

## Parksville Resident Survey 2010 - QUESTION #12

Is there anything about Parksville that needs to change?

Question #12 - Answer Options	Response Percent	Response Count
Yes	79.2%	1332
No	20.8%	349
If yes, please explain what you think should change.		1329
	<i>answered question</i>	<b>1681</b>
	<i>skipped question</i>	<b>238</b>

Response Date	If yes, please explain what you think should change.	Issue A	Issue B	Issue C
Jun 10, 2010 8:03 PM	No more beach spoiled. More disability access in town.	accessibility	beach	
May 23, 2010 1:16 AM	needs to be made more disabled accessible for shopping and recreation.	accessibility		
Jun 17, 2010 10:53 PM	Protect the beach and parks in downtown - too late.	beach	downtown core	green space
Jun 3, 2010 8:31 PM	More/expanded water access to both see and walk. Nice core downtown; ie men's and women's clothing store and good variety of stores.	beach	downtown core	shopping
Jun 7, 2010 8:42 PM	Emphasize seaside setting. Open up waterfront. Beautify town centre. Move car dealerships and industrial users from highway.	beach	downtown core	upgrade appearance
Jun 10, 2010 10:53 PM	Beach. Downtown core.	beach	downtown core	
Jun 18, 2010 4:28 PM	Keep beach area for parks.	beach	green space	
Jun 11, 2010 10:30 PM	Parking at the beach. Get rid of the fence. No more large buildings along our beach.	beach	parking	waterfront development
Jun 18, 2010 10:14 PM	Leave the beach area alone. Later hours for eating places, etc.	beach	restaurants / pubs	
May 14, 2010 10:29 PM	Preserve the waterfront. Better road patterns in town. Wembley Mall is an embarrassment.	beach	transportation plan	
May 19, 2010 4:14 PM	Better shoreline access, upgraded downtown core, off highway bike trail connecting all of Parksville	beach	upgrade appearance	walking / cycling
May 28, 2010 10:15 PM	Get rid of the ugly RV parks and provide a beach walkway from Craig Bay to the Beach Club	beach	walking / cycling	
May 14, 2010 10:12 PM	Take rock pile off beach. Cancun is example of manmade beach. New fence is obstructing view of beach from people sitting in their car.	beach		
May 18, 2010 5:01 PM	Preserve our beach front.	beach		

May 20, 2010 4:19 PM	All the things that add vibrancy to the merits of the city. Invite services to the beach walkway that are traditional to such frontages. Encourage stable use of a facility on the old Coast Guard pad.	beach		
May 25, 2010 10:44 PM	They have to recognize people come mainly for the waterfront. Make sure it is accessible to all, not only those who have money.	beach		
May 31, 2010 4:36 PM	Save our waterfront for Parksville residents.	beach		
May 31, 2010 5:12 PM	Get the rock wall off the beach. Make or extend a real seawall.	beach		
Jun 1, 2010 6:28 PM	Accept change but protect assets. Keep waterfront available to public. Return waterfront to public ownership when possible--buy the land if necessary.	beach		
Jun 2, 2010 5:17 PM	Appreciate the sea view	beach		
Jun 3, 2010 5:03 PM	Protect natural beauty; beach view, etc.	beach		
Jun 4, 2010 4:18 PM	maintaining waterfront access to public	beach		
Jun 7, 2010 5:39 PM	1. There should be no dogs allowed on Parksville beach. 2. Restore beach area that was ruined (can no longer sit or swim in that area or walk).	beach		
Jun 7, 2010 6:12 PM	Enhance beach. Purchase land adjacent to Beach Club for parkland. Beach is our only claim to fame as tourist destination.	beach		
Jun 8, 2010 4:24 PM	Careful scrutiny of changes to the waterfront.	beach		
Jun 8, 2010 5:29 PM	More and easier access to the beach.	beach		
Jun 10, 2010 9:20 PM	Preserve waterfront	beach		
Jun 11, 2010 5:27 PM	monies being spent on waterfront	beach		
Jun 11, 2010 6:48 PM	Retain waterfront	beach		
Jun 11, 2010 8:41 PM	Protection of the last vestage of the waterfront	beach		
Jun 14, 2010 8:07 PM	We need to protect our precious waterfront and views. We need to learn from other towns and cities on our coast what not to do.	beach		
Jun 15, 2010 6:13 PM	Need to improve the view of the beach and ocean from the downtown side of 19A.	beach		
Jun 18, 2010 10:02 PM	we could use a boat harbour in the downtown area.	beach		
May 24, 2010 5:50 PM	Need to focus on business (industrial, commercial, etc) that can generate more income so that the residents have more new jobs and opportunity.	business / industry	employment	
May 26, 2010 3:04 PM	Encourage light industry to create jobs and tax base.	business / industry	employment	
May 26, 2010 4:16 PM	We need more business to contribute to the tax base, provide job opportunities and services to the population. The City master plan needs to consider growth over the next 25 years at least, not 5 years.	business / industry	employment	

Jun 3, 2010 5:15 PM	Some economic growth to sustain employment and higher wages to support community.	business / industry	employment	
Jun 18, 2010 9:32 PM	Foster new business, encourage people with families to move here.	business / industry	families	
Jun 4, 2010 5:55 PM	Encourage new business. Keep adding access to parks and walkways.	business / industry	green space	walking / cycling
May 31, 2010 9:20 PM	There are too many car lots. More shade trees should be planted	business / industry	green space	
May 25, 2010 3:38 PM	Commercial resources to expand to accommodate growing number of housing. We need as soon as possible as close to a hospital as possible.	business / industry	medical	
May 27, 2010 9:03 PM	Continue to attract new businesses that will afford the opportunity for more employment / continue to pursue the development of a health facility for the Oceanside area a.s.a.p.	business / industry	medical	
May 18, 2010 10:18 PM	Some control on industrial and commercial growth to be compatible with long-term plan for the town.	business / industry	OCP	
Jun 11, 2010 6:54 PM	Emphasis should be on residential home owners with services for them. Business has too much influence on the direction our town has been going.	business / industry	planning	
Jun 2, 2010 5:11 PM	More business which would eliminate the drive to Nanaimo. Movie theatre perhaps.	business / industry	recreation / youth facilities	
Jun 8, 2010 4:59 PM	Attract more businesses/industry. Add a pool.	business / industry	recreation / youth facilities	
Jun 1, 2010 8:30 PM	Easier for businesses to come in; not so much red tape and nonsense. We need restaurants and small shops. We have no clothing stores to speak of, few restaurants, and we need a large store like Canadian Tire.	business / industry	shopping	restaurants / pubs
Jun 10, 2010 6:51 PM	City should focus on residents. Business operators responsible for their own development. Allow and encourage big box stores (ie. Canadian Tire).	business / industry	shopping	
Jun 18, 2010 9:08 PM	Discourage more gas stations, car lots, franchises, box stores, banks and encourage more interesting stores for tourists - 4 banks on the Island highway downtown area and 9 gas stations.	business / industry	shopping	
Jun 3, 2010 10:50 PM	Pks need to attract more industry/businesses to increase tax base. Condos full of seniors won't do it.	business / industry	taxation	
Jun 2, 2010 4:07 PM	1. Hwy 19A still looks like a strip mall. 2. No more Beach Club highrises along water.	business / industry	waterfront development	
Jun 9, 2010 6:37 PM	Less car dealers, it is like a large strip mall. No more beach development or development near estuary.	business / industry	waterfront development	

May 8, 2010 3:32 AM	More dedication to growth of small business	business / industry		
May 13, 2010 5:36 PM	they need to bring in more light industry, and commercial business	business / industry		
May 14, 2010 9:36 PM	Get on with free enterprise. More businesses creates more jobs, increase tax revenues to make funds for the improvement for all.	business / industry		
May 20, 2010 7:34 AM	Council needs to provide incentive to small businesses in order to encourage them to establish here.	business / industry		
May 21, 2010 5:54 PM	Less car lots on the main road.	business / industry		
May 21, 2010 8:33 PM	Don't have any more car lots and none above where the Winchelson lot is. It's all you can see when you come into town.	business / industry		
May 27, 2010 3:33 PM	Too many used car lots on main street.	business / industry		
May 31, 2010 6:26 PM	No more car lots - too many already. Keep to one area.	business / industry		
May 31, 2010 8:17 PM	You don't need all these car lots on the main drag.	business / industry		
Jun 1, 2010 9:49 PM	City Council could make it easier to do business here - too much red tape.	business / industry		
Jun 2, 2010 3:55 PM	Continue to encourage industrial growth to increase tax base.	business / industry		
Jun 2, 2010 9:25 PM	The main Hwy 19A needs to have less car dealerships but more city core like businesses	business / industry		
Jun 7, 2010 5:48 PM	The cost of living is way too high. Rental units for small businesses to grow are way too expensive.	business / industry		
Jun 7, 2010 10:18 PM	The mill rate should be lowered by bringing in small industry	business / industry		
Jun 11, 2010 10:00 PM	No more auto dealerships. We have enough already.	business / industry		
Jun 16, 2010 7:56 PM	There should be more emphasis and planning related to economic development.	business / industry		
Jun 18, 2010 9:58 PM	Be more selective with business licences - too much duplication.	business / industry		
Jun 3, 2010 9:12 PM	Every business - owners or employees - need to take a course in public relations and customer service.	business / industry		
Jun 7, 2010 8:32 PM	Fine people when they remove trees; eg, Heritage shopping area (pine trees in front). Plant large type trees all along both sides of main street. Reward businesses that plant large trees.	bylaws	green space	

Jun 18, 2010 8:12 PM	Enforce existing bylaws; ie, weight restrictions/speed on local roads.	bylaws	traffic control	
Jun 2, 2010 9:11 PM	More bylaw enforcement, more bike paths, more reduction of power poles (move underground), and improve sidewalks	bylaws	walking / cycling	sidewalks
Jun 16, 2010 5:57 PM	1. Stop heating with wood. I resent putting wood particles into my lungs from other people's smoke. 2. Overdevelopment on waterfront.	bylaws	waterfront development	
May 12, 2010 3:00 AM	dogs leash bylaw should be posted and enforced on beaches.	bylaws		
May 28, 2010 4:49 PM	Change bylaw regarding keeping of chickens. Make same as Vancouver.	bylaws		
May 28, 2010 8:08 PM	Enforce bylaws.	bylaws		
May 28, 2010 9:01 PM	Strictly adhere to all City bylaws.	bylaws		
Jun 7, 2010 4:06 PM	Go greener. Eliminate backyard burning and wood stoves	bylaws		
Jun 11, 2010 3:31 PM	Better control of noise from neighbouring property, such as loud music.	bylaws		
Jun 11, 2010 8:11 PM	Better bylaw regulations.	bylaws		
Jun 17, 2010 4:13 PM	Publish some of the main bylaws and enforce them.	bylaws		
May 25, 2010 6:47 PM	Better control of placement of noisy heatpumps.	bylaws		
Jun 3, 2010 10:05 PM	People's attitude towards change and improvement.	change		
Jun 16, 2010 5:01 PM	What needs to change is the resistance to change and the mindset that any change is bad.	change		
Jun 18, 2010 9:08 PM	Need a change at the top levels of bureaucracy at City Hall. Need fresh thinking regarding firehall, etc.	City staff	firehall	
May 25, 2010 8:34 PM	City administration--more transparency.	City staff		
May 27, 2010 4:39 PM	Staff attitude.	City staff		
May 28, 2010 4:13 PM	A city planner!	City staff		
May 31, 2010 10:08 PM	Public works management cut staff; not have 1 employee working and 3 or 4 standing looking on, hands in their pockets. Needs proper management.	City staff		
Jun 10, 2010 9:09 PM	Get some qualified City staff.	City staff		
May 7, 2010 8:58 PM	The city needs to delegate its workload to the community more. City staff are taking on too much while experts in the community are being overlooked. Less expensive strategy plans and more community development!	City staff		
Jun 16, 2010 10:25 PM	Would like to see the Art Gallery made a historic site. I volunteer there and we are always desperately fundraising.	community groups		
Jun 4, 2010 7:52 PM	We do not need rapid growth. Encourage more small businesses in the town core and keep out box stores.	control growth	business / industry	shopping

Jun 4, 2010 9:15 PM	The unrestricted growth and development. The failure of the "city hall" staff and elected officials to listen to the wants and needs of the people (this doesn't include developers and the chamber of commerce)	control growth	council	resident input
May 14, 2010 8:03 PM	The thinking that development requires growth, when what is really required is renewal, not more but better.	control growth	development	
Jun 14, 2010 6:50 PM	Stop the building. Also have somewhere to park downtown. This is why people go out of town to shop. There is no parking downtown.	control growth	downtown core	parking
Jun 3, 2010 9:00 PM	Plan for gradual growth (infrastructure). Modernize the downtown. Turn old empty buildings into parking, parks, community gardens.	control growth	downtown core	upgrade appearance
Jun 7, 2010 5:03 PM	Parksville needs to create its own identity and a plan to grow at a slow but steady pace. Need to attract more working class citizens.	control growth	families	
May 18, 2010 8:33 PM	cap on growth; affordable rental housing; safeguard remaining greenspace, community gardens	control growth	housing	green space
Jun 18, 2010 6:35 PM	To remain a pleasant small town, we must have a population cap. Attrition will provide ample real estate movement. Our tax dollars should be focused on infrastructure maintenance and not new projects.	control growth	infrastructure	development
May 21, 2010 5:40 PM	Growth should be controlled according to our capacity to supply water/sewer/roads.	control growth	infrastructure	
Jun 17, 2010 3:54 PM	More emphasis on sustainability and less emphasis on growth. Community agreement/concensus on a new OCP.	control growth	OCP	
Jun 11, 2010 3:15 PM	We would want to prevent further growth and improve general parking.	control growth	parking	
Jun 4, 2010 6:53 PM	This is a small community (quiet) and that is why we moved here. If I wanted shopping and big box stores, I would have moved to Nanaimo or Courtenay/Comox.	control growth	shopping	
Jun 11, 2010 6:41 PM	Control population growth as we only have a limited supply of water	control growth	water	
May 13, 2010 10:28 PM	stop trying to be a big city	control growth		
May 17, 2010 8:14 PM	growth slowed up or stopped	control growth		
May 18, 2010 7:54 PM	Town planners need to plan and manage growth and development.	control growth		

May 18, 2010 9:48 PM	It would be nice to see it stay more compact rather than stretched for miles along the highway as so many Island communities are. Individual lots should be smaller, people who want acreages shouldn't be within city limits thus the sprawling effect would be less.	control growth		
May 19, 2010 5:29 PM	To keep things moving along. One has to have change but not too drastic.	control growth		
May 20, 2010 8:38 PM	Becoming like Nanaimo	control growth		
May 27, 2010 4:44 PM	Do not try to be a big city.	control growth		
May 27, 2010 10:00 PM	Quit trying to make it something it is not. It is not a big city.	control growth		
May 28, 2010 8:20 PM	Growing too fast. Too many urban people taking away from sense of community.	control growth		
Jun 1, 2010 10:08 PM	Curtail expansion outward which results in clearcutting natural habitat area.	control growth		
Jun 3, 2010 8:14 PM	Slow development.	control growth		
Jun 4, 2010 10:55 PM	Stop growing so fast. If people want a big city they should've stayed in the City.	control growth		
Jun 7, 2010 8:14 PM	The attitude that growth is good. A city never realizes a benefit from growth per se. Growth means a city is always trying to play catch-up.	control growth		
Jun 8, 2010 5:38 PM	Less sprawl	control growth		
Jun 8, 2010 10:41 PM	Look after what we have. We are a seaside small town--leave well enough alone.	control growth		
Jun 10, 2010 4:27 PM	Keep small town atmosphere	control growth		
Jun 10, 2010 5:20 PM	Maintain small town atmosphere.	control growth		
Jun 10, 2010 8:42 PM	A better delineated plan for growth.	control growth		
Jun 10, 2010 9:18 PM	The prefix changed from 'City of Parksville' to 'Town of Parksville. City implies growth and urban sprawl. Town implies a quiet, smaller, civilized place to live.	control growth		
Jun 10, 2010 10:23 PM	This is a small town, and that is its charm. Wiping out green space to put in roads that aren't needed is one example of the way we should not go. Change for the sake of change should stop.	control growth		
Jun 11, 2010 4:16 PM	Sustainable Growth	control growth		
Jun 11, 2010 6:20 PM	Realize that this is still a small town, not a great, huge city.	control growth		
Jun 14, 2010 10:00 PM	Get over the zero growth attitude of some people, but make sure growth is sustainable and right and proper for this beautiful area.	control growth		
Jun 15, 2010 8:44 PM	Restrict development.	control growth		

<b>Jun 16, 2010 9:18 PM</b>	Discontinue growth. Qualicum has the right idea. Keep city small and restrict amount of people there. That's why we all moved here--live in a small city.	control growth		
<b>Jun 15, 2010 3:34 PM</b>	The perception that council and management feel that Parksville needs to entice or encourage business/population growth with incentives or programs. Parksville already has so much going for it that we will have to limit/manage future growth.	council	business / industry	control growth
<b>Jun 17, 2010 3:23 PM</b>	Council should focus on serving the interests of the community of citizens that elected them. This and previous council are far too focused on serving the interests of the business community.	council	business / industry	
<b>Jun 17, 2010 10:04 PM</b>	Council has an obligation to act for the benefit of citizens, not just downtown businesses and Chamber of Commerce.	council	business / industry	
<b>May 24, 2010 7:24 AM</b>	The attitude of mayors and some councilors who don't bother to do their homework: they don't seem to have any appreciation of the history of the town. Newcomers are here because they liked how the town was. They liked the feel of it. They didn't come to see it changed into a replica of every other resort area all across the country.	council	control growth	
<b>May 26, 2010 9:34 PM</b>	Council. From business oriented to normal, good maintenance and growth control.	council	control growth	
<b>May 31, 2010 5:51 PM</b>	Get rid of people on City council who are not in line with small city feeling and want to develop so fast.	council	control growth	
<b>Jun 4, 2010 10:58 PM</b>	The mayor and his plans to make our beautiful small town into a big city.	council	control growth	
<b>May 23, 2010 5:26 PM</b>	The Mayor. We need realistic planning not just catering to places like the Beach Club	council	development	
<b>May 27, 2010 9:02 PM</b>	Mayor, some council members', fast development mentality. Takes away from your kids and grandkids. Next generation Nothing left to look forward to but pavement, concrete, environmental disaster.	council	development	
<b>May 31, 2010 10:17 PM</b>	City Council's desire to remove beach views and grow quickly.	council	development	
<b>Jun 8, 2010 5:04 PM</b>	The Mayor and Council should step down except those who want to maintain the natural beauty. Obviously this excludes the Mayor and 3 members of Council who are for development.	council	development	
<b>Jun 18, 2010 4:02 PM</b>	Mayor and council need to put a hold on any further development, residential or commercial.	council	development	
<b>Jun 18, 2010 8:22 PM</b>	Parksville needs a functional City council. We have suffered 20 years of disfunctional City Hall, catering to developers at the expense of quality of life for the average citizen.	council	development	



