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The attached Blockwatch map for February 20th details the reported property crime across the District and City of North Vancouver, between Feb 1 and 8th of this year.

One of the comments often heard from critics of both the proposed Lower Capilano Village Centre and Lynn Valley is that residents do not want to invite the influx of crime they believe will accompany redevelopment.

A quick glance of the attached map shows that a total of 37 incidents were reported within DNV boundaries, with 13 reported in the City. On a per capita basis it is difficult to discern a pattern that would substantiate the premise that density equates to an increase in crime. In fact, by looking at the distribution of theft from motor vehicles, one could argue that it is in fact cars themselves that present the greatest opportunity and inducement to petty property crime.

regards, Doug

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