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From: ()
Sent: December 28, 2009 4:05 AM
To: MayorandCouncil
Cc: Grant McRadu
Subject: Hollyburn Cabin Permit Fee 2010
Attachments: Permit2010Banks.doc

Dear Mayor & Council:

The above-noted fee is a lump of coal in my Christmas stocking, and has caused me much grief. I have personally asked Mr. Banks to reduce management costs related to the cabins, so as not to squander the best efforts of people like myself who have already poured thousands of dollars into their restoration. ()

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December 28, 2009

Dear Mr. Banks

Subject: Permit Fee 2010, Cabin 201

With regard to your Dec. 23rd voice mail message: Thank you for your willingness to agree to payment terms for the balance owing of the above-noted fee for 2010.

From our correspondence you know that as the sole holder of the permit for 20 years, I am unable to pay the excessive amount of \$1784.22 in one lump sum, and still meet my basic obligations for food, clothing, shelter and medical care. If you wish to embarrass me further in order to demonstrate need, I will be happy to provide you with my 2008 earned income and current pay slip amounts.

Enclosed is a cheque for \$950.00, which is the most I can possibly pay before Dec. 31, 2009. The balance of \$834.22 I understand is to be paid by an arrangement made between you and I upon your return from holiday. All I know about that arrangement is to paraphrase your comments left on my voice mail that the matter will be dealt with in an amicable manner, and resolved so both of us are satisfied. Which of course is my wish too.

Yours truly,

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Cc Mayor & Council
Gordon Reid, Land/Property Agent
Anne Mooi, Director Parks/Community Services
Grant McRadu, Chief Administrative Officer