------ Original Message ------ **Subject:**Merry Christmas 2011, DNV **Date:**Wed, 14 Dec 2011 12:05:36 -0800 **From:**Monica Craver <u><mecraver@shaw.ca></u> **To:**<u>council@dnv.org</u> **CC:**<u>fonvca@fonvca.org</u>

Dear Mayor and Council...:

This is a compiled "celebration" of DNV-sanctioned mountain biking (riding, building, trails, structures, etc.) over the last 10 Years (filmed on the North Shore, and elsewhere).

Hits and Misses :: 2001-2011 http://www.pinkbike.com/video/230022/

Key Quote: "Pretty much everyone got hurt during the making of this video...."

http://www.pinkbike.com/news/The-Art-of-the-Bail-Anticipation-2011.html

This is, after all, what DNV Council continues to endorse. Now, imagine what kind of beating the forest environment is taking. *WHY*? The problem with common-sense is the fact that it is no longer "common". You cannot hide the truth for long. The truth does have a *nasty habit* of sneaking out when you least expect it.

Mountain biking continues to be an inherently dangerous sport, and very environmentally destructive, too. I predict that the mountain bikers will become their own worst enemies, in due time. There is nothing more I can add to this ongoing "DNV legacy in the woods". The video and article completes it! <u>So, now, I bid thee adieu in 2012.</u> Take care.

Merry Christmas -- and, hopefully, another *liability-free* Happy New Year 2012!

--Monica Craver--

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"A man who carries a cat by the tail learns something he can learn in no other way." ~Mark Twain