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Dear Ms. Rogers:

**So where is this very unnecessary, habitat-fragmenting NSMBA NEW "Fromme Ascent Trail" being built, right now...? I would like to see the DNV approved NSMBA work plans for it! And, also the other NEW trail that has been built somewhere in secrecy on Seymour? Sanctioned or unsanctioned?**

**One clue to this dubious NEW "climber" trail in progress <photo>:**  
[http://www.ntugram.com/media/1188536275578766822\\_293355624](http://www.ntugram.com/media/1188536275578766822_293355624)

**nsmba:**  
**Nomads on the Shore. @chrisjohnston5 on the Upper Fromme Ascent, D'Yer Mak'er. "You'll mak'er or die tryin'" #nsmba #northvancouver #fromme #mtb #mtbBC #angelboners #lightbro**

*(It's clear a forest is dying from the callous "care" the NSMBA is wreaking on it daily!)*

I would like to see the work plans published on DNV's website, so the general public has a better idea what the NSMBA are actually doing on the trails, **and why?** This kind of trail building cannot continue in "secrecy". DNV and NSMBA have to be more transparent. **In the past couple years, it seems as if the NSMBA have gone "underground" with their rampant new trail building.**

It is anything BUT trail maintenance. And it all seems to have gone in the direction of the "dark side" of trail building -- akin to what we saw in the 1990's, when the mountain bikers were building trails and structures without permission from the land owners. You need to become more transparent -- or I have to ask: **What are you all trying to hide?**

**We already know the NSMBA is a scofflaw entity. And you are just covering up for them. Not very good -- and high time to become transparent about the NSMBA's meddlings in our woods, before they hack away at more -- not after their dirty deeds are done. Thank you.**

--Monica Craver--

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Truth is sleepwalking with a hole in its head. ~Mircea Brenciu