<b>Jun 16, 2010 4:09 PM</b>	Attitudes of people on council and those providing leadership within the bureaucracy. Study models of other small communities where citizens appear more satisfied. Create a friendly downtown walking core a la Qualicum.	council	downtown core	
<b>May 26, 2010 1:53 AM</b>	The Mayor, Buy more park land like the corner of Pym St. to Doehle.	council	green space	
<b>May 21, 2010 4:43 AM</b>	Mayor and Council to represent the people, not personal agendas community plan that reflects the needs of existing residents	council	OCP	
<b>Jun 7, 2010 8:22 PM</b>	Mayor and council need to realize they are elected by the citizens to meet our needs and not get off on some unnecessary plans that the town cannot afford.	council	planning	
<b>Jun 11, 2010 4:23 PM</b>	Different mayor with realistic ideas. Planning needs to be realistic (look at Qualicum Beach). We need planners that keep their promises.	council	planning	
<b>Jun 11, 2010 4:52 PM</b>	We feel the elected officials do not listen to the residents - increasing the population may help their businesses but it may not be what most of the residents want - slow down growth	council	resident input	control growth
<b>May 27, 2010 6:47 PM</b>	A City council that listens to the population. There are lots of good ideas for upgrading infrastructure and business area that can meet our needs without high costs to either City or residents.	council	resident input	infrastructure
<b>Jun 17, 2010 8:14 PM</b>	As newcomers, it appears to us that the council does not always listen to public feedback on issues of major impact/cost. Developers appear to be receiving approval without sufficient levies to cover infrastructure.	council	resident input	infrastructure
<b>Jun 16, 2010 8:41 PM</b>	The Council and Mayor need to listen to the wishes of the residents of Parksville before going ahead with development and rezoning.	council	resident input	planning
<b>Jun 14, 2010 3:31 PM</b>	We need a council that makes decisions and quits listening to the vocal minority. Quit bashing the Beach Club--it's there.	council	resident input	waterfront development

<b>May 24, 2010 1:14 AM</b>	The attitudes of those who have been elected. They need to be told by a strong leader (Mayor) that they serve, they do not command. The Mayor and the Council needs to be seen having integrity. If the perception is that they are just another set of shifty politicians in the image of what we have seen and experienced on the International, Federal and Provincial in the years past, then the sense of polarization will remain. Citizens starting opposition groups to City officials demonstrates that there is something really awry in the community. That needs to be addressed. Individuals need to believe that they are being heard. Granted, they do not necessarily need to have their every wish granted.	council	resident input	
<b>May 25, 2010 6:49 PM</b>	the attitude of the city council and bureaucracy in responding to the residents' concerns, issues	council	resident input	
<b>May 25, 2010 10:20 PM</b>	We need a group of people in the council and the mayor that listen to what the people of Parkville want, not what their personal agendas are.	council	resident input	
<b>May 26, 2010 8:13 PM</b>	Parkville needs to have a council and City officers who listen to the public's needs. Some that do not only hear the big developers' wants.	council	resident input	
<b>May 27, 2010 10:08 PM</b>	Council needs to listen to the voters.	council	resident input	
<b>May 31, 2010 5:38 PM</b>	Council should do what the majority of residents want. Don't build statues of yourselves.	council	resident input	
<b>May 31, 2010 6:46 PM</b>	More public input before decisions are made at council level.	council	resident input	
<b>May 31, 2010 10:41 PM</b>	Listen to what the Voters have to say	council	resident input	
<b>Jun 1, 2010 5:27 PM</b>	Have Council listen to residents	council	resident input	
<b>Jun 1, 2010 6:40 PM</b>	Council needs to listen to public input. Council should not put forward plans without the initiation of the public.	council	resident input	
<b>Jun 2, 2010 9:01 PM</b>	We need a mayor that lives in Parkville and doesn't bulldose his ideas and changes to our 'paradise' instead of listening to the people.	council	resident input	
<b>Jun 2, 2010 9:14 PM</b>	Small town politics, so that residents' views of future plans are taken into consideration--as expressed by the referendum.	council	resident input	
<b>Jun 2, 2010 10:08 PM</b>	For council to listen to what the people say--not do what other cities do because it's the 'in thing'.	council	resident input	
<b>Jun 7, 2010 6:00 PM</b>	Council must be responsive to the citizens' wishes, not their cronies and contributors and own views to the exclusion of others.	council	resident input	
<b>Jun 8, 2010 3:51 PM</b>	We need a mayor and council that listen to the residents	council	resident input	

Jun 14, 2010 2:58 PM	City council--they must learn to carry out the wishes of the residents. Should get Qualicum Beach to run this town.	council	resident input	
Jun 16, 2010 10:23 PM	The mayor and council must listen to the taxpayers.	council	resident input	
Jun 18, 2010 10:18 PM	Council (elected people) to listen to the people that voted them in.	council	resident input	
May 11, 2010 11:26 PM	City counsel and mayor. Sidewalks in older neighbourhoods.	council	sidewalks	
May 26, 2010 8:40 PM	Mayor and council who are trying to prove Parksville can rival big cities at the cost of tourism-seeking small cities and the cost to the taxpayer. This is not Alberta with its wealth.	council	spending	
May 28, 2010 5:57 PM	Improve governance. Better money management (civic)	council	spending	
May 11, 2010 4:31 AM	need Leadership in council Improve the road system	council	transportation plan	
Jun 17, 2010 5:39 PM	Mayor and council have to start listening to the community and not forge ahead with their personal political agendas (eg, Jensen Rd extension and subsequent comments of certain councillors).	council	transportation plan	
Jun 18, 2010 6:38 PM	City Council sucks. Get rid of Beach Club. Stop development. Protect environment.	council	waterfront development	environment
May 9, 2010 4:55 PM	Remove mayor, and beach club, no more urban housing subdivisions	council	waterfront development	housing
Jun 7, 2010 4:18 PM	Council too insensitive - in bed with developers. Mayor's big city attitude Beach Club a disgrace	council	waterfront development	
May 10, 2010 4:08 AM	The present mayor should be replaced - he is a pro-development, contractors mayor from Toronto who has visions of grandeur.	council		
May 10, 2010 4:25 PM	Parksville council should work for the people of Parksville, not the vews of council.	council		
May 15, 2010 7:43 PM	Council has to change its attitude. This is a living community and not a source of personal revenue.	council		
May 16, 2010 3:25 AM	Council should be run by the residents and not by the business owners.	council		
May 17, 2010 9:49 PM	The mayor and council should be on the same page so the city will not get stagnant, and keep the city vibrant	council		
May 18, 2010 4:10 PM	the mayor	council		
May 18, 2010 10:24 PM	a mayor that listens to the people; e.g. councillor Chris Burger	council		
May 19, 2010 6:35 PM	The Mayor	council		
May 19, 2010 9:50 PM	get rid of the present council	council		
May 20, 2010 9:20 PM	Mayor's ideas	council		
May 25, 2010 3:20 PM	get rid of the mayor	council		
May 25, 2010 10:35 PM	The City Council - they seem to have some funny ideas	council		
May 25, 2010 10:49 PM	Council's attitude towards the taxpayers	council		

May 26, 2010 4:20 PM	the attitude of council and members of its staff towards its citizens	council		
May 26, 2010 10:28 PM	The City Council (especially mayor). We need a mayor who builds a home in Parksville and who doesn't steal other people's ideas for opening a Tim Hortons here in Parksville.	council		
May 27, 2010 5:12 PM	Get rid of the mayor and his biased council.	council		
May 31, 2010 4:51 PM	Remove current mayor	council		
Jun 1, 2010 6:09 PM	City Council - some not all.	council		
Jun 1, 2010 10:56 PM	Council need to be a leader not a follower. Stop trying to cater to the different pressure groups and show some leadership by doing what is best for the long term betterment of the City.	council		
Jun 2, 2010 4:10 PM	Need a new council.	council		
Jun 2, 2010 5:28 PM	Mayors with weird ideas should be changed.	council		
Jun 3, 2010 4:47 PM	new mayor	council		
Jun 3, 2010 10:20 PM	Get a new mayor and possibly a couple council members.	council		
Jun 4, 2010 4:34 PM	The Mayor! and his buddy Mr. Greir.	council		
Jun 4, 2010 5:32 PM	council	council		
Jun 4, 2010 5:49 PM	Stay the same as it is now - but change the mayor. Too many wrong ideas for a small community.	council		
Jun 4, 2010 6:33 PM	Get people on council who have a vision for what the citizens want, and not just for their own personal preferences and those of their developer friends.	council		
Jun 4, 2010 10:21 PM	Council thinking	council		
Jun 4, 2010 10:46 PM	Fewer business owners on Council. Council should not be a Chamber of Commerce	council		
Jun 7, 2010 3:02 PM	Councillors (negative one)	council		
Jun 8, 2010 3:59 PM	The mayor and council work for us, not the developers.	council		
Jun 8, 2010 5:52 PM	Transparent municipal government. More like QB--less like Nanaimo.	council		
Jun 10, 2010 8:12 PM	Get the mayor out. Get forward thinking people like Qualicum Beach has, who will not allow their town to become a prostitute to franchises and push their own agendas.	council		
Jun 11, 2010 3:08 PM	Everything--especially improved method of political selection and representation to citizens.	council		
Jun 11, 2010 10:48 PM	The Mayor and some Council members sound like they have their own agenda for personal reasons. This is very wrong.	council		
Jun 14, 2010 5:47 PM	Government. Get rid of the Mayor.	council		
Jun 14, 2010 6:11 PM	Most of council and mayor.	council		
Jun 14, 2010 6:48 PM	Shift council concerns from desires of out of town developers to needs of the residents.	council		

Jun 14, 2010 8:58 PM	We need a mayor and council with vision, with the future in mind.	council		
Jun 14, 2010 9:50 PM	We need a new mayor.	council		
Jun 16, 2010 9:57 PM	Council and the politics of council.	council		
Jun 17, 2010 4:58 PM	City Hall elected people should be more accountable to the people who live in Parksville.	council		
Jun 17, 2010 8:03 PM	The mayor's attitude.	council		
Jun 18, 2010 3:13 PM	Mayor has to go--must live in the community, not just his commercial interest.	council		
Jun 21, 2010 5:40 PM	Current council 2010 except Chris.	council		
Jun 1, 2010 5:37 PM	Because of past and present Council, I'm reluctant to check with "yes" box!	council		
Jun 1, 2010 7:57 PM	Less development. More beach access in Pym/Sanderson area.	development	beach	
Jun 11, 2010 9:18 PM	More growth opportunities. Better beach facilities.	development	beach	
May 26, 2010 10:42 PM	See above. Stop development permits. Encourage new businesses to take over existing space. Over by Quality Foods would be a good place for a mixture of townhomes, etc.	development	business / industry	housing
Jun 18, 2010 9:38 PM	Development in Parksville is a long, costly and difficult process. Needs change. What's attractive about the building in our downtown core? They don't cry "come and see us".	development	downtown core	
Jun 4, 2010 5:24 PM	stop taking down trees for development	development	green space	
Jun 2, 2010 9:41 PM	Stop stupid development - people need affordable housing with green spaces to grow food. Where is the parks in Parksville?	development	housing	green space
Jun 15, 2010 5:56 PM	Less building of highrises. More lower rentals.	development	housing	
Jun 10, 2010 8:22 PM	No more development without infrastructure. Hospital facility and more doctors are urgently needed.	development	infrastructure	medical
May 21, 2010 6:17 PM	Slow development so infrastructure can catch up.	development	infrastructure	
May 21, 2010 8:21 PM	Make the big developers pay for water and sewer.	development	infrastructure	
Jun 16, 2010 9:20 PM	The high rate of poorly thought out development. We should hold off anything new until a proper well thought out 25-50 year plan has been formed. No one on City staff or Council appears to be looking past 5 years and that means trouble.	development	planning	
May 12, 2010 6:45 PM	development should stop or at least slow down; councillors need to listen to residents; traffic should be calmed through "downtown"; more pedestrian and cycle-friendly streets	development	resident input	pedestrian friendly downtown
May 21, 2010 4:27 PM	Pushing the buildings that citizens vote against.	development	resident input	
Jun 7, 2010 4:21 PM	Development based on the wishes of the majority of the community and not corporate concern.	development	resident input	

May 25, 2010 2:24 AM	I would like the negativity of the seeming long term residents to end. Growth is inevitable and hopefully we can develop a plan that gives us measured sensible growth that is sustianable in terms of our resources. Not too in favor of big box stores-Nanaimo is close enough for them and I hardly ever go down there to shop.	development	shopping	
Jun 1, 2010 4:26 PM	Slow the rate of resort developments and encourage retail business.	development	shopping	
May 22, 2010 12:30 AM	Stop huge developments like the Beach Club[] Protect the beach area and public access to it.[] Lower property taxes.[] More bike paths[] Improve and increase dog parks[] improve sign bylaws - they are everywhere[] create bylaws to force property owners to eliminate Scotch broom on their land.[] Upgrade major streets like Temple - its dangerous to walk there.[] We need more parks and green spaces	development	taxation	road maintenance
May 27, 2010 5:38 PM	Limit building height. Limit commercial traffic in residential areas. Slow traffic on highway through town. Become more pedestrian/cycle friendly.	development	traffic control	
Jun 16, 2010 8:54 PM	Less subdivision growth until water and sewer and drainage system catch up to what we have.	development	water	infrastructure
May 19, 2010 5:51 PM	Besides statements for #10, better building inspection. Old Post Lantern Motel should be torn down, not renovated. Old apartment building on corner of Morison and Birch should be demolished.	development		
May 16, 2010 2:38 AM	It appears that for the past number of years, the focus and drive of elected officials is, if there is a bare piece of land, it must be developed and a concrete block building with various levels constructed at random in the downtown core.	development		
May 18, 2010 5:32 PM	Less development in the future.	development		
May 19, 2010 4:05 PM	No more permits to build. Use the houses or buildings that are not in use or tear down old buildings and build there.	development		
May 19, 2010 4:29 PM	Development needs to stop. It won't be long and we'll be another Hawaii.	development		
May 19, 2010 5:21 PM	development sprawl--new retail space when a large proportion of existing space is vacant	development		
May 19, 2010 9:57 PM	There is a small town mentality that prevents changes that would allow growth and have people spend more in our community.	development		

May 19, 2010 10:01 PM	Just doesn't need to build so much. I mean everyone loves Parksville because it is small and cozy - it doesn't need to change.	development		
May 20, 2010 9:53 PM	Huge commercial developments such as the Beach Club should never be allowed. Qualicum, I think, is a model that we should follow.	development		
May 20, 2010 10:31 PM	Allow older hotels/motels to redevelop their properties.	development		
May 21, 2010 6:17 PM	Keep big real estate developments out.	development		
May 21, 2010 8:26 PM	Attitudes toward changes and development.	development		
May 25, 2010 5:43 PM	Stay away from any more highrises.	development		
May 28, 2010 3:48 PM	tighter control over developers! severe penalties if development plans (as presented to public) are not carried out to the letter - Wembley Place and Beach Club for example	development		
May 28, 2010 5:52 PM	People need to change their attitudes to allow growth and change in Parksville.	development		
May 31, 2010 5:15 PM	No more large scale development.	development		
May 31, 2010 9:49 PM	Too many detailed rules and regulations hamper all types of development/innovation. Be receptive to user needs and be prepared to accommodate (Garden Society/Lions Housing)	development		
May 31, 2010 9:53 PM	We need to change people's idea that Parksville should be like Qualicum Beach. We are very different and unique and should evolve in our own way.	development		
Jun 1, 2010 3:45 PM	Get away from such a small town mentality.	development		
Jun 2, 2010 3:30 PM	Stop pandering to the mighty developer. Stop letting them get anything they want by simply applying for a building variation (not quite sure of term)	development		
Jun 2, 2010 9:28 PM	Less high density development.	development		
Jun 3, 2010 3:21 PM	Development plans should be better thought through.	development		
Jun 3, 2010 9:33 PM	There is a perception that the building department is uncooperative and autocratic, thus builders and developers have a bad taste and send money and energy to surrounding communities.	development		
Jun 4, 2010 9:14 PM	Infill within existing city limits.	development		
Jun 4, 2010 10:01 PM	Too much construction, such as the beach club. It spoilt downtown.	development		
Jun 7, 2010 4:32 PM	Careful attention to the main street. If it becomes overdeveloped then it could quickly turn into another Kelowna that has no obvious city planning to it.	development		

Jun 11, 2010 3:20 PM	Some mega projects are too easily accomplished and not with the blessing of the community; eg, the Beach Club monstrosity.	development		
Jun 11, 2010 6:44 PM	I don't approve of developers constructing projects which are targeting an out of town market instead of responding to the needs of residents.	development		
Jun 14, 2010 9:02 PM	Stop blocking the view with skyscrapers.	development		
Jun 14, 2010 10:35 PM	No more highrises.	development		
Jun 16, 2010 3:38 PM	The ability of developers to coerce the City into allowing some of the ugliest buildings in BC to be constructed.	development		
Jun 16, 2010 6:52 PM	No more highrise building.	development		
Jun 17, 2010 4:25 PM	Parksville needs to be more like Qualicum. Where has the town planner been? There's no proper design. Keep the buildings to 3 storeys--no higher.	development		
Jun 17, 2010 4:41 PM	We should have no more overheight buildings on the beach. The residents' association stopped the 3 storey building and then let them build the Beach Club eyesore.	development		
Jun 4, 2010 6:47 PM	We need to get more happening in our town core. Create more business and industrial growth so our youth have more jobs available.	downtown core	business / industry	employment
May 21, 2010 9:20 PM	downtown area; improve business section	downtown core	business / industry	
Jun 14, 2010 9:54 PM	More business in downtown area.	downtown core	business / industry	
Jun 17, 2010 9:21 PM	We need a more central downtown business area.	downtown core	business / industry	
Jun 21, 2010 5:29 PM	Stop the town expanding along the highway. We need a downtown core. I do love the new signs and what the mayor has done so far.	downtown core	council	
Jun 17, 2010 6:32 PM	Development of downtown core--infilling, walkable.	downtown core	development	pedestrian friendly downtown
May 28, 2010 6:37 PM	More downtown green space, better transit.	downtown core	green space	transit
May 28, 2010 3:15 PM	A small park for children and adults. A good spot would be on Jensen and highway.	downtown core	green space	
Jun 4, 2010 10:52 PM	-clean up downtown core housing. -Add interesting shops & restaurants -adopt a theme (ie. beachside) have businesses embrace this.	downtown core	housing	shopping
May 17, 2010 9:18 PM	high density in town core; no more Maple Glen types of development, but townhouses/apartments and commercial zones; less having to drive to core	downtown core	housing	



