

File No.: 04-1000-20-2020-213

April 21, 2020

s.22(1)

Dear s.22(1)

Re: **Request for Access to Records under the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (the "Act")**

I am responding to your request of April 2, 2020 for:

**All responses to Affinity Cannabis Store Inc.'s provincial cannabis application notice placed on window at 5403 Victoria Drive, from February 1, 2020 to March 6, 2020.**

All responsive records are attached. Some information in the records has been severed, (blacked out), under s.22(1) of the Act. You can read or download this section here: [http://www.bclaws.ca/EPLibraries/bclaws\\_new/document/ID/freeside/96165\\_00](http://www.bclaws.ca/EPLibraries/bclaws_new/document/ID/freeside/96165_00)

Under section 52 of the Act, and within 30 business days of receipt of this letter, you may ask the Information & Privacy Commissioner to review any matter related to the City's response to your FOI request by writing to: Office of the Information & Privacy Commissioner, [info@oipc.bc.ca](mailto:info@oipc.bc.ca) or by phoning 250-387-5629.

If you request a review, please provide the Commissioner's office with: 1) the request number (#04-1000-20-2020-213); 2) a copy of this letter; 3) a copy of your original request; and 4) detailed reasons why you are seeking the review.

Yours truly,

Cobi Falconer, FOI Case Manager, ATIP, for

[Signature on File]

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**From:** s.22(1)  
**To:** "Cannabis Comment" <Cannabis.application@vancouver.ca>  
**Date:** 2/25/2020 4:00:38 PM  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] 5403 victoria dr

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Dear City of Vancouver,

I live at s.22(1), and I support this store at 5403 Victoria Drive opening and carrying provincial cannabis products. I constantly walk by this location, I have spoken with the ownership a few times now. I whole heartily agree with their business approach because they care about local residents.

In my opinion, its legal, let them open. They seem to be cleaning up the space and will actually bring some diversified business to the neighbourhood. I have seen multiple illegal shops operating in the neighbourhood, but this one is the only one doing it by the book, which I like.

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**From:** s.22(1)  
**To:** "Cannabis Comment" <Cannabis.application@vancouver.ca>  
**Date:** 3/4/2020 5:47:12 PM  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] 5403 victoria dr

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I would like to submit my comments in support for the provincial retail cannabis application at 5403 Victoria drive cannabis store. I would like to see more higher-end stores on the block like this one. s.22(1)  
s.22(1) I would like to see more diversity of shops and stores on the block. Currently there are multiple chiropractors, massage parlours and over saturation of beauty salons. We need some more regulated activity on this block and I think a provincially licensed store will do that.

Thanks for considering my comments,

s.22(1)

Sent from my iPhone

**From:** s.22(1)  
**To:** "Cannabis Comment" <Cannabis.application@vancouver.ca>  
**Date:** 3/1/2020 11:51:31 AM  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] 5403 Victoria Drive; SUPPORT

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I would like to see the Cannabis Store at 5403 Victoria Drive get approved. s.22(1)  
This place is perfect for this store, it will clean up that corner of Vic and 38. The last business here had all these nasty signs making the place an eye store. These new cannabis stores look nicer than apple stores, something like this will raise our property values.

**From:** s.22(1)  
**To:** "Cannabis Comment" <Cannabis.application@vancouver.ca>  
**Date:** 3/2/2020 11:34:41 AM  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] 5403 Victoria Drive

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I would like to express my support for Affinity Cannabis at 5403 Victoria Drive. In my opinion this store has done everything they can to meet the needs of the community, I think we need to give them a chance. I have no objection to them opening.



