Applicant Submission

On behalf of the landowner, please accept this application to redesignate a +/-0.60 hectare site from R-C2 to R-CG to allow for:

- rowhouses in addition to the uses already allowed (e.g. single-detached, semi-detached, and duplex homes and suites)
- a maximum building height of 11 metres (an increase from the current maximum of 10 metres)
- a maximum of 4 dwelling units (an increase from the current maximum of 2 dwelling units)
- the uses listed in the proposed R-CG designation.

The subject site, 1419 16 Street SE, is a mid-block lot located in the community of Inglewood along 16 Street SE. The lot is currently developed with a single detached dwelling built in 1947.A R-CG lot exists on the immediate north of the site in the corner of 14 Ave and 16 Street SE. There is another R-CG lot and two special purposes lots in the same block. Other lots are mostly single detached dwellings.

The site is approximately 0.060 hectares in size. A rear lane exists to the west of the site. Vehicle access to the parcel is available and will be via the rear lane. The site is in close distance to many business establishments along 9 Ave and 17 Ave SE.

The subject parcel is located within the Residential-Developed-Inner City area of the Municipal Development Plan. The applicable policies encourage redevelopment of inner-city communities that is similar in scale and built form to existing development, including a mix of housing such as townhouses and row housing. The Municipal Development Plan also calls for a modest intensification of the inner city, an area serviced by existing infrastructure, public amenities and transit. The proposal is in keeping with the relevant policies of the MDP as the rules of the R-CG provide for development forms that may be sensitive to existing residential development in terms of height, built form and density.

The proposed R-CG is a Low Density Residential District. Housing diversity and choice policies encourage the provision of a wide range of housing types, tenures and densities that may meet affordability, accessibility, life cycle and lifestyle needs of different groups; an adaptation of the City's existing housing stock to enable changing households to remain in the same neighbourhood for longer time periods through allowing accessory suites in low density areas. So we sincerely hope city can support our application.