May 28, 2010 9:09 PM	Condense the commercial area and concentrate apartment buildings in downtown core. More high quality affordable housing for service workers.	downtown core	housing	
Jun 17, 2010 9:36 PM	Infill vacant areas downtown before allowing more subdivisions.	downtown core	housing	
Jun 1, 2010 3:53 PM	More parking in the downtown core so more businesses can move to Parkville.	downtown core	parking	business / industry
Jun 17, 2010 9:28 PM	Additional parking downtown. More green space or parks.	downtown core	parking	green space
Jun 3, 2010 9:51 PM	More parking and more stores in downtown area	downtown core	parking	shopping
Jun 16, 2010 10:06 PM	Leave what parking is left alone for downtown. It's getting to be as bad as Qualicum with screwing up streets and getting rid of parking. Conserve water. Water plants, not streets.	downtown core	parking	water
Jun 4, 2010 3:49 PM	Improved parking in downtown area.	downtown core	parking	
Jun 4, 2010 4:55 PM	A walking downtown core, more park-and-walk type places. An athletic/swimming facility.	downtown core	pedestrian friendly downtown	recreation facilities
May 26, 2010 6:41 PM	The downtown shopping area should be more 'user friendly'--more like Qualicum, which is easier to walk to various shops. Also, stop any more waterfront development that will hinder the view of the ocean.	downtown core	pedestrian friendly downtown	waterfront development
May 25, 2010 4:51 PM	Need core downtown and walking access.	downtown core	pedestrian friendly downtown	
Jun 2, 2010 3:30 PM	A focus on a more cohesive downtown core, creating gathering/walking spaces clearly defined and attractive.	downtown core	pedestrian friendly downtown	
Jun 7, 2010 10:37 PM	Needs a pedestrian friendly downtown. Parksville more like a strip development now.	downtown core	pedestrian friendly downtown	
Jun 11, 2010 8:57 PM	Identify a central downtown shopping core. In Qualicum you can park your vehicle and walk wherever you need to go.	downtown core	pedestrian friendly downtown	
Jun 14, 2010 5:55 PM	Downtown - more growth, focus and people friendly, less cars	downtown core	pedestrian friendly downtown	
Jun 14, 2010 6:29 PM	Maybe more benches on the streets so seniors walking downtown are able to rest. Our shops are so spread around. This may make it easier for more shops to be visited.	downtown core	pedestrian friendly downtown	

<b>May 23, 2010 6:46 AM</b>	Downtown needs to be fixed up with more restaurants, coffee places, nice sidewalk seating for them. They all went on the highway? Should have been put in the downtown core. Try to get condos downtown. Too much urban sprawl.	downtown core	restaurants	housing
<b>May 18, 2010 9:29 PM</b>	Some sort of downtown core that you can walk around. No more tall towers. Sidewalk cafés and outdoor dining.	downtown core	restaurants	
<b>Jun 11, 2010 10:12 PM</b>	The "downtown" core needs to be made more interesting with better shops restaurants, pubs etc. to have it an area where it is easy to walk around and window shop.	downtown core	restaurants / pubs	pedestrian friendly downtown
<b>Jun 11, 2010 5:55 PM</b>	Downtown area--less fast food, better restaurants, no box stores.	downtown core	restaurants / pubs	shopping
<b>May 22, 2010 6:10 AM</b>	Stop trying to be just a tourist town / small town. Develop a functional and enviromentaly friendly downtown core with better stores and lots of parking (large parkade ? multi level ? ) as well as bike storage areas and pedestrian / cycling friendly walking / biking areas.	downtown core	shopping	parking
<b>Jun 3, 2010 4:18 PM</b>	We need a downtown core--more specialty shops, outdoor cafés, walking areas to attract people and give them something to do and see.	downtown core	shopping	pedestrian friendly downtown
<b>Jun 14, 2010 5:31 PM</b>	The downtown core requires more real business. As we see downtown coffee shops, dollar and second hand stores, banks, no real anchor stores. No theatre, no selection, no depth of inventory.	downtown core	shopping	recreation / youth facilities
<b>May 23, 2010 2:04 PM</b>	As I mentioned above, the downtown core needs to be more shopping friendly to both tourists and residents. Bakeries, bistros, art stores, a small theatre, lounge etc., hanging baskets of flowers...look at Qualicum. Better bus service between Parksville and Qualicum! A safe bike trail between Parksville and Qualicum.	downtown core	shopping	transit
<b>May 27, 2010 9:54 PM</b>	There is no defined downtown. Canadian Tire or Rona. #19A/#4--what's with the crazy road that so limits traffic?	downtown core	shopping	transportation plan
<b>Jun 2, 2010 9:29 PM</b>	Better accessibility to down town stores but no Jensen Extension.	downtown core	shopping	transportation plan
<b>Jun 17, 2010 6:17 PM</b>	Don't like that the mayor is trying to change downtown into a covered shopping mall, wants big box stores, and is trying to make 19A a one way street.	downtown core	shopping	transportation plan

<b>Jun 2, 2010 8:19 PM</b>	Change the downtown core to be more functional--shopping, dining, etc. QB is a great example of unique shopping. Better signage up on the highway. Don't block beach views with monster resorts. They should be farther back in the city and not so tall.	downtown core	shopping	waterfront development
<b>May 19, 2010 4:05 PM</b>	Central core strengthened so I can do ALL my shopping at home	downtown core	shopping	
<b>May 26, 2010 8:06 PM</b>	More viable downtown area plus allow Extra Foods into the city.	downtown core	shopping	
<b>May 28, 2010 4:02 PM</b>	It would be nice to see a downtown core instead of a hodgepodge like it is. I shop in Nanaimo because even the shops we have are not a draw. Too expensive.	downtown core	shopping	
<b>May 28, 2010 9:38 PM</b>	Downtown needs more art galleries and shops that attract meandering pedestrians. Also, it is too fragmented. It needs infill to make it one whole unit, not development on the edges that will make the fragmentation worse.	downtown core	shopping	
<b>Jun 10, 2010 8:31 PM</b>	Downtown should not be waterfront. We need stores, artisans, places to eat and meet, but not big box stores. We need to encourage visitors with interesting artisans, small select stores.	downtown core	shopping	
<b>Jun 17, 2010 6:44 PM</b>	Increase small boutique shops in downtown core.	downtown core	shopping	
<b>Jun 18, 2010 3:28 PM</b>	We do not have a downtown core. The shopping area has been allowed to spread out from Thrifty Foods centre to Joey's Only/Salvation Army centre. Parksville seems to be one long strip mall.	downtown core	shopping	
<b>Jun 10, 2010 6:56 PM</b>	Make it easier and safer for people with walkers, wheelchairs and scooters to get around downtown by providing smoother and more even sidewalks, and at curbs where crosswalks are located.	downtown core	sidewalks	accessibility
<b>Jun 3, 2010 9:29 PM</b>	Clear up downtown, open ditches , sidewalks needed. If the basics are there, the rest will follow. No more one street rebuilds (ie. Alberni road).	downtown core	sidewalks	transportation plan
<b>Jun 3, 2010 3:09 PM</b>	Downtown core needs identity--more appeal for summer tourism.	downtown core	tourism	
<b>Jun 11, 2010 10:44 PM</b>	Traffic control in downtown area. Dangerous for pedestrians. Need more parking.	downtown core	traffic control	parking
<b>May 27, 2010 6:33 PM</b>	Downtown core. Way too congested.	downtown core	traffic control	
<b>May 26, 2010 4:50 AM</b>	some downtown areas are more like skid row. Need to re-think a town center to be proud of. Probably the automobile should be banned from some streets, and other roads & sidewalks improved.	downtown core	transportation plan	road maintenance
<b>May 17, 2010 9:27 PM</b>	more vibrant downtown city core; slow traffic on highway 19; like the idea of one-way traffic	downtown core	transportation plan	

May 21, 2010 6:28 PM	I agree that we need a stronger downtown core but I disagree that the Jensen extension is the way to do it.	downtown core	transportation plan	
May 21, 2010 10:38 PM	The emphasis on development of the downtown core needs readdressing. We do not need more roads. We need environmental, people friendly, low rise, and well thought out plan to redesign what we have.	downtown core	transportation plan	
May 22, 2010 5:41 AM	Downtown needs to be more user friendly for walking, shopping and even driving. Road system is not the easiest, although one-way around the town is not the answer.	downtown core	transportation plan	
May 28, 2010 9:50 PM	The downtown should be developed with more commercial and housing. The 'old' highway needs to be changed to discourage truck traffic and to permit better access (pedestrian) to the beach areas.	downtown core	transportation plan	
Jun 1, 2010 6:14 PM	Ease up on the many one way streets which make it difficult to get around the downtown area. We stay out of it as much as possible.	downtown core	transportation plan	
Jun 3, 2010 10:23 PM	Parksville needs a recognizable downtown core - without the Jensen Street extension	downtown core	transportation plan	
Jun 4, 2010 10:40 PM	I would like the downtown core to be more attractive--flowers, benches and small business places like a real bakery, cheese shop, etc.	downtown core	upgrade appearance	business / industry
Jun 7, 2010 8:51 PM	Beautify the downtown core; it looks tired and old. Maybe add a pedestrian only street.	downtown core	upgrade appearance	pedestrian friendly downtown
Jun 1, 2010 4:34 AM	the down town area needs to change and become something that we can all be proud of. We have a beautiful water front that you cannot see when you drive into town. There needs to be a long term plan that stays in place and works towards a common goal and theme to what this town should look like in the future. Sydney by the sea is a beautiful example of a small town that improved its image and overall appearances over a period of ten years or more..they had a plan that did not change every fours years.	downtown core	upgrade appearance	planning
Jun 10, 2010 3:06 PM	The downtown appearance could be improved with better shopping, eating and buildings.	downtown core	upgrade appearance	shopping
Jun 16, 2010 10:40 PM	Encourage downtown beautification, not always at the taxpayers' expense.	downtown core	upgrade appearance	spending
Jun 1, 2010 10:44 PM	The Alberni Hwy has terrible sightlines and is an accident waiting to happen. Some consistency in appearance is needed between shops in the downtown. More care?	downtown core	upgrade appearance	transportation plan

Jun 10, 2010 10:13 PM	Just about everything downtown. More density, attractive commercial properties, an anchor store. Better connection to the beach. Close off Hwy 19A to non-local traffic, etc.	downtown core	upgrade appearance	transportation plan
Jun 18, 2010 3:44 PM	Downtown core needs major revitalization. 19A between Dogwood and Pym has to be double laned--soon, please.	downtown core	upgrade appearance	transportation plan
May 31, 2010 4:52 PM	The downtown centre has been poorly planned. Looks like a mix match of everything. Qualicum looks better. The boardwalk at the beach should go all the way to Qualicum.	downtown core	upgrade appearance	walking / cycling
May 25, 2010 9:03 PM	Nicer downtown	downtown core	upgrade appearance	
May 26, 2010 6:59 PM	Revitalize downtown core and beautify/modernize older commercial establishments.	downtown core	upgrade appearance	
May 27, 2010 6:24 PM	The downtown core--the 'look' is all over the place, hodgepodge, no real style to most of it.	downtown core	upgrade appearance	
May 28, 2010 2:12 AM	Downtown area needs a facelift. There are currently a lot of old storefronts that need to be upgraded to give the downtown area more of an identity.	downtown core	upgrade appearance	
May 28, 2010 6:01 AM	The entire downtown core needs to be revamped.[] The trailer parks along the waterfront should be removed. That is prime real estate and should be used as a draw for tourists and residents to walk/shop/eat.	downtown core	upgrade appearance	
May 28, 2010 5:40 PM	More 'curb appeal' in downtown Parksville. Some areas need to be cleaned up.	downtown core	upgrade appearance	
May 28, 2010 6:42 PM	Store fronts.	downtown core	upgrade appearance	
May 28, 2010 10:28 PM	The property on Craig and Hwy 19A--southwest corner on Craig--needs to be cleaned up, paved, and seating and flower beds installed. It is an eyesore.	downtown core	upgrade appearance	
Jun 1, 2010 4:30 PM	Enhancement of downtown area.	downtown core	upgrade appearance	
Jun 1, 2010 5:06 PM	Uniform looking downtown, not one building with pink awnings and next painted orange, etc.	downtown core	upgrade appearance	
Jun 1, 2010 10:13 PM	Attractive downtown core like Qualicum.	downtown core	upgrade appearance	
Jun 2, 2010 3:39 PM	More beautified downtown area.	downtown core	upgrade appearance	
Jun 2, 2010 4:58 PM	Make the downtown area more attractive, ie. storefronts and too many boarded up places look messy	downtown core	upgrade appearance	

Jun 2, 2010 5:15 PM	Downtown is ugly. Would be nice to have a vibrant town centre to encourage locals and tourists alike to spend time and money here.	downtown core	upgrade appearance	
Jun 3, 2010 6:03 PM	Beautify downtown. Safer pedestrian crossings. More local businesses (shops, cafés, etc.). Bring back REAL sandcastle competition.	downtown core	upgrade appearance	
Jun 3, 2010 6:25 PM	Beautification of downtown architecture, store fronts and streets. Too many buildings are just 'big boxes' with no visual appeal.	downtown core	upgrade appearance	
Jun 3, 2010 10:12 PM	Craig Street has gone down hill - it is too junky	downtown core	upgrade appearance	
Jun 4, 2010 9:37 PM	The downtown core is divided almost into two sections - the empty spaces along the main drag are not the most attractive.	downtown core	upgrade appearance	
Jun 4, 2010 10:20 PM	Expansion of downtown core. For example, McMillan East, Jensen Avenue, North Craig Street, McCarter St., Weld St., North Corfield Ave., remove old houses and put in stores with condos on top - downtown shopping and living.	downtown core	upgrade appearance	
Jun 7, 2010 9:55 PM	The downtown needs further revitalization and improved connectivity to the waterfront. Also, Parksville needs to decide whether we are a retirement community or a resort and 'working' community.	downtown core	upgrade appearance	
Jun 8, 2010 9:27 PM	Downtown is dowdy, old, too many discount stores, no ambience, especially Alberni Hwy. Craig St needs more attractiveness.	downtown core	upgrade appearance	
Jun 10, 2010 10:25 PM	Disallow junk shops in the downtown core as these are unsightly and drive down property values.	downtown core	upgrade appearance	
Jun 14, 2010 6:34 PM	Renovate old buildings on Craig Street. Give them a theme - build a small "western town" (Craig & Middleton). We already have rodeos! Why not continue to build on what we have.	downtown core	upgrade appearance	
Jun 16, 2010 3:21 PM	Focus on downtown core to encourage renewal.	downtown core	upgrade appearance	
Jun 18, 2010 9:57 PM	Downtown landlords have to be accountable for their property upkeep. Downtown has no charm.	downtown core	upgrade appearance	
Jun 18, 2010 10:32 PM	Rethink the strip business area. We need to reconfigure the downtown core and expand it. Build the Jensen St. project - will greatly enhance the downtown core. Backward thinking Councillors voted it down.	downtown core	upgrade appearance	
Jun 18, 2010 10:48 PM	Parksville is lovely and the amenities are great. The stores on Craig St., Alberni Hwy and Island Highway could be brightened up and exteriors "polished" to give a warmer, more community feel to downtown.	downtown core	upgrade appearance	

Jun 15, 2010 6:25 PM	More green space. Improve appearance of downtown. Stop further mega-projects in the beach area. Acquire a primary care 24 hour health centre.	downtown core	waterfront development	medical
Jun 21, 2010 4:30 PM	City storage yards should be at industrial park, not downtown (Alberni Hwy & Despard). Stanford Place planned extension incomplete and an eyesore on Craig St. Limit growth of overheight structures on waterfront; no more Beach Clubs. More sidewalks and ditch filling on side streets.	downtown core	waterfront development	sidewalks
May 26, 2010 7:56 PM	Keep the downtown small and compact as it is and keep the big resorts away from the downtown beach area.. demolish the "beach Club" DO NOT make any more ONE Lane drives through the city.. the downtown core gets congested as it is now without Ed Maynes stupid ideas.. what is the matter with that man.. we have had referendums in the pAST ABOUT MAKING "ONE IANE"S" thro town which have soundly been defeated;then along comes this eastener and wants to congest our "thro " town even more!!!	downtown core	waterfront development	transportation plan
Jun 11, 2010 6:08 PM	Plan for more of a village in the downtown area. Most of the beautiful waterfront has been ruined by development. Don't move highway into downtown core!	downtown core	waterfront development	transportation plan
May 28, 2010 6:57 PM	Keep developing the downtown area. Any more commercial development on the beach strip should be kept at a much lower density than the Beach Club.	downtown core	waterfront development	
May 17, 2010 8:59 PM	More of a town center required with high rise apartments/condos to support services within walking distance for retirees.	downtown core		
May 17, 2010 10:27 PM	downtown is depressing, spread out and unusable	downtown core		
May 18, 2010 4:29 PM	revitalization to downtown area	downtown core		
May 18, 2010 10:04 PM	We need a real downtown core!	downtown core		
May 18, 2010 10:06 PM	development in city core to get away from the strip development we now have	downtown core		
May 19, 2010 4:23 PM	revitalization of downtown core	downtown core		
May 20, 2010 5:13 PM	Too spread out.	downtown core		
May 20, 2010 9:28 PM	Strategy for downtown development; low-rise 2 to 3 storey	downtown core		
May 25, 2010 1:55 AM	Centralize some kind of downtown core where people can walk at ease instead of uninviting highway; as is the case now.	downtown core		
May 26, 2010 3:09 PM	More downtown core revitalization.	downtown core		
May 26, 2010 3:44 PM	Downtown core needs to become far more tourist attraction. We could become as attractive as our neighbour, Qualicum Beach	downtown core		
May 26, 2010 4:44 PM	We need a town centre; a focus point for the town.	downtown core		
May 26, 2010 5:37 PM	Downtown area--everything is so spread out.	downtown core		