**From:** s.22(1)  
**To:** "Cannabis Comment" <Cannabis.application@vancouver.ca>  
**Date:** 2/29/2020 7:05:09 PM  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] 5403 victoria drive

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Dearest Sirs and Madamô's,

This email is about Affinity Cannabis Store Inc. (5403 Victoria Drive) I would love if this store opened. I am regular on walks in the neighbourhood and this would be very convenient for me to walk to the store.

s.22(1) I would like to buy from government stores in my neighbourhood. This is a few minutes from my home s.22(1) and I would love to shop here. We request you promptly grant this application.

s.22(1)

**From:** s.22(1)  
**Sent:** Saturday, February 29, 2020 6:39 PM  
**To:** Cannabis Comment  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] 5403 Victoria Drive

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This community on Victoria Drive is one that I have called home for my whole life. I have seen this street go through ups and downs. I have seen illegal cannabis retailers but never a licensed one. So I am writing to support the application by Affinity Cannabis at 5403 Victoria Drive.

One fact has always remained people do not think very highly of the street, they describe it with words like “ghetto.” Why? Because the businesses on the street have zero street appeal, they don’t clean up, they have graffiti all over them, and smoking cigarettes in front of your store is a regular thing. In the early 2000’s when the BIA came into effect I thought things would change, but all these people did is promote more of the same. I don’t really know what their purpose was. We need the cities help to get more diversification in the neighbourhood.

I want to see a licensed store on this block and a reduction of business overlap. There are at least a half dozen nail salons. I have seen these new cannabis stores and they look amazing inside, we need things like that, that will attract people into the neighbourhood. Nobody is coming here for a nail salon.

Sent with [ProtonMail](#) Secure Email.



**From:** s.22(1)  
**To:** "Cannabis Comment" <Cannabis.application@vancouver.ca>  
**Date:** 2/29/2020 12:53:12 PM  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] 5403 Victoria Drive

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I support Affinity Cannabis application at 5403 Victoria drive. I live on s.22(1) and have no issues with this store. Have spoken with owner at my door, no objections on my end.

thx

s.22(1)

**From:** s.22(1)  
**To:** "Cannabis Comment" <Cannabis.application@vancouver.ca>  
**Date:** 2/27/2020 8:46:46 PM  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] 5403 Victoria Drive

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To Whom it may concern. I am long time resident on s.22(1). The store applying at 5403 Victoria drive is minutes from my home. I have no issue with this store, and would like to see them open. I support their mission. Thanks.

**From:** s.22(1)  
**To:** "Cannabis Comment" <Cannabis.application@vancouver.ca>  
**Date:** 2/27/2020 1:22:50 PM  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] 5403 Victoria Drive

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Hi there, I would like to say I have no issue with the store proposed at 5403 Victoria Drive by Affinity Cannabis. We have had a long discussion and I think they will have a good impact on the business community at large. I would appreciate if my support is considered as part of their application.

**From:** s.22(1)  
**To:** "Cannabis Comment" <Cannabis.application@vancouver.ca>  
**Date:** 2/29/2020 9:38:54 AM  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] 5403 Victoria Drive Application

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Hi, I own a s.22(1) up the block from 5403 Victoria drive. s.22(1)  
So me and my team would be all for this store opening. Please consider our support, the community needs more diversity.

Thanks for considering our support.

**From:** s.22(1)  
**To:** "Cannabis Comment" <Cannabis.application@vancouver.ca>  
**Date:** 2/24/2020 4:03:42 PM  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] 5403 Victoria Drive Cannabis store

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Hi I write to support for store at 5403 Victoria Drive. Legal store better than illegal. I happy if approve.  
My home on s.22(1) thanks for listen.

**From:** s.22(1)  
**To:** "Cannabis Comment" <Cannabis.application@vancouver.ca>  
**Date:** 3/3/2020 5:14:40 PM  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] 5403 Victoria Drive Cannabis

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To Whom It May Concern,

I am a local resident living on s.22(1). This shop is literally down the street. I have had some ladies griping about the kids and the youth at my door in the summer then again in late November. They claimed marijuana users were junkies and they were "family oriented" and wanted me to write a letter saying the daycare was too close. Firstly is this the type of city where we can just make up stuff and get people to sign off? Secondly people already smoke weed in this neighbourhood and guess what its legal; why we trying to stop a legal shop from opening makes no sense to me. I wrote in support before, but its still not open. We really need to be more progressive as a city and not label people that choose one vice over another as "junkies" or not "family oriented" I have a family, and I enjoy cannabis. Please allow this shop to open at 5403 vic dr. Ill be a client.

s.22(1)



**From:** s.22(1)  
**To:** "Cannabis Comment" <Cannabis.application@vancouver.ca>  
**Date:** 2/27/2020 8:08:35 PM  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] 5403 Victoria Drive Support

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Writing to show my support for 5403 Victoria Drive application. I would like to see this store open. Need more diversity on this street. I live on s.22(1) and would like to shop here. thx.



