

Attention: Chris Osborne

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Re: Rationale for Development Permit Amendment Application - 3191 Sherman Road

Please accept this Development Permit Amendment (DPA) application rationale for the proposed project at 3191 Sherman Road. The development consists of 34 townhouses and a 58-unit 5-storey multi-unit apartment building, situated in North Cowichan. This project is a collaboration between the Community Land Trust and TL Housing Solutions, and BC Housing.

The purpose of this rationale is to request the reissuance of the Development Permit Amendment to accommodate the rear yard setback requirements concerning the curling rink structure. The original DPA, issued in 2021, allowed for a setback of 3 meters from the existing curling club structure, contrary to the prescribed 8-meter setback under the Public Use (PU) zone regulations.

We acknowledge that the previously issued DPA expired in January 2023. Despite the amendment and reissuance of development permit DP000172 in 2023, valid until March 22, 2025, the matter of the expired DPA was not addressed at that time. For reference, we have attached the site plan (Attachment A & B) reflecting the boundary line similar to what is reflected in the DP package submitted in March 2020. The setback does not vary the use and permitted densities of the involved properties, and does not impact the use and enjoyment of the adjacent land.

Thank you for your time and continued collaboration on this project. Please feel free to contact me with any questions.

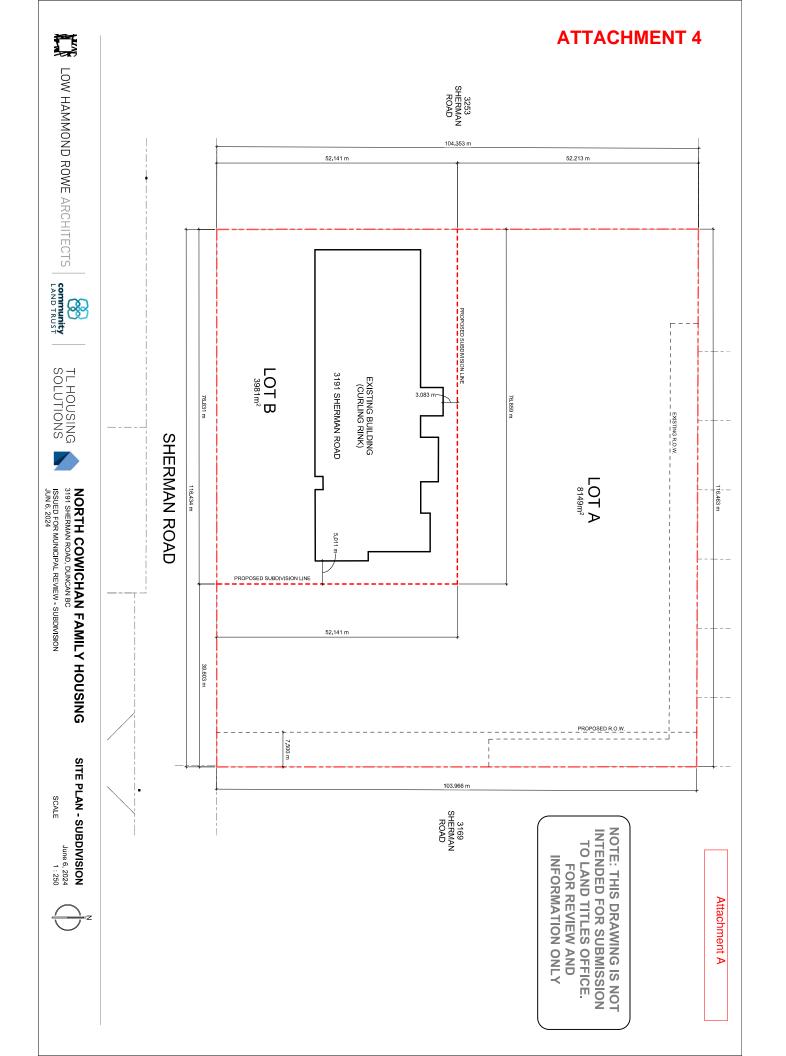
Sincerely,

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Attachment B

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