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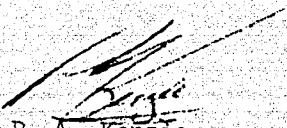
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No business licence is required because this is a non-profit organization.

It should be recalled that in 1977, Council received correspondence from the Second Burnaby Mountain Scout Group Committee, in which they expressed concern that a private operator's proposal to regularly collect used newspapers in Burnaby could result in the loss of fund raising activity that Boy Scouts and other community groups rely upon. A copy of Item 3(e) and Item 8, Manager's report 65, 1977 September 26 are attached.

The Regional Co-ordinator of the Boy Scouts advises that as a fund raising activity, collecting used newspapers is fairly widespread throughout the municipality. Each scout troupe decides when they will conduct a paper drive in their neighbourhood. Further, the selling price of paper fluctuates extensively and is currently high at approximately \$30 per ton. In their experience, many organizations or private operators will engage in collecting paper when the price is high but will abandon such activity when the price drops off. The Boy Scouts attempt to provide a community service by conducting regular paper drives.

Submitted for the information of Council.


P. A. Kenzie
CHIEF LICENCE INSPECTOR

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Attach.

cc. Municipal Treasurer

~~CORRESPONDENCE AND PETITIONS~~
~~Regular Council Meeting~~
~~September 26, 1977~~

W. V. Piche
1430 Duthie Avenue
Burnaby, B.C.
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September 15, 1977

The Mayor & Council,
The Corporation of the District of Burnaby,
4949 Canada Way,
Burnaby, B.C.,
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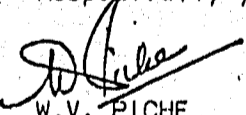
Dear Sirs:

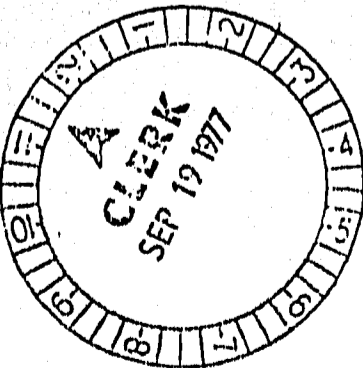
It has come to our attention that an application has been made, or is about to be made, for a licence to recover used newspapers on a commercial scale for recycling purposes.

This is of concern to our Boy Scout group committee, as, I am sure, it will be to other group committees within Burnaby, as paper drivers have historically made up the major part of our fund raising activities each year.

We trust that should such a request come before your administration that serious consideration be given to protecting this sorely needed source of revenue to maintain the level of service provided through the Scouting movement within the District of Burnaby.

Respectfully yours,


W.V. PICHE
CHAIRMAN
2nd BURNABY MOUNTAIN
BOY SCOUT GROUP COMMITTEE



-- AGENDA - (SEPT. 26)
-- COPY - MANAGER

ITEM
MANAGER'S REPORT NO.
COUNCIL MEETING Sept. 26/77

Re: LETTER FROM MR. W. V. PICHE
1430 DUTHIE AVENUE, BURNABY
RECYCLING NEWSPAPERS - PAPER DRIVES..

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ITEM
MANAGER'S REPORT NO.
COUNCIL MEETING 1978 04 03

Appearing on the agenda for the September 26, 1977 meeting of Council is a letter from W. V. Piche, Chairman of the 2nd Burnaby Mountain Boy Scout Group Committee, regarding his concern about an application for a paper recycling operation in Burnaby. Following is a report from the Chief Licence Inspector on this matter.

The Engineering and Planning Departments have no knowledge of the application that Mr. Piche refers to in his correspondence.

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT a copy of this report be sent to Mr. W. V. Piche.

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TO: MUNICIPAL MANAGER
FROM: CHIEF LICENCE INSPECTOR
SUBJECT: RECYCLING NEWSPAPERS - PAPER DRIVES

21 September 1977

Appearing on the agenda for the Council meeting of 26 September 1977, is a letter from W. V. Piche, Chairman, 2nd Burnaby Mountain Boy Scout Group Committee, 1430 Duthie Avenue, concerning the effects that a proposed business engaging in the recycling of newspapers could have on paper drives conducted as fund raising projects by the Boy Scouts and other community groups.

A search of recent applications for business licence and Preliminary Plan Approval determined that no such proposal has been received. In the event that an application is received for an operation that would be conducted in compliance with applicable regulations, the issuance of a licence could not, in my opinion, be reasonably refused.

Submitted for the information of Council.


P. A. Kishnie
CHIEF LICENCE INSPECTOR

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cc. Municipal Treasurer