**From:** s.22(1)  
**To:** "Cannabis Comment" <Cannabis.application@vancouver.ca>  
**Date:** 3/3/2020 5:04:18 PM  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] 5403 Victoria Drive

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Hi, I am a local resident, born and raised in Vancouver. I am writing to support the provincial application at 5403 Victoria Drive.

I have kids and I have no problem with this store opening in the neighbourhood. s.22(1)

We have a opioid crisis in Vancouver, we shouldn't be stopping these stores from opening but supporting them.

s.22(1)

Sent from my iPhone

**From:** s.22(1)

**To:** "Cannabis Comment" <Cannabis.application@vancouver.ca>

**Date:** 2/24/2020 4:18:31 PM

**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Application: 5403 Victoria Drive

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**To whom it may concern,**

**I live at 5555 Victoria drive and walk by proposed location everyday. I write to give strong support to 5403 Victoria retail cannabis application. Please approve this application because we need store front diversity on this block and very nice to see actual legal application on block.**

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**From:** s.22(1)  
**To:** "Cannabis Comment" <Cannabis.application@vancouver.ca>  
**Date:** 2/25/2020 9:58:24 PM  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Cannabis 5403 Victoria Drive

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Hello,

My family & I are in full support of the application at 5403 Victoria Drive. We live on s.22(1) a couple streets away from this store.

I normally do not write these letters but this group seems to want to do good by the community and change this stigma being spread around by a select few. I feel like they deserve a chance.

Please submit my support.

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From: s.22(1)  
To: [Cannabis Comment](#)  
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Cannabis Comment  
Date: Thursday, March 05, 2020 9:59:33 AM

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I am writing you to let you know that my family and I are in support of provincial application by Affinity Cannabis at 5403 Victoria Drive.

Here is why we support:

- 1) We feel we should have a licensed shop in the area to set the bar for the quality of shop the neighbourhood will accept.
- 2) This application considers that there is a park near by and a day care. The day care only overlaps with them 4 times a week, meaning they would only be open 3 hours a day at the same time. It doesn't get any better than that. This daycare is only limited to 20 kids at a time, so the impact on the number of people in the community is nothing relative to size of community. The cannabis act also ensures there will be no appealing signage for children.
- 3) They have implemented a security plan that outright bans clients if they are seen smoking around the store or in the part near the school. Huge bonus for people concerned about park smokers.
- 4) This store by following federal and provincial regulations can be a happy medium for the detractors and the supporters.

**From:** s.22(1)  
**To:** "Cannabis Comment" <Cannabis.application@vancouver.ca>  
**Date:** 2/26/2020 9:26:00 AM  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Cannabis comment

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Hi I write for support 5403 Victoria Drive Cannabis Store

Please allow this store open and I can buy this on my walk home, I prefer to shop at government store so I know what I buy and our community is missing this.

**From:** s.22(1)  
**To:** "Cannabis Comment" <Cannabis.application@vancouver.ca>  
**Date:** 3/5/2020 10:17:25 AM  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Cannabis Comment

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I am writing my comments in support for the provincial cannabis application at 5403 Victoria drive by Affinity Cannabis Store. I believe they should be able to operate their store as they have taken steps to minimize community impact.

Thank you

s.22(1)



**From:** s.22(1)  
**To:** "Cannabis Comment" <Cannabis.application@vancouver.ca>  
**Date:** 3/3/2020 7:15:31 PM  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Cannabis Comments

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Good Morning, writing to express my thoughts. As a local business owner a few doors down from 5403 victoria drive. I have no concerns or objections with this store opening. I am all for new businesses in the neighbourhood.



