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As I used to read all MTB-related news from the famous North Shore (although I live in faraway Europe!) it has been a great shock for me to hear that legendary so-called "North Shore" trails on Mt. Fromme are to be closed and destroyed!

For many years "North Shore" style type of riding has influenced mountainbiking sport more than anything else. We've all been watching great photos and movies filmed on famous B.C. trails and among them those on "classic" Shore (this means all located on Fromme, Cypress, Seymour) are classic and priceless.

I've been planing my visit to Canada for more than year and all I care about with my friends are those mountainbike diamonds hidden in deep woods of The Shore. Why would anyone might want to destroy them as they act like a magnet for all bikers to come and visit Canada and moreover Vancouver city.

Without those trails, you will all loose!

Please, DO preserve those trails as they are a real treasure you might not reckon so far! They are the influence for every MTB rider on all other continets, they are model example of how MTB trails should be built and maintained. Without them the World would not be the same.

It will be a shame if those diamonds of mountainbiking would not be preserved. Please take our (bikers) concerns with full respect.

regards,

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