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Mayor Malcolm Brodie and Councillors
City of Richmond
6917 No. 3 Road
Richmond, B.C.

Dear Mayor Brodie and Councillors:

I would like to speak at the next council meeting. I would be pleased to have a two minute extension to the usual five minute time limit as I wish to speak on a number of subjects.

I think that the people who read the water metres should come only once a year to reduce city hall expenses. I am frugal with the use of water. I recycle my bath water by using it to flush the toilet.

I do not think money should have been spent to pay for the advertisement in the newspaper about the city wishing the people of Richmond a happy holiday. I think the advertisement cost an arm and a leg.

I telephoned the fire department and requested someone to telephone me. I did not receive a reply. I wanted to speak about pollution from the fire trucks and electric lights being left on at fire stations during the day. I think the fireman should not have beds to sleep on. In 1942 the city in which I lived, York, was

bombed and ninety-eight people were killed and many were injured. I think that number would be about the number of people who were killed in fires in Richmond in the last fifty years.

I think that city employees should use bicycles or small motorcycles on city business to save money. Twenty years ago I suggested that some police officers use bicycles on which to ride. I am pleased that some of them use bicycles today.

Thank you very much for your consideration.

Yours sincerely,

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