**From:** s.22(1)  
**To:** "Cannabis Comment" <Cannabis.application@vancouver.ca>  
**Date:** 2/24/2020 1:52:40 PM  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Cannabis Retail License: 5403 Victoria Drive

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Hi,

I am writing to show my support for the application at 5403 Victoria Drive for a cannabis store. Their team visited my home and explained their values thoroughly and I agreed with many of the measures they took to ensure everyone in the community was happy.

I also think having a provincially licensed store will be a lot better than stores that have been open on victoria drive in the past.

Thank you,

s.22(1)

**From:** s.22(1)  
**To:** "Cannabis Comment" <Cannabis.application@vancouver.ca>  
**Date:** 3/2/2020 1:29:34 PM  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Cannabis Shop 5403 Victoria Drive

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Hi,

I regularly get my nails done a couple doors down at Belle Hair & Nail Salon, I would be in support of the application at 5403 Victoria drive for a Cannabis Store. Seems like a safe place to buy since the police station is right there. As a woman I find it intimidating to enter some of these stores but from talking to the owners this place seems like it will be good.

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**From:** s.22(1)

**To:** "Cannabis Comment" <Cannabis.application@vancouver.ca>

**Date:** 3/4/2020 5:44:11 PM

**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Cannabis Store: 5403 Victoria Drive

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Address: 5403 Victoria Drive Vancouver

Comments:

I walk by this store everyday, its up the street from my house. I like this company is going through the entire licensing process. Look forward to it opening, no objections from me or my family, we support this new store.

**From:** s.22(1)  
**To:** "Cannabis Comment" <Cannabis.application@vancouver.ca>  
**Date:** 3/2/2020 11:45:31 AM  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Cannabis Store 5403 Victoria Drive

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Hi, I wanted to write into say I support the provincial cannabis store at 5403 Victoria Drive opening. I walk by this shop on my way home all the time and it is going to be nice to have a nicer store in the neighbourhood.

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**From:** s.22(1)

**To:** "Cannabis Comment" <Cannabis.application@vancouver.ca>

**Date:** 3/5/2020 4:52:30 PM

**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] comments about cannabis store

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Location of sign: 5403 Victoria Drive for a Cannabis Retail Store

This neighbourhood needs a provincially licensed retail store - they have more regulations and tighter standards for protecting the youths.

I support the steps this store has taken to limit their community impact and respect they are going through a provincial licensing process when so many have blatantly ignored it. I would like to see it open. just my two cents.



**From:** s.22(1)  
**To:** "Cannabis Comment" <Cannabis.application@vancouver.ca>  
**Date:** 3/4/2020 3:00:26 PM  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Comments on Affinity Cannabis Store Inc. - 5403 Victoria Drive, Vancouver, BC

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Hi,

I am sending this email to inquire the decision behind approving Affinity Cannabis Store Inc. proposal to use the location at 5403 Victoria Drive, Vancouver, BC (Development permit # 2019-00452). An email was sent to Louis Ng in November 2019 stating the concern that I have against approving a cannabis retail store in very close proximity to an early childhood education center. Penpals Montessori serves children from the age of 2.5 to 6 and is merely 40m away from the proposed address for Affinity Cannabis. I understand that a Montessori is not legally classified as a school but this is where children spend a significant amount of time at. Penpals Montessori serves the function of both a day care center and a kindergarten where young children learn.

The zoning and development bylaw states that Cannabis Store is not permitted within 300 m of the nearest property line of a site containing a school – elementary or secondary, or community centre or neighbourhood house. I believe this particular section of the bylaw was incorporated because it is essential to strategically situate recreational cannabis retail outlets not too close to premises where children often visit. Therefore, I believe that permitting Affinity Cannabis Store Inc at 5403 Victoria Drive which is merely 40 meters away from Penpals Montessori goes against the principle of having cannabis stores away from children.

