

DISTRICT OF PORT HARDY

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The Hon. Stephanie Cadieux Minister of Social Development PO Box 9058, Stn Prov Govt Victoria, BC V8W 9E1

Dear Minister Cadieux

At the regular meeting on November 8, 2011, Council for the District of Port Hardy supported resolutions brought forward by the Vancouver City Council and the City of Port Alberni regarding recent cuts to housing and programs for adults with developmental disabilities.

The BC Community Living Action Group has provided information regarding the cuts in service and the detrimental impact this is having on the individuals and their families.

The District of Port Hardy Council urges the Minister to end funding cuts, implement a moratorium on the closure of group homes and provide sufficient financial resources both to maintain this vital housing resource and address growing wait lists.

Yours truly,

Mayor Bev Parnham
District of Port Hardy

Cc: BC Community Living Action Group (BC-CLAG)