

Subject: Fwd: DNV Independent Fromme Mountain Trail Assessment
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No post. FONVCA review.

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Subject: DNV Independent Fromme Mountain Trail Assessment
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Dear Folks,

Apologies and please disregard the previous email with 'letter?' as subject.
Below is my intended letter to the Editor of the North Shore News.

Regards,
John Sharpe

- Dear Editor,
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- The District of North Vancouver has put forward a directive for an “independent” assessment of the trails on Mount Fromme. The company Diamond Head Consulting, which was hired for this assessment has done other assessments in the past for the DNV including the environmental advice regarding the staging area parking lot for mountain biking and hiking at the top of Mountain Highway. It is my understanding from talking with DNV Parks there were strict parameters for the vetting out of any company who might be hired such as cost, methodology, and perspective. My concern is, is it in the best interests of the taxpayer for the same consulting company to be hired repeatedly for these critically important environmental assessments?
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