I strongly urge the City of Vancouver to review this application once again.

Thank you,

s.22(1)

**From:** s.22(1)  
**To:** "Cannabis Comment" <Cannabis.application@vancouver.ca>  
**Date:** 3/5/2020 2:57:46 PM  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Comments On Cannabis Sign

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My name is s.22(1). My comment is I would prefer a licensed cannabis store open in this neighbourhood, so the black market drop offs can stop in the alley. I support the store at 5403 Victoria Drive because it is getting provincially licensed. This will bring tax revenue in for the city and it will help to put money into the local economy.



**From:** s.22(1)  
**To:** "Cannabis Comment" <Cannabis.application@vancouver.ca>  
**Date:** 3/4/2020 3:18:54 PM  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Comments On Cannabis Store

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Hi I support the application for a cannabis store at 5403 Victoria Drive. I live on s.22(1) Ave this is a welcomed addition to the neighbourhood. Stores here need more street activation and diversity.

**From:** s.22(1)

**To:** "Cannabis Comment" <Cannabis.application@vancouver.ca>

**Date:** 3/5/2020 4:42:14 PM

**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Comments

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ADDRESS: 5403 Victoria Drive Vancouver

I support this cannabis store application on Victoria and E38th. Will be a welcomed addition to our community and local business owners.

**From:** s.22(1)  
**To:** "Cannabis Comment" <Cannabis.application@vancouver.ca>  
**Date:** 2/25/2020 6:40:46 PM  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Province Application 5403 Victoria Drive

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To Whom It May Concern,

This letter is in regard to the application at 5403 Victoria Drive for a Cannabis Store. I support this application 100%.

I live on s.22(1) this store is about a 5-7 minute walk from my house, I do not drink but I like to enjoy cannabis occasionally in the comfort of my own home. I would like to see this store open, as it will bring legal products that I currently buy online.

I prefer a discreet buying experience that is licensed by the government. Please approve this store.

**From:** s.22(1)  
**To:** "Cannabis Comment" <Cannabis.application@vancouver.ca>  
**Date:** 3/2/2020 3:57:04 PM  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Province Application 5403 Victoria Drive

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I want the retail cannabis shop for 5403 Victoria Drive. I live close by s.22(1). There are many folks in the community that use cannabis. I would love to by government grade cannabis products on my walk through the neighbourhood. I live s.22(1) and this would be veryyy good for me. s.22(1)

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s.22(1). This will make my quality of life better, i would hope city considers my concern. thx s.22(1)

**From:** s.22(1)

**To:** "Cannabis Comment" <Cannabis.application@vancouver.ca>

**Date:** 3/3/2020 3:50:21 PM

**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Province Cannabis Store 5403 Vic Drv

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Address: 5403 Victoria drive

Writing in support of the application for a retail cannabis store. Long time resident of the neighbourhood. I have spoken with the owners, and read their community letter - I agree with what they are doing to limit impact on the neighbourhood. This is more than I have seen any business do on this block.

**From:** s.22(1)  
**To:** "Cannabis Comment" <Cannabis.application@vancouver.ca>  
**Date:** 2/29/2020 5:16:31 PM  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Provincial Application 5403 Victoria Drive

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With respect to a retail cannabis store application 5403 Victoria Drive. Just my comments... I have been looking for a government store to buy CBD for my parents and some products for myself. This would make it very simple for me to buy as I reside on s.22(1) Please help to approve this application.

Thanks



**From:** s.22(1)  
**To:** "Cannabis Comment" <Cannabis.application@vancouver.ca>  
**Date:** 2/26/2020 5:38:38 PM  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Provincial Application Cannabis Retail

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Hello,

I am writing to let you know me and my family support the marijuana application at 5403 Victoria Drive. We are looking for a place that sells government cannabis products in our neighbourhood. For many years I have lived on s.22(1) and this neighbourhood has been in the gutter. Would it kill some of the business owners to come out of their store fronts and clean their windows? There is no care for any of these stores. Its time we got some diversity in this area and higher end stores like this.