May 26, 2010 6:46 PM	downtown core	downtown core		
May 26, 2010 10:05 PM	Main part of downtown shopping too scattered.	downtown core		
May 28, 2010 8:43 PM	Downtown needs to include the land south to Despard.	downtown core		
May 31, 2010 9:38 PM	The natural setting and surroundings are the attraction, not the town. Improve the town.	downtown core		
Jun 2, 2010 7:00 PM	Some of the downtown area along 19A from Corfield to Alberni Hwy.	downtown core		
Jun 2, 2010 9:20 PM	We need a downtown core.	downtown core		
Jun 2, 2010 9:26 PM	Better defined city core and business area	downtown core		
Jun 3, 2010 3:54 PM	Need nice downtown area - not just strip mall	downtown core		
Jun 3, 2010 10:29 PM	no obvious town centre	downtown core		
Jun 4, 2010 5:37 PM	Improved downtown area	downtown core		
Jun 4, 2010 6:11 PM	More defined downtown area.	downtown core		
Jun 4, 2010 8:55 PM	Create a better designed "City Centre" (CBD) rather than the existing "strip style" development	downtown core		
Jun 4, 2010 9:05 PM	Not to plan a downtown core business area rather than a strip commercial laneway	downtown core		
Jun 4, 2010 10:07 PM	Stop wasting tax dollars on the downtown core. Instead of focusing on a few, start focusing on all of Parksville.	downtown core		
Jun 7, 2010 4:47 PM	Downtown core - as above	downtown core		
Jun 7, 2010 6:23 PM	The downtown core needs further development	downtown core		
Jun 8, 2010 5:20 PM	The downtown layout.	downtown core		
Jun 8, 2010 8:03 PM	downtown	downtown core		
Jun 8, 2010 10:08 PM	Downtown is crap; nothing for young people.	downtown core		
Jun 9, 2010 5:56 PM	More patios downtown	downtown core		
Jun 10, 2010 4:35 PM	Downtown commercial centre	downtown core		
Jun 10, 2010 5:43 PM	The downtown core needs to change to make it easier for residents and tourists to access facilities connecting to the beach.	downtown core		
Jun 10, 2010 8:41 PM	Redesign downtown	downtown core		
Jun 10, 2010 8:56 PM	Make Parksville not so much of a strip town	downtown core		
Jun 11, 2010 3:58 PM	More inviting downtown. Currently too many banks/insurance companies/dollar stores.	downtown core		
Jun 11, 2010 9:49 PM	Create a city centre which up to now is non existent.	downtown core		
Jun 16, 2010 3:00 PM	Poor attitude towards any change. Need an identifiable downtown core.	downtown core		
Jun 18, 2010 10:05 PM	Define a proper downtown area.	downtown core		
May 12, 2010 6:57 PM	create employment and attract young families to service the ever growing aging population.	employment	families	



<b>Jun 21, 2010 3:52 PM</b>	Better paying jobs, affordable housing, a transit system that is much better and convenient.	employment	housing	transit
<b>May 18, 2010 9:52 PM</b>	More diversified employment - housing affordable to all	employment	housing	
<b>May 31, 2010 9:57 PM</b>	Employment for youth needs to improve, and perhaps better recreational outlets for young people. We 'oldies' have golf, curling, ice hockey, lawn bowling, etc.	employment	recreation / youth facilities	recreation / youth facilities
<b>Jun 8, 2010 8:18 PM</b>	More focus on youth employment and activities of interest for youth other than sports.	employment	recreation / youth facilities	
<b>May 17, 2010 5:26 PM</b>	Develop more all year round work, industry	employment		
<b>May 17, 2010 9:54 PM</b>	More businesses opening would allow employment opportunities for younger people as quite a number of older people still work.	employment		
<b>May 18, 2010 5:41 PM</b>	More all-year round work, industry	employment		
<b>May 18, 2010 9:43 PM</b>	work for young people	employment		
<b>May 28, 2010 5:18 AM</b>	please see number 10. Also, what can be done about the very discouraging and unappealing job situation here? This community is fine if you're retired and don't have to worry about earning an income at a job. The jobs here are poorly paid and hard to come by. What kind of growth is required in order to establish better employment?	employment		
<b>Jun 16, 2010 8:20 PM</b>	More emphasis on the environment. More accessibility for the handicapped.	environment	accessibility	

<b>May 28, 2010 6:48 PM</b>	<p>Parksville needs to plan on an ecosystem based level. That is, the city needs to recognize that it is a community within a natural environment, and take meaningful action to preserve the critical components of that natural environment, conserving natural resources, nature and our watershed through sustainable planning and protection of critical ecosystems. ¶</p> <p>¶</p> <p>Parksville has a diversity of ecosystems and habitats that support an abundance bird species and other wildlife, but some of the most unique and important habitats, such as our freshwater marsh on the Ermineskin property and our remaining upland forests are not yet protected. These unique natural areas define the nature of our community, provide important ecosystem services in our watershed and harbor rich birdlife and biodiversity that makes our city the great destination for ecotourism that it is. ¶</p> <p>¶</p> <p>We must make preserving our marsh and forests a priority, and make the limited investment it would take in order to secure what is priceless and integral to our community and its natural environment.</p>	environment		
<b>Jun 10, 2010 9:13 PM</b> <b>Jun 18, 2010 9:33 PM</b>	<p>Focus/prioritize environmental sustainability</p> <p>Become more progressive. Allow more modern festivals and events, such as concerts in a safe, family friendly atmosphere.</p>	environment		
<b>May 11, 2010 4:29 AM</b>	<p>More places for the younger generations to hang out.</p>	facilities		
<b>Jun 8, 2010 4:43 PM</b>	<p>Real jobs to encourage new families.</p>	families	employment	
<b>Jun 7, 2010 10:23 PM</b>	<p>More affordable housing for families starting out. Townhouses that are family oriented, not retirement oriented.</p>	families	housing	
<b>Jun 16, 2010 10:47 PM</b>	<p>More affordable housing. Young people cannot afford to live here.</p>	families	housing	
<b>Jun 7, 2010 5:55 PM</b>	<p>More for young people. It's an aging population and you are going to have to attract younger people here, more rental affordable housing.</p>	families	recreation / youth facilities	housing
<b>Jun 3, 2010 9:59 PM</b>	<p>More social and cultural places. Extend store hours. Increase population 20 to 30 years old.</p>	families	recreation / youth facilities	shopping
<b>Jun 11, 2010 5:35 PM</b>	<p>To bring in younger people, have some incentives and have something for teen to do that will keep them out of trouble.</p>	families	recreation / youth facilities	
<b>Jun 2, 2010 6:39 PM</b>	<p>This city will die without a better tax base, and a store like Walmart, Canadian Tire, etc on edge of the city might promote young people to stay for a job.</p>	families	shopping	employment

Jun 21, 2010 4:54 PM	We need a mix of ages--working people--a broader tax base--not all persons who need supported services.	families	taxation	
Jun 7, 2010 10:03 PM	More tourists and families. Less retirees.	families	tourism	
May 18, 2010 6:29 PM	Better Demographic Mix	families		
May 21, 2010 9:56 PM	Make sure we are not getting too senior focused. Without families and lower income jobs to be filled, we will start looking like Qualicum.	families		
May 23, 2010 3:47 PM	More families! That will be my focus on this survey!!!	families		
Jun 3, 2010 5:44 PM	We need to stay away from the retirement community aspect and do things to attract young families to the area instead of people with one foot in the grave.	families		
Jun 7, 2010 4:11 PM	They need to start catering to young families. The elderly seem to run everything but when they die who will be left if all the families leave to find work or services for their children?	families		
Jun 9, 2010 6:52 PM	Quit being so senior minded - think about the young families	families		
Jun 14, 2010 9:11 PM	Balance out the demographics and become more youth friendly. Encourage a social fabric that is for all generations, not senior heavy.	families		
Jun 18, 2010 10:50 PM	The City should be looking at the needs of younger families instead of the needs of the retirees. It is the younger ones who are working for the retirees.	families		
May 14, 2010 3:20 PM	Expand firehall Concentrate road improvement on residential areas instead of useless bypass options	firehall	road maintenance	
Jun 4, 2010 10:45 PM	Needs a new firehall and lower taxes and water rates.	firehall	taxation	utilities
May 21, 2010 6:25 PM	Need better fire hall.	firehall		
Jun 7, 2010 5:44 PM	I think the City should encourage home food gardens. I think watering restrictions should take requirements of food crops into consideration and not enforce home watering.	gardens	water	
Jun 7, 2010 4:17 PM	Tighter control of green spaces, parks, ocean view and ocean access.	green space	beach	
Jun 7, 2010 9:21 PM	We need to protect more of our green space. Qualicum's waterfront puts ours to shame. Let's not lose any more of it.	green space	beach	
Jun 2, 2010 5:20 PM	More green space. Community garden in a permanent protected area.	green space	community gardens	
May 21, 2010 8:58 PM	Keep up with the walking areas and public park spaces and downtown shops environment	green space	downtown core	
Jun 18, 2010 8:04 PM	More green space, parks, places to sit in downtown.	green space	downtown core	
Jun 8, 2010 4:43 PM	Stop cutting down trees for homes only the rich can afford or worse, replacing them with tiny spindly ones.	green space	housing	

Jun 8, 2010 8:24 PM	More green space - more sidewalks on feeder streets such as Temple and Doehle	green space	sidewalks	
May 28, 2010 10:46 PM	Create a park on the NW side of Englishman River. Create bike lanes/bike routes. Build community/encourage neighbourhood parties/hi neighbour week (like Errington).	green space	walking / cycling	events
May 25, 2010 11:22 PM	More emphasis on liveability issues (parks, walkways, green space, public transit, etc.) less on business concerns.	green space	walking / cycling	transit
Jun 11, 2010 3:41 PM	More green space, more and better walking and biking paths, more beach access, extend boardwalk to the Quality Inn, better accessibility for all. More free social programs.	green space	walking / cycling	
May 24, 2010 12:18 AM	More usable green spaces. More community gardens near senior developments. More walking paths and scooter accessible paths toward the downtown area.	green space	walking / cycling	
Jun 10, 2010 10:05 PM	More green space and parkland. Protect beach areas from development.	green space	waterfront development	
May 18, 2010 10:12 PM	more city owned green space	green space		
May 21, 2010 12:56 AM	Curb this obsession you have with tarmac. Leave us with green space especially downtown. Grass and trees are things of beauty that bring a smile, ugly buildings in khaki are grim indeed.	green space		
May 22, 2010 3:50 AM	establish open space parks within the urban area	green space		
May 26, 2010 3:18 PM	preserve natural areas	green space		
May 26, 2010 9:11 PM	The name Parksville means parks. Buy the trailer park by the curling club and turn it into a park for future years for Parksvillians.	green space		
May 27, 2010 6:02 PM	More protection of urban forests. Our children need them most and our wildlife.	green space		
Jun 2, 2010 5:46 PM	more green space	green space		
Jun 4, 2010 6:42 PM	Planting of more trees in residential, downtown and boulevards.	green space		
Jun 4, 2010 9:31 PM	Leave more greenspace	green space		
Jun 7, 2010 4:23 PM	No focus has been put into the development of green spaces throughout the City, or playgrounds.	green space		
Jun 7, 2010 4:42 PM	We need to preserve all the natural beauty we have here.	green space		
Jun 10, 2010 6:36 PM	Small parks need care (Renz and between Forsyth and Daffodil). Intersection at McMillan and Hirst.	green space		
Jun 11, 2010 5:38 PM	in town sitting areas, more trees	green space		
Jun 16, 2010 9:37 PM	Should be a park at every block because there are not enough of them. We need more green spaces.	green space		
Jun 18, 2010 8:33 PM	More forests, less cutting down trees.	green space		

Jun 18, 2010 8:41 PM	Preservation of all treed areas. Hiring of part-time arborist. Notification of public when significant trees to be cut down; eg, in front of Quiznos--two trees gone.	green space		
Jun 1, 2010 5:51 PM	More affordable homes for rent and sale. Need to attract businesses to the area that will sustain through off season. Fees for water usage--those low-use homes should receive a benefit to promote water conservation.	housing	business / industry	water
May 31, 2010 6:03 PM	More housing for people with low income, mental illness, handicapped, pensions, 'street people'; community gardens/markets.	housing	community gardens	
May 25, 2010 5:51 PM	Drop the idea that people want to live above stores in a commercial area. Stop the growth of expensive apartment buildings that sit empty for years.	housing	development	
Jun 4, 2010 10:52 PM	More affordable housing. Better jobs for parents with families/kids. Less emphasis on seniors and their needs. More emphasis on better quality of life for young parents with children.	housing	employment	recreation / youth facilities
Jun 16, 2010 5:28 PM	Friendly politically to single family dwellings. Encourage family neighbourhoods.	housing	families	
May 26, 2010 9:57 PM	No change is not an option in a growing city. Housing and infrastructure to support it is a key. Not sure why so much focus on downtown right now, as it seems fine.	housing	infrastructure	downtown core
May 21, 2010 9:17 PM	More housing for seniors. Better health care.	housing	medical	
Jun 15, 2010 2:54 PM	More apartment housing for seniors with low incomes. Medical center for the public and more women doctors.	housing	medical	
Jun 8, 2010 4:07 PM	The amount of housing that is being built. More forums on the building that happens in Parksville. More communication with the people. Awareness of what's happening, planning wise.	housing	planning	
Jun 17, 2010 5:24 PM	Allow 'infill' housing/secondary houses on larger properties. Rental accommodation is needed and would improve tax base. Accelerate road repaving and widening/storm sewers/sidewalk installation/underground power cable and telephone lines, particularly on major connectors and busy pedestrian streets.	housing	road maintenance	infrastructure
May 12, 2010 5:05 AM	Encourage higher density, begin plans for more pathways for bikes, walkers, senior's scooter, etc.	housing	sidewalks / walkways	cycling
Jun 14, 2010 3:45 PM	Affordable housing. More public transit.	housing	transit	
Jun 1, 2010 6:49 PM	Less condos that don't appear to be selling. More affordable housing for the average worker. Fix Alberni Alley; it's dangerous.	housing	transportation plan	
Jun 18, 2010 4:44 PM	Stop rampant over-construction of residential areas without regard for our water, sewer and other infrastructure to be able to accommodate them.	housing	water	infrastructure

May 8, 2010 1:27 AM	urban sprawl....developers go into a pristine area and clear out all and every tree and twig to build houses that look like the flat lands of the prairies ...very ugly and disturbing.	housing		
May 11, 2010 10:44 PM	more medium density housing appealing to families with 3 or more children.	housing		
May 18, 2010 4:00 PM	Further housing development should not take place.	housing		
May 19, 2010 3:09 PM	nicer, lower cost housing for young families	housing		
May 19, 2010 6:08 PM	There are too many condos and not enough rentals.	housing		
May 20, 2010 10:41 PM	Needs more AFFORDABLE housing for people who aren't retired and still have to work for a living. The wages here are very low in comparison to the cost of housing. Not everyone wants to move to Errington or Coombs to be able to afford to live and work in Parksville.	housing		
May 21, 2010 2:59 PM	more affordable housing	housing		
May 21, 2010 3:40 PM	affordable housing	housing		
May 27, 2010 6:14 AM	More affordable housing for working class folk.	housing		
May 31, 2010 9:48 PM	We need to be leaders in being more conscious about how we are developing future neighbourhoods eg. the Maple Glen area is appalling! The rape of all the trees, nothing enviro friendly about the houses. Consider solar shingles, keeping some trees in the neighbourhood, geothermal heating. It is time to change.	housing		
Jun 1, 2010 4:44 PM	Parksville needs more affordable housing.	housing		
Jun 4, 2010 5:01 PM	Affordable rental housing.	housing		
Jun 4, 2010 5:29 PM	A little bit. Low income housing for all ages.	housing		
Jun 10, 2010 4:56 PM	Housing above commercial (security, low need for transportation, better use of city land). Low income housing close to amenities.	housing		
Jun 10, 2010 6:17 PM	Oceanside has always had a problem with affordable housing. This must change.	housing		
Jun 10, 2010 8:07 PM	More rental housing. More nursing homes and not private ones.	housing		
Jun 10, 2010 8:32 PM	Low income housing badly needed. Rents are too high for low income people.	housing		
Jun 11, 2010 5:09 PM	We need affordable housing. No more condos sitting vacant.	housing		
Jun 11, 2010 6:01 PM	No renters in well kept areas unless they look after their yards.	housing		
Jun 14, 2010 6:00 PM	See comments at end of survey as well as provision of low cost housing.	housing		
Jun 14, 2010 6:41 PM	More emphasis on higher/mixed density accommodation.	housing		
Jun 16, 2010 9:06 PM	More housing downtown like the Beach Club.	housing		
Jun 18, 2010 6:59 PM	Affordable housing	housing		
Jun 21, 2010 3:42 PM	Needs more affordable housing.	housing		

<b>Jun 15, 2010 9:28 PM</b>	Infrastructure upgrades. More large projects such as Beach Club. We think that took Parksville out of the dark ages.	infrastructure	development	
<b>Jun 17, 2010 10:49 PM</b>	Improve roads and infrastructure. Downtown housing. New mayor and some council.	infrastructure	housing	council
<b>Jun 18, 2010 8:56 PM</b>	Work on improving infrastructure; ie, trails, parks, sidewalks, beach area. Improvements, but no developments.	infrastructure	sidewalks	development
<b>May 17, 2010 4:03 PM</b>	Keep the infrastructure we have now maintained/updated before adding any more large subdivisions/complexes.	infrastructure		
<b>May 27, 2010 10:43 PM</b>	Reluctance to invest in infrastructure improvements.	infrastructure		
<b>May 17, 2010 10:53 PM</b>	improve lighting and put sidewalks on more streets	lighting	sidewalks	
<b>May 26, 2010 3:29 PM</b>	Better street lighting and sidewalks.	lighting	sidewalks	
<b>Jun 7, 2010 10:52 PM</b>	Update health care. Attract more business.	medical	business / industry	
<b>Jun 2, 2010 6:21 PM</b>	We need a proper medical centre. Firehall update to the times, same as policing in the community.	medical	firehall	policing
<b>Jun 4, 2010 10:48 PM</b>	1) We need a better clinic, please keep after our Vancouver Island Health Clinic. 2) Parking downtown should be increased 3) Better sidewalks downtown, especially in populated areas.	medical	parking	sidewalks
<b>May 17, 2010 6:49 PM</b>	Build hospital, movie theatre, Walmart, Canadian Tire. Allow family of 4 to use more than 1 garbage can. There are tiny, small seniors in houses using 1 can and we have to stuff garbage for 4 in one can.	medical	recreation / youth facilities	shopping
<b>Jun 1, 2010 8:41 PM</b>	Have hospital and hospice care for all residents and mostly seniors. Have a theatre and such for young people and everyone. A REAL shopping mall with Bay, Sears etc.	medical	recreation / youth facilities	shopping
<b>May 20, 2010 5:38 PM</b>	More doctors. More mental health services for young people. Way more access to the teen health clinic. More healthy teen peer groups and peer group activities. More police presence around drinking teens with rehabilitation.	medical	recreation / youth facilities	
<b>May 19, 2010 6:57 PM</b>	We need a Hospital with an Emergency ward. A Canadian Tire would be nice, maybe even a movie theatre. Let's stop going to Nanaimo for every thing. Building a water Desalination plant now would help with future growth and water consumption, plus, it would help employ local talent.	medical	shopping	water
<b>Jun 14, 2010 9:32 PM</b>	24 hour hospital. School taxes stay in community. Eliminate budget cuts for schools. Traffic control; eg, speeding.	medical	taxation	traffic control
<b>May 17, 2010 6:21 PM</b>	a hospital/another lab; another handy dart; all businesses should be accessible to the handicapped	medical	transit	

