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Dear Editor,

There has been a lot of back-and-forth in your Paper regarding the Lynn Valley densification process and you have presented balanced opinion.

I would like to talk about the constant reference to the "dying mall" and the fact that "revitalization is needed."

Bosa owns the Lynn Valley Mall and as such has control over who leases its property. It is no accident that some leases were not renewed and that the "uncertainty" of the mall does not bode well for new tenants.

To use the supposed failing mall (and it is not, Kin's is always packed, as is Save-on-Foods and the BC Liquor Store) as an excuse for highrises makes as much sense as the dilapidated site was used to approve the old Whiteley Court site on 27th Street in 2007.

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