

Applicant Outreach Summary

Project name: 540 54 Ave SW

Did you conduct community outreach on your application? YES or NO

If no, please provide your rationale for why you did not conduct outreach.

Outreach Strategy

Provide an overview of your outreach strategy, summary of tactics and techniques you undertook (Include dates, locations, # of participants and any other relevant details)

Before undertaking the project, our office completed the "Community Outreach Assessment". The project's impact score is "1A". So we are implementing a direct approach to reach to community association, local residents within a 90 meters radius and also Ward Councilor Office.

On June 29th, 2023, our staff did post card deliver to residents within a 90 meters radius. During the process, our staff did door knocking and spoke with residents at home. The main concerns our office got are with regards to increased traffic, increased density, height, shadow effects, and safety. We believe those can be properly dealt with at the development permit stage.

On Aug. 23rd, 2023 we meet with CA planning committee in Windsor Park community center. A few proposals were presented including R-CGex to eliminate secondary suites. CA expressed that they would prefer semi-detached.

Discuss the project with ward councillor office in multi-occassions.

Stakeholders

Who did you connect with in your outreach program? List all stakeholder groups you connected with. (Please do not include individual names)

Immediate neighbour, local residents, community association and ward councillor office

What did you hear?

Provide a summary of main issues and ideas that were raised by participants in your outreach.

The main concerns we heard from local residents are: increased traffic, parking issues, increased density, height, shadow effects, privacy and safety.

Some people also express concerns over property value and crime.

How did stakeholder input influence decisions?

Provide a summary of how the issues and ideas summarized above influenced project decisions. If they did not, provide a response for why.

We have retained an architecture to commit to do concurrent DP application to provide to local residents and community association clear picture of the proposal. The full set of drawing would be shared with community association to welcome feedback.

How did you close the loop with stakeholders?

Provide a summary of how you shared outreach outcomes and final project decisions with the stakeholders that participated in your outreach. (Please include any reports or supplementary materials as attachments)

Continue engage with local residents, Councillor office and community association. And better explain to local residents about proposed developments and restrictions under R-CG.