Jun 4, 2010 3:58 PM	Health services. Transportation for elderly.	medical	transit	
May 20, 2010 6:00 PM	We need a hospital which has been needed for 20 years. Stop condos, etc. on the waterfront. Stop making a mess of our roads, i.e. the Alberni hwy is dangerous!	medical	transportation plan	
May 25, 2010 9:26 PM	Better medical facilities. Increased cycling paths. Preserve public access to waterfront.	medical	walking / cycling	beach
May 31, 2010 6:59 PM	24 hour medical facilities. More bike paths, less cars, more walking paths, green space, internal public transit system, less depending on tourism, affordable housing.	medical	walking / cycling	
May 25, 2010 6:18 PM	Immediate care health facility A ban on high-rise construction on the ocean side of Parksville	medical	waterfront development	
Jun 4, 2010 8:35 PM	Immediate care health facility. Ban on highrise construction on the ocean side of Parksville.	medical	waterfront development	
May 14, 2010 5:53 PM	Parksville/Qualicum Beach area needs hospital badly or 24 hour medical centre	medical		
May 17, 2010 8:19 PM	more doctors	medical		
May 18, 2010 3:10 PM	hospital	medical		
May 18, 2010 10:13 PM	Better medical facilities, ie. hospital	medical		
May 19, 2010 3:45 PM	24 HOUR MEDICAL CLINIC	medical		
May 19, 2010 9:27 PM	1. require a medical clinic; 2. require more doctors	medical		
May 25, 2010 10:30 PM	It must have a hospital!! 35000 people in this immediate area are without proper medical care!! Shame on you!!	medical		
May 26, 2010 5:52 PM	Better health care services; accessibility like walk-in clinic hours; 24 hour emergency; access/advice closer than NRGH.	medical		
May 27, 2010 4:35 PM	We need a hospital.	medical		
May 28, 2010 5:17 PM	Improved medical care. More doctors.	medical		
May 28, 2010 6:12 PM	We need a hospital or a good clinic.	medical		
May 28, 2010 6:28 PM	A 24 hour emergency health care clinic.	medical		
May 31, 2010 6:38 PM	Health care facilities	medical		
May 31, 2010 9:41 PM	More medical facilities like available family physicians	medical		
May 31, 2010 10:19 PM	Emergency Health Care Facility	medical		
May 31, 2010 10:32 PM	24 hour medical clinic, drop-in style.	medical		
May 31, 2010 10:59 PM	we do need more and better medical facilities	medical		
Jun 2, 2010 4:22 PM	Better health care.	medical		
Jun 2, 2010 4:40 PM	It needs a care clinic/emergency room because of the growing amount of elderly residents and families.	medical		
Jun 3, 2010 3:48 PM	Access to local health care.	medical		
Jun 3, 2010 5:38 PM	We require a small hospital.	medical		



Jun 4, 2010 4:46 PM	Attract new doctors to Parksville. Presently there are non accepting new patients. Access to hospitals remains remote. We were told "take the bus".	medical		
Jun 4, 2010 5:04 PM	Better medical services for those who cannot get to Nanaimo.	medical		
Jun 4, 2010 5:16 PM	We need senior facilities with hospital beds and doctors. Nanaimo is too far in emergencies.	medical		
Jun 4, 2010 9:27 PM	Urgent care facility is needed.	medical		
Jun 8, 2010 3:39 PM	Proper medical facilities; ie, emergency, all day walk-in clinic, overnight.	medical		
Jun 8, 2010 6:44 PM	Need a hospital.	medical		
Jun 10, 2010 8:47 PM	1st class medical facilities needed now	medical		
Jun 10, 2010 9:04 PM	a health centre/hospital - it's very far to Nanaimo	medical		
Jun 10, 2010 9:29 PM	Work on turning Trillium Lodge into a 24 hour emergency type hospital - move the clinic and ambulance there to save rent where they are now.	medical		
Jun 10, 2010 9:59 PM	We need a hospital.	medical		
Jun 10, 2010 10:12 PM	But the VIHA Parksville branch could stand a shaking up.	medical		
Jun 14, 2010 6:21 PM	It needs its own hospital.	medical		
Jun 14, 2010 10:40 PM	More access to emergency health care with overnight facility.	medical		
Jun 16, 2010 6:16 PM	We need a hospital with doctors on call 24/7. Our population is getting older and so is the need.	medical		
Jun 16, 2010 9:09 PM	Need a medical centre	medical		
Jun 16, 2010 9:41 PM	Low maintenance medical clinic for minor emergencies or ongoing health checks.	medical		
Jun 18, 2010 5:39 PM	We need a hospital and full service health care. As our population grows it will become necessary, and will serve a growing surrounding area.	medical		
May 19, 2010 3:47 PM	Driveway storage lots in single family neighbourhoods. Too many boats and trailers.	neighbourhood parking		
Jun 11, 2010 8:29 PM	Formulate an OCP with a genuine vision for the future. Should not be concerned solely with business opportunities or tax dollars. These two concerns have already done great harm to downtown Parksville and cannot be undone.	OCP	business / industry	
May 21, 2010 11:30 PM	Community planning is very rudimentary. We need an new OCP, but with future zoning taking place as growth and renewal takes place so that the City retains control details of growth.	OCP	control growth	

<b>May 14, 2010 2:11 AM</b>	We need to have an OCP so that growth is sustainable and is planned so that we don't end up sacrificing what is good about our area purely for growth. We need to make developers are responsible for the additional infrastructure costs that their new developments will require rather than offloading that to the tax payers.	OCP	development	infrastructure
<b>May 23, 2010 5:27 PM</b>	I feel the OCP must include more high density development around City Hall area in order to handle increased housing for people as the hit the age where they can no longer drive or take care of their homes and property. In the very near future there will be a huge demand for location within walking distance to doctors, groceries. drugs, dentist, etc.	OCP	downtown core	housing
<b>May 16, 2010 5:33 PM</b>	We need an Official community plan to determine what our community wants. A balance between preserving green space, parks and the natural habitat and housing for increased growth. Qualicum has its unique and distinct features and Parksville should do the same. Business in the downtown are forced to operate out of old outdated houses. I think we should be going out of our way to accommodate the small businesses so they can provide for the needs of our citizens.	OCP	housing	business / industry
<b>Jun 11, 2010 8:33 PM</b>	Change the outdated OCP to allow builders and developers to increase density and build affordable housing.	OCP	housing	
<b>Jun 14, 2010 4:13 PM</b>	We need an OCP that is done by the regular people, not just rich developers and politicians. Developers only want things done for their profits. Do they pay off the politicians? A lot of times it sure seems that way. When they make an OCP, will there be a divergent group of people helping make it--retirees, young people, poor and low income, and charities?	OCP	resident input	
<b>Jun 21, 2010 3:32 PM</b>	Develop an OCP based in part on citizens' input, then stick to it.	OCP	resident input	
<b>Jun 18, 2010 5:59 PM</b>	Need new OCP. We don't want to turn into a Miami with developments like the Beach Club or any other resorts or condos on the beach side of 19A.	OCP	waterfront development	
<b>May 17, 2010 5:00 AM</b>	Develop a comprehensive OCP and use it to provide direction to Council and residents for future development.	OCP		
<b>May 18, 2010 8:52 PM</b>	no long term plan	OCP		
<b>May 19, 2010 4:34 PM</b>	If you have an OCP, use it. Too many exceptions.	OCP		
<b>May 21, 2010 4:58 PM</b>	Town planning--no systematic approach to planning.	OCP		
<b>May 22, 2010 7:40 PM</b>	Develop the plan and STICK to it with regular review	OCP		
<b>Jun 1, 2010 9:28 PM</b>	Community plan to reflect the present problems and for ideas.	OCP		
<b>Jun 2, 2010 6:43 PM</b>	Need a community plan	OCP		

Jun 4, 2010 6:56 PM	A good balanced OCP	OCP		
Jun 7, 2010 6:00 PM	We need to work on developing and maintaining a clear identity and plan for the future. I support a review of the OCP.	OCP		
Jun 10, 2010 10:18 PM	Council should follow OCP	OCP		
Jun 14, 2010 4:58 PM	OCP	OCP		
Jun 18, 2010 6:23 PM	OCP--existing plan is outdated and not being followed.	OCP		
Jun 21, 2010 3:06 PM	The OCP.	OCP		
May 26, 2010 9:44 PM	Parking enforcement. Eliminate trees on curb edge of sidewalks (parking beside the trees does not allow doors to open). Openness by council for commercial development.	parking	council	business / industry
Jun 7, 2010 10:52 PM	More downtown parking. More affordable housing to draw young families. Continuous sidewalk system from Wembley Mall to resort area.	parking	families	parking
Jun 9, 2010 10:47 PM	Better parking - around library/City Hall. More green spaces, utilize the Jensen Extension property for a small park/trail area! Left hand turn lane into xray building.	parking	green space	traffic control
May 28, 2010 10:41 PM	It would appear that a good 50-60% of available land in the Central Business District is given over to employee parking (reserved spaces) and parking lots for customers. Vehicles cross the narrow sidewalks numerous places making pedestrian use of the downtown area an exercise in survival.	parking	pedestrian friendly downtown	
Jun 2, 2010 8:24 PM	Better parking in some areas. More public washrooms open 24 hours. No box stores. Encourage more smaller stores.	parking	public washrooms	shopping
Jun 7, 2010 9:44 PM	Extra parking.☐ Swimming pool - covered for all year usage	parking	recreation / youth facilities	
Jun 4, 2010 8:20 PM	The fence down at the beach--take it down. Not enough parking downtown. No more highrises on waterfront. Keep 4 lanes for traffic through the city.	parking	waterfront development	transportation plan
May 26, 2010 4:33 PM	More parking.	parking		
Jun 3, 2010 8:08 PM	More adequate parking needed.	parking		
Jun 3, 2010 10:01 PM	More parking access to business/services	parking		
Jun 7, 2010 6:14 PM	We need more parking space	parking		
Jun 8, 2010 8:32 PM	Parking at grocery stores, access to retail stores from 19A.	parking		
Jun 10, 2010 10:40 PM	Need more parking - possibly lots where one could pay for certain hours or per day.	parking		
Jun 2, 2010 5:54 PM	Walking areas around downtown, more pedestrian friendly stores staying open later at night in summer.	pedestrian friendly downtown	shopping	

Jun 17, 2010 6:11 PM	Make safe walking for seniors to walk to the beach and to shopping areas.	pedestrian friendly downtown	walking / cycling	
Jun 11, 2010 8:54 PM	Make it more pedestrian friendly. Too much emphasis placed on automobile traffic. Cars never made a pleasant place to live.	pedestrian friendly downtown		
Jun 11, 2010 6:04 PM	Infrastructure planning should be better. Too many building permits - not enough water or services (police, hospital, fire)	planning	building	water
Jun 17, 2010 4:05 PM	Clarify planning/zoning for long term to accommodate changes required for commercial and housing.	planning	business / industry	housing
May 28, 2010 9:19 PM	The town exists and has grown through tourism. The lack of planning by the City to appeal to new investment in other industries is evident.	planning	business / industry	
Jun 8, 2010 3:26 PM	City planning. Well thought out professional guidance. Attitude of City council, although some have a good attitude. Better and more friendly (communicative) engineering department. True vision for future. Stop trying to look after business.	planning	council	City staff
May 26, 2010 6:18 PM	Better long term planning. More action, less talk from council	planning	council	
Jun 11, 2010 9:43 PM	Do we really have a community plan? Come up with a plan to address our annual water shortage. We need a better approach to health care (clinics or a small hospital).	planning	medical facilities	
May 31, 2010 8:01 PM	More public input into planning decisions; eg traffic pattern changes, height restrictions on beach and downtown core, development of City owned property, development plan brought to public before adopting.	planning	resident input	development
May 31, 2010 6:48 PM	I think there should be a master development that has been formulated by a good degree of input from local residents.	planning	resident input	
Jun 16, 2010 10:32 PM	Listen to general public about zoning and development.	planning	resident input	
May 21, 2010 4:34 AM	no ALR lands in the City	planning		
May 27, 2010 8:22 PM	Your urban planning could improve dramatically with the wealth of creative people living in the area who have the ability to envision a more intuitive perspective on the future outcome and growth.	planning		
May 31, 2010 8:40 PM	The state the world is in is telling us that the old ways of thinking no longer work. It is time to look around and to bring in new and innovative community planning methods.	planning		
Jun 2, 2010 6:09 PM	Management - long term planning. Going in different directions with each Council really is a lot of wheel spinning.	planning		
Jun 2, 2010 10:51 PM	Follow Qualicum's policy of having a clear vision of how we want this community to develop--not growth for growth's sake.	planning		

Jun 8, 2010 4:21 PM	Strong decision making. We need to stick to the plan. Cannot cater to everyone or we'll continue to get nothing done. We elected a mayor to assist in decision making to ensure a plan is executed. Stay the course on a plan, so we at least get some sense of direction.	planning		
Jun 10, 2010 9:19 PM	Get rid of small town politics, pea brain ideas, and focus on practical long term planning with short term action and evolution to meet long term goals.	planning		
Jun 11, 2010 4:48 PM	Allow lands within city or near city to be taken out of ALR; ie, Corfield, Butler, Church Rd.	planning		
Jun 11, 2010 9:52 PM	downtown urban plan	planning		
Jun 16, 2010 6:27 PM	Get a plan and follow it.	planning		
Jun 17, 2010 4:53 PM	Consistent City management with clearly understood community plan not subject to the changing whims of council.	planning		
Jun 17, 2010 6:08 PM	Update and clarify the plan and have it as broadly communicated as possible to build consensus.	planning		
May 25, 2010 3:27 PM	Pioneer Crescent taken off the protected area list.	planning		
Jun 9, 2010 8:39 PM	More small farms	planning		
May 17, 2010 5:19 PM	enforcement of the laws, i.e.: bike helmets, picking up after dogs, bikes on the sidewalk	policing	bylaws	
May 17, 2010 10:02 PM	more police, less noisy cars and stop at stop signs; about half the traffic don't stop at signs	policing	traffic control	
May 19, 2010 5:36 PM	More visible signs of police enforcement--speeding on 19A is a huge problem.	policing	traffic control	
May 21, 2010 5:14 PM	More policing. Stop unnecessary road development.	policing	transportation plan	
May 19, 2010 8:09 PM	The amount of drugs now in the area. Stop cutting off water views with condos.	policing	waterfront development	
May 21, 2010 6:04 PM	Not to let teenagers roam the streets at night drunk and destroying properties.	policing		
May 21, 2010 8:25 PM	Better police presence	policing		
May 25, 2010 6:19 PM	Get rid of the crime.	policing		
May 25, 2010 7:57 PM	Keep it safe. Reduce vandalism.	policing		
Jun 2, 2010 3:24 PM	More police visibility.	policing		
Jun 3, 2010 6:46 PM	High cost of policing. RCMP are unaccountable. It's their way or the highway. Very wasteful of their time. Get some other police force not run by Ottawa.	policing		
Jun 4, 2010 9:03 PM	The attitude of the RCMP.	policing		
Jun 10, 2010 3:34 PM	Crime!	policing		

Jun 3, 2010 4:43 PM	It should have a single landmark to identify it; ie small spot like Coombs has. A 'goat on the roof' puts it on the map.	promotion		
May 19, 2010 4:59 PM	Need public toilets downtown like Qualicum Beach Need better/more bike paths	public washrooms	cycling	
May 27, 2010 10:32 PM	Toilets downtown.	public washrooms		
Jun 3, 2010 3:14 PM	Public washrooms, water fountain (drinking water).	public washrooms		
Jun 3, 2010 3:16 PM	Public washrooms in shopping area and post office area	public washrooms		
Jun 17, 2010 9:55 PM	Would be great to: 1. have a movie theatre; 2. not get too big.	recreation / youth facilities	control growth	
Jun 11, 2010 6:15 PM	Swimming pool. Downtown core with apartments, condos.	recreation / youth facilities	downtown core	housing
May 31, 2010 5:03 PM	Parksville should stop building housing for seniors in the downtown area and build amenities such as a pool, etc. which will attract younger people and families to downtown.	recreation / youth facilities	families	
May 20, 2010 4:54 PM	More options for young people, i.e. a rec centre, movie theatre. Have focus on family and community rather than senior living.	recreation / youth facilities	families	
May 28, 2010 3:08 AM	More family oriented facilities to attract and keep young couples and families.	recreation / youth facilities	families	
Jun 14, 2010 6:39 PM	Swimming pool. There is enough resort properties now. Drop in medical clinic during day/weekends.	recreation / youth facilities	medical	
Jun 11, 2010 9:10 PM	Would like to see a movie theatre (unique, quaint design) and more cafés, restaurants. Also, a code for business signage and style of facade that enhances (and coordinates) with city image plan.	recreation / youth facilities	planning	
Jun 11, 2010 4:26 PM	We need an entertainment complex for youth and tourists. We need a better facility in order to be able to enjoy fish & chips, etc. on or within walking distance of the park.	recreation / youth facilities	restaurants / pubs	
May 17, 2010 5:46 PM	more entertainment: cinema, restaurants, shopping	recreation / youth facilities	shopping	
Jun 18, 2010 10:07 PM	I would like Parksville to have our own large pool with jacuzzi and workout room/sauna etc. A cineplex would be a hit. Also more trees and sidewalks on residential streets. Less 4 way stops.	recreation / youth facilities	sidewalks	green space
Jun 4, 2010 10:53 PM	We are in need of a movie theatre and pool. A sidewalk is needed along Temple St. also. The patchwork that is being and has been done has been a waste of taxpayers money.	recreation / youth facilities	sidewalks	
Jun 21, 2010 3:13 PM	We need more recreation facilities (pool, movie theatre) especially for youth. Extend sidewalks (eg, by SOS).	recreation / youth facilities	sidewalks	

