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MANAGER'S REPORT NO.	80
COUNCIL MEETING	Nov. 21/77

Re: LETTER FROM THE PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA, MINISTRY OF MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS AND HOUSING, HONORABLE H. A. CURTIS, MINISTER, WHICH APPEARED ON THE AGENDA FOR THE NOVEMBER 14, 1977 MEETING OF COUNCIL (ITEM 41) "ACCESS MAP" - SUITABLE AREAS FOR LOCATING HANDICAPPED HOUSING

Appearing on last week's agenda was a letter from the Honorable H. A. Curtis, Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing, regarding locations for handicapped housing. Following is a report from the Director of Planning on this matter.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. THAT the Planning Department cooperate with the Social Planning and Review Council in developing an "Access Map" indicating suitable areas in the municipality for locating handicapped housing; and
2. THAT a copy of this report be sent to the Minister of Public Affairs and Housing and the Social Planning and Review Council of B. C..

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PLANNING DEPARTMENT
NOVEMBER 15, 1977

TO: MUNICIPAL MANAGER
FROM: DIRECTOR OF PLANNING
SUBJECT: "Access Map"
Suitable areas in the Municipality for locating handicapped housing.
Social Planning and Review Council (SPARC)
Letter of November 2, 1977 from the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing.

The Planning Department has been requested to reply to a letter dated November 2, 1977 addressed to the Mayor and Council from the Honourable Hugh A. Curtis, the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing. He states that the Municipality of Burnaby might consider developing an "Access Map" indicating suitable areas in the Municipality for locating handicapped housing. Such an "Access Map" was prepared by the Social Planning and Review Council (SPARC) in cooperation with the Housing Division of the Vancouver City Planning Department.

The Planning Department is willing to cooperate with SPARC in the preparation of an appropriate "Access Map" for use as a guide. Sufficient base information will be made available to enable SPARC to comment on the detailed information to be included on a composite "Access Map". The Planning Department will endeavour to place the preparation of an "Access Map" on its work program for completion in the near future.

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended THAT Council authorize the Planning Department to cooperate with the Social Planning and Review Council in developing an "Access Map" indicating suitable areas in the Municipality for locating handicapped housing and THAT the Social Planning and Review Council of B. C. and the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing be informed of this Council action.

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