SUBMISSION – DAVID GRANT

ITEM 7 - REPORT – EXECUTIVE POLICY COMMITTEE – DECEMBER 4, 2024 - ANNUAL REPORT ON CONTINUOUS IMPROVEMENT AND INNOVATION

Delegation information

Committee you want to address
Council

Agenda item you want to address (number and title)
7 Innovation

Support or oppose recommendations
I am opposed to the recommendations

Register as a delegation
Via zoom

Comments

7 Innovation: If someone tells you that doing the ordinary is "amazing", you need to be skeptical. Ask why they are misleading you. Many of these topics are purely aspirational (ie wishful thinking). Pretending to use AI is simply to kick this down the road. Any competent person can do this. It should be simple for staff to compare the purpose of a bylaw, such as the one limiting front driveway parking to 2 vehicles, with its original purpose. Even better would be to create a small working group of volunteers to review the efficacy of a short list of bylaws, and report. 10 such working groups could complete this task in a matter of weeks at minimal cost. Done right, this process will result in rescinding the most worthless bylaws.

Public engagement (optional)

I consent to being contacted to participate in potential public engagement related to this matter.
Yes