



District of Sechelt

"Heart of the Sunshine Coast"



July 6, 2007

Mr. Douglas Smith, Chairperson
Sechelt Community Association Forum
#29 – 5761 Wharf Avenue
Sechelt, BC

Dear Mr. Smith:

RE: your letter of July 1, 2007

This letter is written in reply to your letter of July 1st.

While I appreciate your expressing your concern about the District's Chief Administrative Officer attendance at the June 4 meeting, I feel that I need to clarify, the District did not agree to the limitation your group proposed. A related concern I would extend about the minutes of that meeting, is your recording secretary did not make changes requested by the District. The decisions and minutes of the meeting need to reflect both parties interest.

At the first meeting there was a brief discussion about purpose for the meeting and your group's role in the community. You may recall that I indicated the District Council is looking forward to your making a positive contribution. Reading the minutes of the last meeting, I must comment that language in those minutes contains sarcastic editorial comment about District operations. This does not contribute toward the good relationship we are both seeking.

In view of the above, you can understand why some Council members are reluctant to meet with your group. I would encourage your group to work to overcome that impression.

Yours truly,

DISTRICT OF SECHELT

Mr. Cameron Reid,
Mayor