Thanks.

s.22(1)



**From:** s.22(1)  
**To:** "Cannabis Comment" <Cannabis.application@vancouver.ca>  
**Date:** 2/26/2020 6:51:03 PM  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Provincial Cannabis Application 5403 Victoria Drive

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I am in support of Cannabis Application at 5403 Victoria Drive Vancouver. I regularly come by lunch from Banh Mi Saigon that's across the street, and I live s.22(1) I would like to see some changes to local store fronts with more diversity. I have wanted to go to a federal cannabis store for my green but there are none in this neighbourhood. Please give these guys the go ahead.

**From:** s.22(1)  
**To:** "Cannabis Comment" <Cannabis.application@vancouver.ca>  
**Date:** 3/2/2020 5:04:05 PM  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Provincial Cannabis Retail Licence

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The Cannabis Act was designed to allow licensed stores like Affinity Cannabis [5403 Victoria Dr.]. This neighbourhood has a small group of misinformed people that think its okay to spread lies to the community that cannabis is bad. s.22(1)

Lets get up to date here in 2020. I want to show my strong support for this store.

**From:** s.22(1)  
**To:** "Cannabis Comment" <Cannabis.application@vancouver.ca>  
**Date:** 2/28/2020 10:52:31 AM  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Provincial Notice 5403 Victoria Drive

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To Whom It May Concern,

I would like to support Affinity Cannabis at 5403 Victoria Drive. I have spoken to the business owner and would welcome them to the neighbourhood. I live s.22(1) and I think they will bring added security & limit the smokers that ruin others enjoyment for non smokers.

Thanks

s.22(1)

**From:** s.22(1)  
**To:** "Cannabis Comment" <Cannabis.application@vancouver.ca>  
**Date:** 2/29/2020 3:14:29 PM  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] SUPPORT: 5403 Victoria Drive

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Writing to give my support for 5403 Victoria Drive Cannabis Store. I live at s.22(1) and would like to see this store approved. I know it will benefit people in the community. There is an opioid crisis in Vancouver and so many studies have shown cannabis to reduce dependance on opioids. You would be doing a GREAT service to the community by allowing legal cannabis to be sold in this neighbourhood.

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**Date:** 2/28/2020 7:33:53 PM  
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I am writing in support of Affinity Cannabis Store on Victoria Drive 5403 Vic Dr. Strongly agree with their business model. I live on s.22(1) and this is a welcome store to my community.

Victoria drive needs diversification in a BIG way. We can't have the same run down clusters of multiple chiropractors and beauty salons. This area needs to be hip and vibrant community. Think about how much more business the local restaurants would get if this place was open.



**From:** s.22(1)  
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**Date:** 2/26/2020 6:00:14 PM  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Support 5403 Victoria Drive

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Hi There,

I live in the apartments on top of s.22(1) I am strongly for this store @ 5403 Victoria drive opening. I have been searching everywhere for CBD produced by government producers. I have been playing hockey since 8 years old and I get sore after games and CBD is what helps me relax. I was really hoping one of these stores would have opened here already because its the perfect location. There are so many people in the neighbourhood that could benefit from CBD . I just wanted to say I STRONGLY support this store opening.

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If I can buy cigarettes, liquor, and vape in a lounge in my neighbourhood why can I not buy cannabis from a legit retailer with government product on Victoria Drive. I am strongly for Affinity Cannabis Opening at 5403 Victoria Drive.

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**To:** "Cannabis Comment" <Cannabis.application@vancouver.ca>  
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**Subject:** [Released from COV quarantine] [EXTERNAL] Cannabis App 5403 Vic Dr

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Hi, I live on s.22(1) I would like to email and let you know I have strong support for this application by Affinity Cannabis at 5403 victoria drive. This corner of Victoria drive and 38 is the perfect spot for this store. I like the fact that they are planning to enforce no smoking around their store. So many people come and stand here after or before buying a sandwich at Banh Mi Saigon across the street and smoke cigarettes, its really disgusting. I see it everyday.

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