

Subject: [Fwd: FW: what's new?]

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From: Brian Platts <bplatts@shaw.ca>

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Subject: FW: what's new?

Date: Fri, 13 May 2005 08:25:53 -0700

From: Ernie Crist <ernie_crist@dnv.org>

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From: Ernie Crist

Sent: Friday, May 13, 2005 1:19 AM

To: 'Jim Lee'

Subject: RE: what's new?

Dear Mr. Lee.

I don't think you are quite in the picture. I am not now nor have I ever been against biking on hard surfaced trails or roads anywhere in the District. Indeed Bikers are welcome to do so. I am opposed to extreme jump and stunt biking on the steep, forested, ecologically sensitive and rain soaked slopes of Mount Fromme.

The province has large tracts of land and so has the GVRD so why do they not accommodate this special and extreme sport on their land and at their expense including the necessary parking facilities and change rooms? And why does the NSMBA insist on biking on Mount Fromme which brings them into conflict with wildlife, adjacent residents, hikers and would cost the District \$ 1 million for a parking lot alone quite apart from the damage it does to the environment.

We don't have that kind of money and neither is Mount Fromme the right place. Other than that, please be my guest and bike to your hearts content. I have written a letter to the editor of the local press which I hope will be published. I have provided additional information which you may find interesting. Mountain Biking on Mount Fromme is a no winner and is like forcing a square peg into a round hole.

Thank you

Ernie Crist

From: Jim Lee [mailto:city_rocker@hotmail.com]

Sent: Friday, May 13, 2005 12:09 AM

To: Ernie Crist

Subject: what's new?

Hello Mr. Crist.

I just have a quick question. Why are you so against mountain bike trails while our PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT is for them and has just recently donated a large sum of money to help build more? Aren't you sort of biting the hand that feeds you, if you will?

-Jim Lee

Concerned parent.