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Hello

Also for the public record before this Friday's meeting, all from the Welcome to The North End facebook group



[Jane Weary](#) yes I think this was planed even before our councilors new. Think there is a bigger problem at city hall than we all know about

[Jane Weary](#)

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fighttagainst being ignored and excluded from City's deliberative process...in Barton St and other wards where this initiative has been introduced, local residents were respected and their opposition acknowledged.

Why not the North End? Especially when we support and welcome numerous high need accommodation already. More so certainly than a number of other Wards. It sure makes you wonder.

[Darcy Field](#)

Cameron love's encampments. They keep the government money flowing into all his buddies organizations.

[Kelly Bert Dion Oucharek](#) selling will be even more stressful. All my equity is in my home. I need to get as much out of it as I can. And who will want to move into this neighborhood? Shame on our city.

[Darcy Field](#)

Unfortunately our councillor Cameron Kroetsch has his own agenda. It will be up to us residents to make sure these homes never get built at this location.

[Darcy Field](#) [Cameron Kroetsch](#) allowing city staff to 🍑 on our neighbourhood bc he doesn't live in our neighbourhood

[Jane Weary](#)



Note also that his response is ALL apple pie and motherhood about being generous to the unfortunate BUT devoid of any reference to the actual residents of the north end and their needs/rights!



[Kelly Bert Dion Oucharek](#)

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Yes Cameron Kroetsch you have failed miserably to consider the needs of the many children, they are voiceless in this-it is traumatic for kids to witness homelessness and addiction, overdoses (and ensuing life saving measures) and exposure to public nudity and crime. Kids in our neighbourhood have enough trauma and odds stacked against them, to witness homelessness or addiction as a normative part of their day is not right, especially in their formative years. "we have to pick a space you just said" in the absence of an ideal space, you pick one that will have a profound detrimental effect on a neighborhood you don't live in.

[Darcy Field](#) Ward 3 feels the same - we are not listened to. I'd be interested in your next steps,