

Rev. Glenn Dion,
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Dear Father Dion,

Because the "Facilities Info Sessions" will not be set up in the standard Meeting Format as expected, I am now requesting that a "Station" be permitted to showcase the "Redevelopment Proposal" put together by a group of parishioners.

This would be a wonderful opportunity to present a self-funded, fiscally responsible option to the outright sale of the incredible Star of the Sea Church and Parish Hall White Rock property. This "Redevelopment Proposal" offers tremendous amenities that could be embraced by our whole Parish and the community of White Rock. So many groups, including our Helpers of St. Anne and St. Joachim "King's Banquet", fully utilize the facility which is much needed and greatly appreciated. Especially in this "Year of Mercy", the dedicated service of our many parishioners who generously volunteer for the "King's Banquet" outreach is enjoyed in a most positive way by those who attend these suppers and experience the joy, compassion, companionship and of course, the nutritious meals lovingly prepared and served. Keeping the Church presence is of paramount importance.

Please consider my request to host a "Station" at the upcoming "Facilities Info Sessions" for the purpose of presenting a viable option that keeps the White Rock property within our Parish Family and includes much needed Senior's subsidized housing. I pray that you see the wisdom of allowing this information to come forward. Please embrace this option to keep our Catholic Church and Hall within the City of White Rock. This would allow the "King's Banquet" suppers to continue in the area that is most accessible to those who rely on this outreach program. Although I personally do not agree with all aspects of the "Campus Master Parish Plan", I understand that many parishioners have been convinced that it is in the best interest of the parish. I believe the "Redevelopment Proposal" would not be in conflict with your "Parish Centre" if it goes forward. The "Redevelopment" would enhance the goodwill that our White Rock property already provides through the Parish Hall that gives meeting space for many groups in our community that might not otherwise have a "home". Let us be true "Good Shepherds" in our community, welcoming all who find comfort in our sacred place.

Praying for guidance, "Blessed Mother, Our Lady Star of the Sea, pray for us. Amen". Thank you.

Respectfully submitted,

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Cc: Archbishop J. Michael Miller

Very Reverend Stanley Galvon