Jun 11, 2010 9:25 PM	We need a cinema to keep our kids in town.[] Taxes are too high.[] More accountability for money spent by City.[] Keep work (like in art) in the City.	recreation / youth facilities	taxation	spending
Jun 16, 2010 4:23 PM	Build roller skating rink or track. A place for young people to gather, such as: 1. outdoor pool and waterslide for the summer; 2. movie theatre with student admission \$2.50; 3. a place for teenagers to have a beach club. No more hideous highrise hotels by the beach.	recreation / youth facilities	waterfront development	
May 19, 2010 3:18 PM	More safe/supervised places for youths to hang out.	recreation / youth facilities		
May 19, 2010 6:48 PM	Entertainment for pre-teen and teenagers, ie. Activity Centre with pool tables/video games/hang out centre. Disrespectors will not be allowed in.	recreation / youth facilities		
May 20, 2010 6:53 PM	More family oriented facilities - we are not all old here	recreation / youth facilities		
May 20, 2010 10:38 PM	More emphasis on activities for young people.	recreation / youth facilities		
May 25, 2010 4:34 PM	More for youth to do--less resistance from seniors to programs and services for younger people.	recreation / youth facilities		
May 25, 2010 9:16 PM	More things for teens to do!	recreation / youth facilities		
May 25, 2010 9:40 PM	Needs centres for kids like Jumping Jimminy's (Nanaimo). Corfield Street needs a sidewalk, there is a daycare located on that street and it is unsafe for the kids.	recreation / youth facilities		
Jun 2, 2010 4:27 PM	More facilities for teens. More shopping. Better access to health care or emergency care. Water quality.	recreation / youth facilities		
Jun 3, 2010 3:53 PM	More youth oriented things. One 'big box' store.	recreation / youth facilities		
Jun 3, 2010 4:55 PM	More youth facilities.	recreation / youth facilities		
Jun 4, 2010 4:36 PM	I believe there should be more places where adolescent kids can hang out (pool, pool hall, virgin hangout or arcade).	recreation / youth facilities		
Jun 4, 2010 4:44 PM	Something for under 19s to do.	recreation / youth facilities		
May 18, 2010 9:35 PM	more activities for kids[] movie theatre	recreation / youth facilities		
May 19, 2010 3:13 PM	movie theatre	recreation / youth facilities		

May 19, 2010 10:50 PM	a swimming pool	recreation / youth facilities		
May 20, 2010 6:23 PM	I have been to many small cities and communities. They all have great recreation facilities. It is time for a pool in Parksville.	recreation / youth facilities		
May 23, 2010 9:58 PM	Greater emphasis on outdoor, recreational and social activities/programs	recreation / youth facilities		
May 27, 2010 3:24 AM	I would like to see some facilities such as a cinema and a leisure centre with swimming pool and gym which would benefit both young and older generations of the town.	recreation / youth facilities		
May 27, 2010 9:21 PM	I would like to see a cinema and a theatre something like the Port Theatre here in Parksville. We are lacking places to have cultural events.	recreation / youth facilities		
May 28, 2010 4:08 PM	A public swimming pool.	recreation / youth facilities		
May 28, 2010 5:14 PM	we need aqua centre and movie theater which would be suitable young and old alike	recreation / youth facilities		
May 28, 2010 6:34 PM	We need a movie house so families can be together more with family movies.	recreation / youth facilities		
Jun 2, 2010 3:30 PM	I would like to see a swimming pool.	recreation / youth facilities		
Jun 2, 2010 6:03 PM	Some sort of night life beyond 6:00 pm. More racial integration.	recreation / youth facilities		
Jun 1, 2010 9:14 PM	There is a lot of catering to seniors. However, there is nothing for teens and young adults to do. They are ostracized and there are double standards expected by seniors; eg poor driving.	recreation / youth facilities		
Jun 1, 2010 10:38 PM	More activities for youth. Movie theatre, under-18 disco dance hall (non-alcohol), pool and waterslide, outdoor pool.	recreation / youth facilities		
Jun 7, 2010 5:31 PM	More facilities for evening activities for teens and young adults. A movie theatre	recreation / youth facilities		
Jun 7, 2010 6:09 PM	Youth facilities are lacking as in ALL communities - to cater to our aging community alone does not foster a well rounded society. A mix of both will keep our City vibrant!	recreation / youth facilities		
Jun 7, 2010 8:18 PM	Community Centre with a pool/courts etc. that can be accessed year round for all ages. Coming from the city you realize the limited available programs for children, youth and families.	recreation / youth facilities		
Jun 8, 2010 5:32 PM	This is not a retirement community. We need to see more sports venues for our children; ie, sports arena so soccer doesn't get cancelled, and other outdoor sports.	recreation / youth facilities		



Jun 8, 2010 6:25 PM	More children places, indoor. Movie theatre or arcade. Less costly hair cutting; eg, First Choice for kids. More teen hangouts; safety.	recreation / youth facilities		
Jun 9, 2010 6:05 PM	More "younger" people activities. A recreation center and pool would be a good start.	recreation / youth facilities		
Jun 10, 2010 3:57 PM	More activities/services for people not retired and working full time.	recreation / youth facilities		
Jun 10, 2010 8:16 PM	youth facilities, cinema	recreation / youth facilities		
Jun 10, 2010 9:35 PM	More positivity. a movie theatre	recreation / youth facilities		
Jun 16, 2010 4:00 PM	More for young people; eg, movie theatre, Boys and Girls club, 7/11.	recreation / youth facilities		
Jun 17, 2010 10:23 PM	Need more for our young people to do. A movie theatre would be a good asset, and serve not just Parksville but surrounding areas as well.	recreation / youth facilities		
Jun 18, 2010 6:43 PM	a pool	recreation / youth facilities		
Jun 21, 2010 3:20 PM	All weather, multi-sportsplex with fields for all sports--year round, pool, etc.	recreation / youth facilities		
Jun 2, 2010 10:24 PM	Listen to residents. Leave community garden in, plus get some more in case of severe emergency. Be more diligent about watering boulevards when raining.	resident input	community gardens	water
May 29, 2010 1:22 AM	Much. First, foremost, and always, CONSULT citizens. We are the best and cheapest consultants the City will ever have. The desire to become North Nanaimo must be checked.	resident input	control growth	
May 26, 2010 5:12 PM	See above. There is wisdom in numbers. Listen to the collective wisdom of the residents by hosting townhall meetings and electing council members that have Parksville's best interests at heart (like Qualicum)	resident input	council	
May 19, 2010 4:01 PM	Residents need to have more say. The administration bulldozes ahead with expansion or infrastructure change that appears to be very contradictory to residents' wishes and more to developers' wishes.	resident input	development	
Jun 2, 2010 6:00 PM	There needs to be more input from residents. Most of the recent changes (ie. Alberni Highway, Beach Club Resort) have been pro-business.	resident input	development	
Jun 3, 2010 4:47 PM	Important for taxpayers to have more say in decision making and an ear that is listening. Health Care Needs would be first on the list.	resident input	medical	

Jun 1, 2010 10:47 PM	better advocacy from residents, a holistic, long-term development plan.	resident input	planning	
Jun 2, 2010 5:53 PM	Listen to the people. Careful planning moving forward	resident input	planning	
May 8, 2010 7:16 PM	Mayor/Council need to listen to residents wishes and not bow to development for the sake of development. Residents have had things stuffed down their throats (traffic circles on Temple, for example) under the guise of "we know better than you what your needs are."	resident input		
May 9, 2010 7:12 PM	STOP THE INFLUENCE OF THE NAYSAYERS	resident input		
May 17, 2010 10:20 PM	Stop listening to people who only think they know what's good for others. Some of us do know what we want and think--the silent majority.	resident input		
May 21, 2010 8:13 PM	More use of the valuable input from the community associations, such as the Parksville Downtown Business Association, the Parksville Residents Association, the de facto community leaders such as the Executive Directors of the SOS, the Chamber of Commerce, etc	resident input		
May 26, 2010 7:56 PM	Whining about change	resident input		
May 31, 2010 8:31 PM	Dogs allowed in more areas. Old people running the town and getting all their questions and complaints answered. They aren't the only ones.	resident input		
Jun 1, 2010 4:14 PM	Listen to the taxpayers' opinions.	resident input		
Jun 2, 2010 5:33 PM	Listen to the residents.	resident input		
Jun 2, 2010 5:42 PM	People need to be listened to	resident input		
Jun 7, 2010 9:29 PM	Listen to the people.	resident input		
Jun 10, 2010 10:36 PM	Listen to what the public is saying.	resident input		
May 19, 2010 4:50 PM	more sidewalk cafes along the highway	restaurants / pubs		
Jun 15, 2010 9:23 PM	There needs to be a nice pub. There is not one, and I'm hoping one will be established where Island used to be.	restaurants / pubs		
Jun 18, 2010 10:26 PM	decent restaurants	restaurants / pubs		
May 20, 2010 4:46 PM	Continue road improvements, remove ditches. Provide steps to beach at Fairwind ave, Digby, etc.	road maintenance	beach	
May 31, 2010 10:53 PM	Fix existing roads and infrastructure. We do not need to spend taxpayers' money on transportation plans which are designed to suit the purposes of the resorts--Beach Club.	road maintenance	infrastructure	transportation plan
Jun 8, 2010 3:08 PM	1. The existing roads and highways need to be maintained and improved. 2. The OCP needs to be revised asap.	road maintenance	OCP	

May 21, 2010 4:42 PM	Improve Old Island Highway road surface. I have been on smoother cart trails. Keep large department stores away from our rivers and shores.	road maintenance	shopping	
Jun 8, 2010 9:46 PM	Retro fit older neighbourhoods with curbs, sidewalks and underground wiring. Extend our beach boardwalk to the Bayside.	road maintenance	sidewalks	beach
May 26, 2010 4:27 PM	Upgrade roads that already exist. Safety for people walking and driving, like crosswalks and sidewalks or paths. The Temple Rd and highway intersection is a big issue. No proper markings, lines or curbs.	road maintenance	sidewalks	traffic control
Jun 8, 2010 5:23 PM	Upgrade roads and sidewalks. Install sidewalks. No more building on waterfront. Council should listen to citizens.	road maintenance	sidewalks	waterfront development
Jun 1, 2010 9:19 PM	Upgrade residential street, sidewalks, fill in drainage ditches.	road maintenance	sidewalks	
Jun 1, 2010 10:24 PM	Better streets and sidewalks	road maintenance	sidewalks	
Jun 10, 2010 10:31 PM	Get rid of ditches and build sidewalks!	road maintenance	sidewalks	
Jun 18, 2010 10:18 PM	Get rid of ditches and add sidewalks in all areas. Despard - Corfield - Craig St - #4A	road maintenance	sidewalks	
May 17, 2010 5:40 PM	road improvements; more sidewalks in residential	road maintenance	sidewalks	
May 17, 2010 10:08 PM	ditches and more walking/safe sidewalks	road maintenance	sidewalks	
May 27, 2010 10:23 PM	A person should not have to walk in a ditch when in a city. There should be a safe path or sidewalk inside city limits.	road maintenance	sidewalks	
May 22, 2010 5:27 AM	Widen main road from Quality Inn to Pym. Left turns on this stretch are dangerous and people pass on the shoulder.	road maintenance	traffic control	
May 28, 2010 5:47 PM	Street upgrades. More traffic lights instead of 4 way stops.	road maintenance	traffic control	
Jun 1, 2010 10:21 PM	Quit attempting to beautify roadways; ie Hwy 19A. It's a thoroughfare, not a park entrance.	road maintenance	transportation plan	
Jun 4, 2010 3:33 PM	Fix the roads. No new roads. Don't do ring road.	road maintenance	transportation plan	
May 31, 2010 10:39 PM	removal of open ditches safe walking conditions for mothers, children, seniors	road maintenance	walking / cycling	
Jun 16, 2010 4:54 PM	Fix up Temple St. Protect beach sight lines.	road maintenance	waterfront development	

May 21, 2010 8:27 PM	Parksville should finish their existing streets and roads before they consider and other grandiose plans such as one streets downtown. For example the screwed up mess past the Temple store, 4 lanes down to 2 back to 4. For example Temple street with side walks, no side walks, opens ditches etc. Or Sanderson across from Foster Park with the same mess. Park in front of your home and force oncoming traffic onto the gravel parking of the Park. Come on boys let get with the program. Finish one project before you start another!!!	road maintenance		
May 21, 2010 8:47 PM	widen corners of Island highway & Hwy 4. Fix McMillan Street lanes.	road maintenance		
May 26, 2010 4:39 PM	Upgrade residential streets like Pioneer Cres.	road maintenance		
May 28, 2010 8:14 PM	Better upkeep of streets.	road maintenance		
Jun 1, 2010 8:11 PM	More maintenance/upgrading of existing streets and roads.	road maintenance		
Jun 4, 2010 4:28 PM	Improve condition of city roads. Eliminate all ditches.	road maintenance		
Jun 10, 2010 4:23 PM	Infrastructure (roads etc.) should be given more priority. Lot of upgrading required.	road maintenance		
Jun 10, 2010 10:49 PM	No open ditches.	road maintenance		
Jun 11, 2010 3:01 PM	Roads need repairing.	road maintenance		
Jun 11, 2010 4:12 PM	Quit digging up the streets and redoing work that has been done, plus the entrance into CIBC used to be one way in and one way out.	road maintenance		
Jun 16, 2010 5:25 PM	Be constantly vigilant of ongoing maintenance and attend to it.	road maintenance		
May 21, 2010 4:50 PM	Seniors' services; public washrooms; canopies at bus stops for protection from weather.	services	public washrooms	transit
May 19, 2010 9:40 PM	More value for money in City services. Perhaps privatization of some services which are more economic to source out.	services		
May 26, 2010 7:13 PM	improve services to the existing population	services		
Jun 3, 2010 5:25 PM	You need to treat the stratas better. We pay full taxes but take care of our own infrastructure, roads, sidewalks, sewer, water, lighting, snow removal. We are double taxed. Why would people come here?	services		

May 31, 2010 9:25 PM	Add some larger commercial stores ex. Canadian Tire, London Drugs, Costco, Medical Centre, swimming pool. Also - staff is low in some areas too high in others - staff should follow council's directions more promptly!	shopping	City staff	
Jun 15, 2010 10:25 PM	Stop all ideas of big box stores and development that is costly to our infrastructure; ie, the monstrosity on the waterfront. Think of all the water they will waste, fire protection, sewer. Trying to change traffic patterns.	shopping	development	water
May 26, 2010 4:54 PM	I would like to see wider variety of retail outlets in the downtown area - possibly replace some of the converted houses with proper office & retail facilities	shopping	downtown core	upgrade appearance
Jun 15, 2010 10:48 PM	Stop the drive for growth; eg, big box stores. Downtown area needs to be revitalized. Incentives needed for businesses to improve their storefronts and streetscapes.	shopping	downtown core	upgrade appearance
May 20, 2010 1:46 AM	More large stores could be attracted here. To provide employment for young people and to avoid the trips to Nanaimo.	shopping	employment	
May 28, 2010 2:56 PM	More commercial stores Like Canadian Tire, London Drugs, Wall Mart would avoid many trips into Nanaimo and create more jobs for young families.	shopping	employment	
Jun 21, 2010 6:38 PM	More and better stores for local shopping, more homes, not car dealerships.	shopping	housing	business / industry
May 19, 2010 8:54 PM	large stores, retirement homes, hospital, etc.	shopping	housing	medical
May 21, 2010 4:40 PM	Promote more medium to large chain businesses. More housing options for young families that are the ones supporting local economy.	shopping	housing	
May 17, 2010 10:40 PM	box stores, infrastructure to hold progress, tax base, more employment, more jobs!	shopping	infrastructure	employment
Jun 2, 2010 6:48 PM	Better shopping, more health care, better traffic control.	shopping	medical facilities	traffic control
Jun 8, 2010 9:35 PM	More shopping so we don't have to go to Nanaimo. An emergency 24 hour clinic.	shopping	medical facilities	
May 18, 2010 11:38 PM	We need better parking and some stores to keep people from going to Nanaimo. Not enough variety in what stores we have we need something like Canadian Tire	shopping	parking	
May 27, 2010 5:45 PM	More big box stores, a pool, boardwalk vendors in the summer.	shopping	recreation / youth facilities	beach
May 25, 2010 6:44 PM	Nicer downtown, better shops, movie theatre, more doctors.	shopping	recreation / youth facilities	medical

<b>May 28, 2010 5:26 PM</b>	We need a real mall with stores that sell high end clothes and lots of selection, toys for kids, etc. More activities, pubs, high end establishments.	shopping	recreation / youth facilities	restaurants / pubs
<b>May 18, 2010 5:24 PM</b>	Encourage large franchise type stores--London Drugs, Canadian Tire, Future Shop, Best Buy, Home Sense, movie theatre.	shopping	recreation / youth facilities	
<b>Jun 4, 2010 8:07 PM</b>	Allow more chain stores/restaurants in area.[] Attract tourism of all ages (not only retired people)	shopping	restaurants / pubs	tourism
<b>May 21, 2010 6:11 PM</b>	to have a Canadian Tire store and perhaps a few more restaurants, such as Swiss Chalet..made to fit nicelly into our city...perhaps other convenience stores as well	shopping	restaurants / pubs	
<b>Jun 10, 2010 6:35 PM</b>	Like to see Super Store, Costco, Canadian Tire, Walmart and a few more good restaurants	shopping	restaurants / pubs	
<b>Jun 14, 2010 10:16 PM</b>	More boutique type shops, art galleries, etc. More waterfront restaurants.	shopping	restaurants / pubs	
<b>Jun 16, 2010 10:41 PM</b>	Limited number of chain establishments such as Canadian Tire and Swiss Chalet. Especially restaurants that are open in the evening and all week.	shopping	restaurants / pubs	
<b>May 20, 2010 10:22 PM</b>	better shopping; better sidewalks; more walking paths; clean rocks and seaweed from beach	shopping	sidewalks	beach
<b>May 31, 2010 6:27 PM</b>	Improve downtown shopping and Wembley mall. Add sidewalk on Corfield and elsewhere. Get people to pick up dog droppings (most people don't). Keep city clean from dog droppings on sidewalk. Too many people yielding at stop signs.	shopping	sidewalks	traffic control
<b>May 27, 2010 5:26 AM</b>	1. business, stop complaining about those spending elsewhere. Have the products here and fair pricing and the people will spend here. Changing traffic systems won't stop the people from going around.[] 2. local governments work together, such as school board and city. Combine uses of facilities for the maximum benefit for the taxes that are collected.	shopping	transportation plan	spending
<b>Jun 15, 2010 3:57 PM</b>	A little more shopping. The ridiculous narrowing of the turn by Chevron.	shopping	transportation plan	
<b>Jun 18, 2010 10:25 PM</b>	Shopping is too spread out. Buildings are out of date - not much has changed since 1973. Sidewalks and streets are uneven and narrow.	shopping	upgrade appearance	sidewalks
<b>May 27, 2010 2:58 PM</b>	Shopping; cleanup; beautify the area; create window shopping.	shopping	upgrade appearance	
<b>May 7, 2010 6:11 PM</b>	Access to the mall is ridiculous!!!!!!!!!!!!!!	shopping		

