adding housing along Kingsway
- Concerned about additional housing without improvement on:
 - Safety (e.g. homelessness, drug trade, panhandling, nuisance behaviour)
 - Transit services
 - Services (e.g. washroom maintenance) in local parks like Norquay
- Need information and ways to deal with population increase related to safety