

Date: March 17, 2021

To: Mayor Walker, and Council for the City of White Rock

Subject: **Proposed RCAF Snowbird Story Board on White Rock Pier**



Mr Mayor and Council,

As discussed briefly with his worship, Mayor Walker and Eric Stepura, I would like to propose a commemorative tribute to the Canadian Forces Snowbirds (431 Air Demonstration Team) as a story board from the City of White Rock.

Not only has the team been performing "Snowbirds Fly for CH.I.L.D / Hosted by White Rock" over the Semiahmoo Bay over six times, but the beach pier was slated to be an everlasting beacon and gateway for the West Coast "Operation Inspiration" in 2020 before tragically the last of the West Coast flight(s) were cancelled.

The Canadian Forces Snowbirds are the pinnacle of representation of Canadian pride throughout Canada and the world. Over the years, well over a quarter of a million people have gathered to enjoy these shows in White Rock, which is a testament to the Team's popularity. Residents and guests have the opportunity to experience the "aviation adrenaline rush."

As the City has always enjoyed hosting the Team, the Team absolutely enjoys the enthusiastic support from the City and SAR teams as well as the splendor and topography that the White Rock Beach area offers. Year after year the crowds continue to impress.

I believe a story board on Canada's Longest Pier would be an appropriate tribute to the Snowbirds team as well as demonstrating to Visitors of the Pier the wonderful relationship we have with the Canadian Forces Snowbirds, respect for the women and men of Canadian Military and how impressive the City of White Rock truly is.

I look forward to discussing again soon.

Sincerely,

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