May 16, 2010 5:08 AM	I would like to see a few more chain stores like Canadian Tire so I don't always have to go to Nanaimo for shopping. Any small city that has this many car dealerships and grocery stores should be able to support a small Walmart, Canadian Tire, Marks Workware House. Let Qualicum Beach be the quaint little town. I would like to see Parksville move with the times.	shopping		
May 17, 2010 6:40 AM	Approve chain style stores when they apply to open here. Since residents would have to make far fewer trips to Nanaimo, this would reduce vehicle emissions and the cost of living from fuel saved.	shopping		
May 17, 2010 4:45 PM	same as #10: stores to have residents shop at home instead of going elsewhere	shopping		
May 17, 2010 6:32 PM	Parksville needs to encourage more boutique businesses to make it similar to Qualicum Beach. Tourists love these businesses and so do residents. It makes the city look quaint and less industrial.	shopping		
May 17, 2010 9:09 PM	more stores so I don't have to drive to Nanaimo	shopping		
May 18, 2010 3:28 PM	more shopping	shopping		
May 18, 2010 5:50 PM	Attitude of some business areas. Some act like they don't care if you shop there or not. We don't mind driving to Nanaimo.	shopping		
May 18, 2010 8:22 PM	more shops, i.e. Canadian Tire/Walmart	shopping		
May 18, 2010 9:14 PM	quality shopping	shopping		
May 19, 2010 5:42 PM	better shopping	shopping		
May 20, 2010 8:57 PM	Allow large stores downtown.	shopping		
May 20, 2010 10:08 PM	shopping	shopping		
May 21, 2010 6:53 PM	Access to department or big box stores thereby avoiding trips to Nanaimo.	shopping		
May 21, 2010 9:35 PM	Canadian Tire and a box store would be nice. Probably on the edge of town.	shopping		
May 22, 2010 4:32 PM	I still find I need to go into Nanaimo for much of my shopping because the choice selection is not available here. I know I am not alone and I cringe that so many of our local merchants are struggling and yet there is a leak of shopping dollars going out of our town.	shopping		
May 25, 2010 4:17 PM	We need a store like Canadian Tire.	shopping		
May 25, 2010 5:03 PM	Definitely less car dealers. This should be more commercial space for retail outlets needed but still on the small scale. Farm markets on a larger scale, organized, local management.	shopping		
May 26, 2010 5:33 PM	Attract more big box stores.	shopping		

May 26, 2010 5:41 PM	Needs a corner store like 7-11 etc. as can't shop anywhere past 9:00.	shopping		
May 26, 2010 5:46 PM	Better shops, etc.	shopping		
May 26, 2010 6:27 PM	Shopping--more availability of items and not such high prices.	shopping		
May 27, 2010 3:39 PM	Larger and better shopping area.	shopping		
May 28, 2010 6:16 AM	getting away from the idea that the people that live here are here at the behest of the local merchants.	shopping		
May 28, 2010 3:22 PM	There is a need for better shopping, like Canadian Tire, Costco.	shopping		
May 28, 2010 3:32 PM	Promote small business, ie no box stores.	shopping		
May 31, 2010 5:52 PM	More shopping	shopping		
May 31, 2010 6:33 PM	The need for larger commercial outlets.	shopping		
May 31, 2010 8:09 PM	One Superstore as opposed to 3 higher priced stores.	shopping		
May 31, 2010 10:36 PM	We should have some big box stores, then I would not have to shop elsewhere.	shopping		
Jun 1, 2010 4:04 PM	Better shopping.	shopping		
Jun 1, 2010 9:03 PM	More shopping so that we can shop locally and not have to go to Nanaimo ie: Canadian Tire, Walmart	shopping		
Jun 1, 2010 9:42 PM	More shopping centers. The shops are too expensive in the city.	shopping		
Jun 1, 2010 9:50 PM	Find that we do more shopping out of town because of the business hours. Close too early and the selection not as good.	shopping		
Jun 2, 2010 4:36 PM	Need more stores to stop Nanaimo shopping but spread out	shopping		
Jun 2, 2010 8:44 PM	Local business needs to wake up to the fact that not all people here are retired and can shop from 10-5 pm	shopping		
Jun 2, 2010 9:53 PM	Better promotion of small stores not visible--not on main street. Encourage living and shopping in Parksville.	shopping		
Jun 4, 2010 4:24 PM	Some of the businesses need to show appreciation for having the locals shop here - prices are too high - employees ignore customers - no eye contact, on phone, etc.	shopping		
Jun 4, 2010 8:53 PM	Big box stores on Alberni Highway area	shopping		
Jun 4, 2010 10:19 PM	Needs shopping mall instead of going to Nanaimo.	shopping		
Jun 7, 2010 5:09 PM	We need a better shopping area. London Drugs was supposed to come as well as Canadian Tire, etc. More shopping locally will save traffic having to go to Nanaimo.	shopping		
Jun 7, 2010 9:13 PM	More stores.	shopping		
Jun 7, 2010 9:26 PM	We need a Canadian Tire or a similar type store as well as small retailers.	shopping		
Jun 7, 2010 10:23 PM	We need a proper shopping mall with more stores to accommodate all ages, ie. Canadian Tire or Walmart	shopping		
Jun 8, 2010 5:48 PM	The shops should stay open later.	shopping		
Jun 10, 2010 3:44 PM	Stores to be open a little later. Bigger mall.	shopping		



Jun 10, 2010 4:45 PM	More stores for shopping. Would be nice not to have to go to Nanaimo.	shopping		
Jun 10, 2010 4:49 PM	More retail stores	shopping		
Jun 10, 2010 8:56 PM	Shopping is very limited. Need better selection of stores ie. Canadian Tire etc, grocery stores.	shopping		
Jun 11, 2010 9:36 PM	It would be nice if the local shopping had more to offer. Nice to see a store like Canadian Tire.	shopping		
Jun 14, 2010 3:24 PM	Friday night shopping.	shopping		
Jun 14, 2010 5:21 PM	Access to more retail.	shopping		
Jun 17, 2010 10:13 PM	More larger stores--London Drugs, Canadian Tire near Wembley mall.	shopping		
Jun 18, 2010 6:51 PM	Customer service. We live in US 6 months per year. Customer service is #1. Friendliness and warmth - Canada could use some pointers.	shopping		
Jul 9, 2010 5:35 PM	More malls like Wembley.	shopping		
Jun 15, 2010 9:05 PM	Sidewalk improvements. More perennial gardens. Love the one by Home Hardware.	sidewalks	green space	
Jun 18, 2010 3:55 PM	More sidewalks. Retain forested areas.	sidewalks	green space	
Jun 21, 2010 5:57 PM	Let's have more sidewalks from Stanford down to 19A. Slow the growth of new residential areas. We don't have enough water.	sidewalks	housing	water
May 19, 2010 6:59 PM	More sidewalks and road repairs.	sidewalks	road maintenance	
Jun 1, 2010 4:48 PM	More sidewalks. Fix uneven pavement.	sidewalks	road maintenance	
Jun 11, 2010 10:42 PM	More sidewalks. Removal of snow on downtown sidewalks for seniors to get around.	sidewalks	services	
May 17, 2010 9:34 PM	More sidewalks; better traffic law enforcement, (e.g. almost universal disregard for stop signs)	sidewalks	traffic control	
May 17, 2010 10:56 PM	Addition of sidewalks where there are none. Left turn light at Corfield and Island Highway.	sidewalks	traffic control	
Jun 11, 2010 4:57 PM	Sidewalks and senior transportation and bus info. Respect for the natural green space. Parking (info) for a park and walk to shop.	sidewalks	transit	parking
May 31, 2010 5:06 PM	Sidewalks in residential area. Try not to have intersections on or close to curves in street.	sidewalks	transportation plan	
May 31, 2010 5:08 PM	Cement sidewalks. Our entire town looks messy.	sidewalks	upgrade appearance	
Jun 11, 2010 5:15 PM	More sidewalks, more green space, more concern about our water supply--hence, no more subdivisions or twin towers, no more waterfront condos.	sidewalks	water	development
Jun 2, 2010 5:38 PM	More sidewalks.	sidewalks		

Jun 3, 2010 4:26 PM	All sidewalks in all streets for safety.	sidewalks		
Jun 4, 2010 6:14 PM	I feel we need sidewalks on the streets from the Island Highway up to Stanford - everyone is walking down the road to the centre of the City - Corfield is a prime example.	sidewalks		
Jun 4, 2010 6:26 PM	Would like to see a sidewalk along Temple St (at least on one side of the road) as many people walk here. In some sections you only have about 18 inches to walk.	sidewalks		
Jun 4, 2010 10:11 PM	Clear paths/sidewalks for our students to safely walk themselves to school, ie. Despard Avenue - Accident waiting to happen	sidewalks		
Jun 8, 2010 4:09 PM	How about some sidewalks on the old parts of town that have been paying taxes all these years and still have to walk on the street to get to town.	sidewalks		
Jun 8, 2010 5:44 PM	Consistent sidewalks so you don't have to keep criss-crossing the road.	sidewalks		
Jun 8, 2010 8:47 PM	We need sidewalks.	sidewalks		
Jun 14, 2010 5:56 PM	Sidewalks needed in streets without them, because people park vehicles and pedestrians have to walk in the middle of the road.	sidewalks		
Jun 15, 2010 6:03 PM	Sidewalks should be provided, particularly for the safety of children who walk to school. More funding should be provided for local arts.	sidewalks		
Jun 15, 2010 8:07 PM	Missing sidewalks on Corfield and in community park near playground are dangerous.	sidewalks		
Jun 17, 2010 6:17 PM	There should be more sidewalks so that it is a walking friendly City.	sidewalks		
Jun 17, 2010 6:50 PM	We need more sidewalks to make it safer for seniors to walk anywhere.	sidewalks		
May 7, 2010 8:33 PM	As an avid walker, I would love for it to be safer to walk downtown on the Island Highway -- please add sidewalks. Otherwise I just love it!	sidewalks		
May 17, 2010 8:40 PM	There need to be more and better sidewalks for pedestrians and people with scooters.	sidewalks		
May 21, 2010 5:03 PM	sidewalks	sidewalks		
May 21, 2010 6:43 PM	More sidewalks in residential areas.	sidewalks		
May 25, 2010 9:41 PM	sidewalks in neighbourhoods	sidewalks		
May 27, 2010 10:56 PM	Please link up all the small bits of sidewalks that the developers have to install. They begin nowhere and end nowhere. Also desperately need a sidewalk up west Jensen from the Alberni hwy to Moilliet	sidewalks		
May 28, 2010 6:52 PM	More sidewalks, ie Stanford Ave.	sidewalks		

May 28, 2010 8:20 PM	More sidewalks to connect areas for ease of pedestrian travel from one end to the other (i.e. between resort area and bridge and Dogwood and Wembly Mall	sidewalks		
May 28, 2010 9:59 PM	The section of sidewalk opposite Chevron Gas Station should be concrete not a tar section	sidewalks		
Jun 1, 2010 6:06 PM	Need sidewalks for young and elderly to walk safely, and for blind and disabled to stay out of traffic.	sidewalks		
May 28, 2010 9:58 PM	Run City more cost effectively. Cut down number of motor vehicles. Employees living in Nanoose Bay or Port Alberni should not use City vehicles to go to their living area, etc.	spending	City staff	
May 8, 2010 10:33 PM	City council wanting to spend money that we don't have. More priority on upgrading present infrastructure (roads, etc.) than building new roads and/or extensions!!!	spending	infrastructure	
May 20, 2010 4:35 PM	Fewer 'outside' feasibility studies. Have Parksville citizens decide re planning. Cut back on wasteful spending, e.g. 'professionals' who do not know the community.	spending	resident input	
May 21, 2010 3:10 PM	too much spending	spending		
May 25, 2010 6:25 PM	You're spending too much.	spending		
Jun 7, 2010 8:13 PM	Limit City regional spending to rate of inflation or less.	spending		
Jun 18, 2010 4:18 PM	Common sense must prevail before any major changes are made that are too costly.	spending		
Jun 23, 2010 8:01 PM	Communities must learn to live within their means.	spending		
Jun 8, 2010 10:27 PM	We have become a city where everything is studied to death. At times it looks like we spend more money on studies than getting things done around here.	spending		
May 25, 2010 10:04 PM	Decrease taxes, attract business, simplify administration, streamline small commercial enclaves in residential areas.	taxation	business / industry	City staff
Jun 8, 2010 6:40 PM	Tax base--industrial encouraged.	taxation	business / industry	
Jun 10, 2010 5:25 PM	Property taxes; a council that listens to people; more consideration for ideas that concern young families (it's not just a seniors' community).	taxation	council	families
May 31, 2010 5:25 PM	Lower taxes, stop development, stop population growth.	taxation	downtown core	control growth
May 14, 2010 8:20 PM	high taxes, house prices	taxation	housing	
May 19, 2010 9:01 PM	cost of living here too high, i.e. taxes--utilities, etc.	taxation	services	
May 20, 2010 8:17 PM	Taxes are unfair to stratas as they pay for their own road, sewer and water lines, snow clearing, and these resources are supplied to dwellings.	taxation	services	
May 25, 2010 9:04 PM	Municipal taxes are slowing strangling us with services actually reduced each year due to population growth.	taxation	services	

Jun 18, 2010 4:55 PM	We need to change the attitude that taxpayers (mostly seniors on fixed income) will be able to financially support the whims and visions of Town Hall.	taxation	spending	
Jun 4, 2010 8:20 PM	Lower taxes, reservoirs to capture abundant rainfall to be used in dry periods, expanded medical clinic for emergencies	taxation	water	medical
Jun 3, 2010 8:54 PM	Lower taxes. Proposal for higher water rates is extreme.	taxation	water	
May 20, 2010 1:15 AM	taxes,, go lower, or hit the rich, not the poor	taxation		
Jun 10, 2010 4:44 PM	Lower taxes	taxation		
Jun 3, 2010 10:42 PM	More accommodating and friendly to visitors. Increase awareness of Visitor Centre. Give them a role in community. Encourage more 'street' and outdoor park activities. Keep people here.	tourism	events	
Jun 16, 2010 8:36 PM	We need sustainable community. Tourism is not sustainable. Get over it. I don't want to live in 'a nice place to visit, but you would not want to live there'.	tourism	sustainability	
Jun 10, 2010 5:55 PM	Parksville residents should grow up. We will never be a quaint community. We are a tourist based town. That is how most people make their living.	tourism		
Jun 18, 2010 6:11 PM	We shouldn't strive to accommodate all the different types of communities in Parksville. We have strong resort/tourism facilities and a strong bedroom community.	tourism		
May 23, 2010 4:32 PM	Attitude of drivers. Especially where crosswalks are involved.[] Attitude of dog owners. Especially in playgrounds and parks.	traffic control	animal control	
May 20, 2010 9:02 PM	Install more left turn traffic lights. Access to beach/water should be increased for tourists and locals.	traffic control	beach	
Jun 15, 2010 4:08 PM	More control of outsiders who at present speed through town. Keep business in centre of town, not spread through town. It might help police to control vandals.	traffic control	downtown core	business / industry
May 18, 2010 8:05 PM	traffic; downtown spread out--unattractive	traffic control	downtown core	
Jun 10, 2010 3:51 PM	Too many 4 way stops. Decide on 'town centre' then grow from that site.	traffic control	downtown core	
May 21, 2010 8:09 PM	More pedestrian friendly streets, e.g. 30 km in residential areas, speed bumps; more green space.	traffic control	green space	
May 26, 2010 10:16 PM	Safer crosswalks are needed; more 4-way stop signs. More affordable housing to solve homelessness.	traffic control	housing	
Jun 14, 2010 8:21 PM	More crosswalks. More beach parking--on nice days it's hard for families with small children; also for elderly.	traffic control	parking	
May 15, 2010 6:57 PM	Better traffic control planning and enforcement of speed limits.	traffic control	policing	

May 19, 2010 9:38 PM	We need to be more aware of the aging population in regards to access and mobility. The increase of electric scooters and bikes means that we need a more concentrated education program aimed at the users and the general public so they can be easily incorporated into our traffic flows. Periodic enforcement and education by the RCMP is inadequate and ineffectual to some (most) of the senior users.	traffic control	policing	
May 28, 2010 6:09 PM	Speed limits/enforcement, in particular limits and traffic enforcement needs to be stepped up at and around Parksville Elementary School.	traffic control	policing	
Jun 11, 2010 4:45 PM	Reduce the speedway speeders on 19A by policing it better.	traffic control	policing	
Jun 18, 2010 9:20 PM	Drivers behaviour - undisciplined and arrogant - more traffic policing needed.	traffic control	policing	
Jun 7, 2010 8:02 PM	Too many traffic lights, stores are all over the place. The new "highrise" is not suited to the area.	traffic control	shopping	waterfront development
May 21, 2010 9:42 PM	traffic control; less traffic (commercial) on neighbourhood streets; larger stores (Walmart, etc.)	traffic control	shopping	
May 28, 2010 3:47 PM	Traffic lights--I'm visually impaired and a lot of the lights are not safe, not are crosswalks. No sidewalks in a lot of the areas. I walk everywhere.	traffic control	sidewalks	
May 22, 2010 11:54 PM	The intersection at Hirst and MacMillan is confusing to drivers as the lanes don't line up. I think a four way stop or a roundabout would help to make it safer. The other intersection that we tend to avoid because it's dangerous is Jensen and McCarter.[] [] I think the City should create a map, either online, printed, or both, showing all of the local parks, trails and beach access points, to encourage residents to take advantage of what's in our community.[] [] Since we moved here five years ago, we noticed that our street, Hirst Ave. W., seems to be cleaned by the streetsweeper a lot more than it needs. If the City is looking for cost-savings, that might be a place where you could reduce costs.	traffic control	spending	
May 27, 2010 3:08 PM	Roads are terrible. Not enough traffic lights, ie crossing at McMillan and Hirst. The nightmare on Alberni.	traffic control	transportation plan	
Jun 7, 2010 3:11 PM	The traffic is terrible. I recommend an interchange at Church Rd with road connecting from Stanhope to Hwy 19 overpass. Also, 19A should be 4 lanes to French Creek.	traffic control	transportation plan	
Jun 18, 2010 10:32 PM	Slowing down traffic on 19A. More walking paths.	traffic control	walking / cycling	

May 14, 2010 4:24 PM	Need a four way stop at MacMillan and Hirst	traffic control		
May 18, 2010 5:39 PM	Left hand turn lanes on highway 19 at Finholm and Bay Streets.	traffic control		
May 18, 2010 8:14 PM	more traffic lights	traffic control		
May 18, 2010 10:38 PM	There should be some traffic control. Check smoking by public doorways - 5.30 - 6 pm and 7.45 - 8.30 pm	traffic control		
May 19, 2010 8:25 PM	See question 10. A person in a wheelchair living in Emden House on Hirst and McMillan going to the Royal Bank needs to cross four intersections, all very, very busy intersections.	traffic control		
May 21, 2010 6:30 PM	More traffic lights on highway.	traffic control		
May 21, 2010 9:26 PM	Definite laws in regard to use of scooters. (seniors on road, sidewalk, no lights on in early mornings)	traffic control		
May 25, 2010 11:09 PM	Better traffic controls to prevent city streets being used as a cut through/speedway- if you want to go that fast- use the Inland Island Hwy.	traffic control		
May 26, 2010 4:02 PM	The traffic corner of Hirst & McMillan is very confusing & only guided by fading arrows on the paved road.	traffic control		
May 27, 2010 4:27 PM	Reliance on automobile.	traffic control		
May 27, 2010 10:51 PM	Improve the traffic circles on Temple. Go to Surrey and see what really works. The ones on Temple don't work at all. I moved recently from that area and people still speed.	traffic control		
May 31, 2010 4:44 PM	More streetlights; more pedestrian lights.	traffic control		
Jun 1, 2010 5:58 PM	Safer pedestrian crossings.	traffic control		
Jun 1, 2010 9:21 PM	Noise control of Harleys along Island Hwy through town during tourism season.	traffic control		
Jun 2, 2010 5:36 PM	Traffic patterns on McMillan Street need to be remarked and improved	traffic control		
Jun 2, 2010 9:03 PM	Put a stop light at the corner of Hirst and McMillan. This is very dangerous.	traffic control		
Jun 3, 2010 4:12 PM	Lights on crosswalks on Hirst, as there are so many seniors crossing and speeders from 8 pm on every night.	traffic control		
Jun 4, 2010 10:37 PM	More control crossings on highway	traffic control		
Jun 8, 2010 8:24 PM	Stop lights end of Moilliet to enter and exit mini golf and motel. Also for Home Builders, west on highway.	traffic control		
Jun 10, 2010 10:32 PM	I live on Dogwood and traffic is heavy trying to get onto 19A. Have made numerous complaints - need light there and not at golf course for motels. Would be convenient for both.	traffic control		
Jun 11, 2010 6:56 PM	More crosswalks, as there is no busing for students. Better traffic flow at xray clinic, as you can't turn there safely.	traffic control		
Jun 14, 2010 3:18 PM	More traffic lights. More left turn signals.	traffic control		

Jun 16, 2010 8:56 PM	Better traffic signals/lights in the downtown area, eg. in front of the Royal Bank - we need to look very carefully in 4 directions before crossing.	traffic control		
Jun 17, 2010 9:31 PM	Speed limit along the old Island Highway is too slow.	traffic control		
Jun 17, 2010 10:41 PM	More safe crosswalks between Martindale and QF. It is almost impossible to cross over from Pioneer to do business. I risk my life every time. No one slows down. Two crosswalks: one to Chrysler; one to Boston Pizza, Mill St area.	traffic control		
Jun 18, 2010 10:53 PM	Traffic light at Temple store and Island Highway	traffic control		
May 18, 2010 8:22 PM	Two things: 1) improved seniors transportation ie frequent daily bus or van service which access shops and service; small scale to meet local needs. 2) cycling and walking paths to access shops and services which segregate bikes and walkers from vehicle traffic.	transit	cycling	walking / cycling
Jun 8, 2010 8:10 PM	Public bus transportation needs improving so school kids can use it to get to and from school. Schedule currently doesn't support this and school buses are no longer user friendly. More activities like movie night at the beach. A movie theatre is needed.	transit	recreation / youth facilities	
May 25, 2010 9:59 PM	More transit. More walk & bike corridors	transit	walking / cycling	
May 17, 2010 3:38 PM	better transit	transit		
May 18, 2010 9:45 PM	We need better public transit service.	transit		
May 26, 2010 4:21 PM	Much more buses.	transit		
May 27, 2010 4:56 PM	More public transport.	transit		
Jun 1, 2010 9:42 PM	City transit, more buses running	transit		
Jun 1, 2010 10:43 PM	more transportation and covered bus stops	transit		
Jun 4, 2010 4:40 PM	Better transit.	transit		
Jun 11, 2010 6:14 PM	Better transit. Shuttle buses to the park and special entertainments on a regular basis.	transit		
Jun 14, 2010 6:09 PM	People centered. Not Auto centered. Innovative transit options, eg. small vans, resort carriages (largely funded by resorts).	transit		
Jun 2, 2010 3:20 PM	The Island Highway right through the main business area has to change. In the spring and summer it is a disaster waiting to happen. Maybe a large mall with a bank, post office etc. would enhance the disirability of the town.	transportation plan	business / industry	
Jun 15, 2010 5:11 PM	Not a one way highway through town; would not enhance the businesses now there. Make traffic lanes wide enough for access to customer parking. Jensen extension could go ahead.	transportation plan	business / industry	
May 28, 2010 10:52 PM	Creative thinking. Go outside the box. Revise the Jensen idea or something similar. 'Steal' from QB's downtown.	transportation plan	downtown core	

<b>Jun 3, 2010 5:54 PM</b>	I think the infrastructure that was planned for Jensen would have been beneficial. I would have liked to see the firehall built.	transportation plan	firehall	
<b>May 31, 2010 10:29 PM</b>	-Expand 19A from Dogwood to Rushton. Need 2 lanes each way (because the rest of the area is 2 lanes each way). -Keep the trees at corner of Despard & Alberni Highway	transportation plan	green space	
<b>Jun 11, 2010 5:37 PM</b>	Access to Hwy 19 because we are so reliant on Nanaimo facilities; getting out of Parksville onto Hwy 19 is very onerous. Parksville is basically a bedroom and tourist community. We need medical facilities.	transportation plan	medical	
<b>May 25, 2010 8:41 PM</b>	See comments #10. Also change 19A to 1 lane each way. More parking plus bike lane.	transportation plan	parking	walking / cycling
<b>Jun 21, 2010 3:38 PM</b>	parking, traffic flow	transportation plan	parking	
<b>Jun 8, 2010 4:37 PM</b>	The way roads and streets are designed. Listening to more persons, not just the loudest.	transportation plan	resident input	
<b>May 25, 2010 4:24 PM</b>	traffic patterns; more stores downtown	transportation plan	shopping	downtown core
<b>May 26, 2010 10:00 PM</b>	Better local transportation to get downtown, to beaches, to Qualicum. Improved shopping core - use Qualicum as a model: Better walking access (more centralized), more variety of goods (but not big box stores).	transportation plan	shopping	pedestrian friendly downtown
<b>Jun 4, 2010 10:15 PM</b>	The wide sidewalks on the main street need to be smaller to ensure drivers do not hit people getting out of their vehicles.	transportation plan	sidewalks	
<b>Jun 17, 2010 4:15 PM</b>	Jensen Street extension to Mills Street McVickers Street should have paved sidewalk on both sides of the street.	transportation plan	sidewalks	
<b>May 18, 2010 11:55 PM</b>	Downtown traffic flow is bad. Our car insurance went up when we moved here from Victoria. Suggest traffic lights at Craig and Jensen and Corfield and Stanford.  I know that a proposal was to make 19A two lanes one way with parking. This is good as it would make the stores along 19A more useable. I think it would be better to make it one lane each way. Otherwise it will be like a race track. We don't really want to make it easy for people to get through Parksville. We want them to stop and go shopping. If people are in a hurry to go somewhere, they can use the bypass.	transportation plan	traffic control	



<b>May 19, 2010 5:29 PM</b>	Highway 4 and Island highway--semi-trucks still turn left at this intersection and there is no room. Church road and Alberni highway needs a light.	transportation plan	traffic control	
<b>May 31, 2010 5:46 PM</b>	The downtown strip is a pain for traffic and turning left onto the highway. All that can be done now is to put in perhaps one more set of lights.	transportation plan	traffic control	
<b>Jun 11, 2010 5:50 PM</b>	Widening of Hwy 19 between Parksville and QB and left turn at x-ray centre	transportation plan	traffic control	
<b>Jun 11, 2010 10:05 PM</b>	Traffic calming on 19A to develop a better downtown business area.	transportation plan	traffic control	
<b>Jun 14, 2010 3:52 PM</b>	Slow down traffic on old highway. Make major changes for intersention of McMillan and Hirst. Require traffic lights at intersections of McMillan & old highway, Corfield & old highway to reduce speeding.	transportation plan	traffic control	
<b>Jun 14, 2010 6:22 PM</b>	Traffic problem areas: Left turn off highway at Temple. Activate light full time at Moilliet. Right turn off highway at Hwy 4--need to cut back sidewalk on bank corner.	transportation plan	traffic control	
<b>Jun 16, 2010 6:37 PM</b>	Do something about the strip. Slow down the old Island Highway and increase opportunities for pedestrian/biking/parking.	transportation plan	walking / cycling	
<b>May 19, 2010 4:16 PM</b>	complete road plans; community amenities at waterfront developments	transportation plan	waterfront development	
<b>May 10, 2010 3:53 AM</b>	Abandon the plans to reroute 19A traffic	transportation plan		
<b>May 17, 2010 8:27 PM</b>	The changes that were made to the 'Alberni Highway' are in my estimation a disgrace. As a past construction worker with 50 years highway work, I can say truthfully that your 'bottleneck' answer for progress is a monumental farce.	transportation plan		
<b>May 18, 2010 4:33 PM</b>	through traffic should bypass the (so-called) city centre.	transportation plan		
<b>May 19, 2010 6:59 PM</b>	We do not realize cities this size are improved by one way streets. We would have, though presently part of a silent majority, opposed the Jensen extension.	transportation plan		
<b>May 20, 2010 5:03 PM</b>	Improve (widen) existing roadways to facilitate traffic flow through downtown.	transportation plan		
<b>May 20, 2010 8:25 PM</b>	More roads! It's too congested!	transportation plan		
<b>May 21, 2010 1:37 AM</b>	Accept the fact that Parksville is never going to replace Nanaimo re: shopping opportunities and don't make traffic flow changes with the hope that it "might" encourage more businesses to establish in the city.	transportation plan		

<b>May 21, 2010 3:52 PM</b>	Open up some of these side streets like the one City Hall is on that you recently changed your minds about. The are presently like old cow paths.	transportation plan		
<b>May 21, 2010 6:34 PM</b>	Current plans to extend Jensen should be scrapped.	transportation plan		
<b>May 25, 2010 8:01 PM</b>	Do not make 19A one way.	transportation plan		
<b>May 26, 2010 3:20 PM</b>	Have a road system that allows residents to avoid 19A during the busy summer period.	transportation plan		
<b>May 26, 2010 3:36 PM</b>	Traffic patterns and flow at 19A and 4A and that weird road configuration from 19A at McMillan to 4A.	transportation plan		
<b>May 26, 2010 5:53 PM</b>	Quit pushing for a one way highway	transportation plan		
<b>May 26, 2010 9:09 PM</b>	Planning of shapes of streets such as the mess of the Alberni Highway from 19A to Jensen. It is an accident waiting to happen and it will.	transportation plan		
<b>May 27, 2010 6:07 PM</b>	We need better traffic flow. I have 35 yrs. heavy truck experience yet I try to avoid downtown in my pickup because of poor sight lines, narrow lanes etc. Morrison should be closed at the highway as it contributes to congestion. We have no truck bypass route although most use Despard because Jensen and the 4a are too poorly designed for trucks. Church rd is a major traffic route yet it has no access to Hwy. 19a except through residential streets. If I was a tourist and was presented with the downtown core's traffic patterns I'd keep going rather than face the aggravation. Downtown Qualicum is a good example of what to avoid. I never go there because it is a pain in the butt to drive in.	transportation plan		
<b>May 27, 2010 7:59 PM</b>	Hwy 19A needs to be 4 lane all the way to Wembley Mall. Two lanes causes bottle necks and traffic tie-ups, rather than traffic calming. Do not make downtown 2 lanes or one way. And the Alberni Hwy needs to be wider. Motorhomes in summer can't navigate.	transportation plan		
<b>May 28, 2010 3:41 PM</b>	Driver testing and revoking of post-70 year olds. Get the bulges out of the roads; straighten them out.	transportation plan		
<b>May 28, 2010 4:35 PM</b>	Main street #4	transportation plan		
<b>May 28, 2010 8:30 PM</b>	The freeway through downtown needs to be narrowed, and get the vehicles to slow down so there is a connection to the waterfront.	transportation plan		

May 28, 2010 9:01 PM	Don't like narrow car lanes on Alberni Highway. Don't care for sidewalks that jut so far into car lanes.	transportation plan		
May 31, 2010 5:17 PM	With all the aging drivers - Alberni Hwy in the downtown core should have been made wider.	transportation plan		
Jun 1, 2010 4:34 PM	Main roads are too narrow.	transportation plan		
Jun 2, 2010 5:23 PM	We need the Jensen St. extension	transportation plan		
Jun 2, 2010 8:26 PM	Explore one way roads. Use Moilliet as main thoroughfare.	transportation plan		
Jun 2, 2010 8:52 PM	Unhappy with changes to downtown portion of Alberni Highway - makes it very difficult to get through that area.	transportation plan		
Jun 2, 2010 8:57 PM	Stop spending so much on cosmetic stuff, ie. Jensen Street extension and shelve the highway narrowing. Dreaming of less traffic doesn't make it real.	transportation plan		
Jun 2, 2010 10:35 PM	Divert traffic off of Old Island Highway. Need better signage on parkway to encourage motorists to use both exits.	transportation plan		
Jun 2, 2010 10:44 PM	No Jensen Avenue expansion for a few years	transportation plan		
Jun 3, 2010 5:06 PM	Leave the roads.	transportation plan		
Jun 3, 2010 10:30 PM	When the City determines which roads they want to cut off, please let the people it affects vote on it and give their input on the subject.	transportation plan		
Jun 4, 2010 9:26 PM	Reduce perception of Surrey style strip development (commercial) through smoother traffic flow in the downtown area, facilitating commercial development off the Island Highway.	transportation plan		
Jun 4, 2010 9:54 PM	19A should be 2 lanes from Hwy 19 to Qualicum Beach instead of switching from 4 lanes then 2 lanes then 4 lanes then 2 lanes...	transportation plan		
Jun 7, 2010 9:34 PM	The Jensen Road extension should be completed. We need to make 19A a one way highway.	transportation plan		
Jun 8, 2010 3:15 PM	Alberni Hwy between Rod and Gun and Island Hwy. Too many parked cars, making for hard to see pedestrian crossings, and no where for cars to go to make way for emergency vehicles. Someone is going to get hurt.	transportation plan		
Jun 8, 2010 10:46 PM	1. Double lanes all the way past Temple store to Pym. 2. Double lane past SOS down to waterfront.	transportation plan		
Jun 10, 2010 5:11 PM	Stop putting fancy extensions of concrete on road corners (ie. opposite Stanford Elementary School) as hard to see on rainy night (possible snow plough hazzard)	transportation plan		

Jun 11, 2010 6:49 PM	Stop the proposed one way traffic with parking on Highway 19A and the extension of Jensen Avenue making it a one way for southbound traffic. This is development driven and not in the interest of Parksville residents.	transportation plan		
Jun 14, 2010 4:45 PM	Parksville needs to change the route system in the downtown core.	transportation plan		
Jun 17, 2010 6:44 PM	The traffic pattern of Hwy 4A should be rerouted. It is dangerous as is. Isn't Moilliet St an option?	transportation plan		
Jun 9, 2010 9:27 PM	A more attractive entrance into Parksville (south) buildings are starting to look run down. Less focus on the used car lot businesses. More bicycle friendly roads.	upgrade appearance	business / industry	walking / cycling
Jun 17, 2010 9:03 PM	Highway from orange bridge to Alberni is unattractive, unappealing. All you see are auto related businesses, reataurants/fast food outlets. Need central island with gardens, etc.	upgrade appearance	business / industry	
Jun 1, 2010 6:29 PM	A lot of cleaning up and bylaw enforcement	upgrade appearance	bylaws	
Jun 2, 2010 5:03 PM	Clean up some residential properties - bylaw officer should be checking	upgrade appearance	bylaws	
May 22, 2010 2:13 AM	Downtown stores are ugly. Bike friendly initiatives are needed.	upgrade appearance	cycling	
May 19, 2010 4:13 PM	highway entrances to the city should be more attractive and downtown area more "exciting" and interesting for pedestrians with sculpture and art	upgrade appearance	downtown core	
May 19, 2010 9:36 PM	Parksville should try to improve the appearance of the downtown area, as well as old highway area approaching town - fast food, small businesses - unattractive look	upgrade appearance	downtown core	
May 21, 2010 7:03 PM	the central core coming into town - it is unsightly and unwelcoming and not a boost to the tourist base. A seaside theme throughout all new structures etc..	upgrade appearance	downtown core	
May 26, 2010 5:44 AM	We need to upgrade the store fronts along Morison Ave to make it more in line with the resort across the street. I would like to see Craig street cleaned up and purchase the empty lot, perhaps put in a community square or a fountain.	upgrade appearance	downtown core	
May 26, 2010 6:09 PM	Town center is not attractive. Too many car dealerships. Whole downtown area needs a 'makeover'. Shabby buildings.	upgrade appearance	downtown core	
Jun 7, 2010 3:58 PM	More attractive buildings on 19A after the bridge. Anything you can do to make the downtown core like Qualicum Beach. Too many fast food outlets instead of quality restaurants.	upgrade appearance	downtown core	

May 17, 2010 5:04 PM	mini maps painted on sides of building to direct tourists better; more cleaning up some of the older buildings and encouraging planting of small gardens or containers downtown	upgrade appearance	maps	
May 18, 2010 1:24 AM	- Better city planning to enhance Parksville's attractiveness to residents. - More hiking/Biking trails. - An updated OCP - A Council working for Parksville's residents. - Better Transportation Plans.	upgrade appearance	OCP	transportation plan
May 16, 2010 8:31 PM	Type of development is too random and chaotic. The Island Highway resembles Kingsway in Burnaby. There is no "core" to the town. Alberni Highway is awful in town, streets are too narrow due to parking on both sides.	upgrade appearance	parking	
May 18, 2010 3:40 PM	The City is dreadfully car dependent and is also, other than the beach area, tremendously unattractive	upgrade appearance	pedestrian friendly downtown	
May 25, 2010 4:40 PM	Encourage business owners to make their storefronts meld together into one style. Bring in more small businesses--shoe stores, kitchen shops, etc.	upgrade appearance	shopping	
Jun 16, 2010 10:54 PM	Very unattractive City. Traffic congestion, lack of appropriate development plan, no long term vision.	upgrade appearance	transportation plan	development
Jun 8, 2010 8:54 PM	More pride in neighbourhoods. Less traffic and strip development. Less tall buildings along waterfront. More parks and green belt for wildlife.	upgrade appearance	transportation plan	waterfront development
Jun 1, 2010 4:55 PM	Jazz up store fronts and no more development on waterfront.	upgrade appearance	waterfront development	
May 13, 2010 4:35 AM	The 'downtown' area is an eyesore and desperately needs to be upgraded if we are to expect people to actually shop there. Dollar stores and thrift shops don't cut it. For goodness sake, we are trying to encourage people not to go to Nanaimo. The other key thing I would do is to negotiate with the Wembly Mall owner to do whatever it takes to upgrade that mall. What an opportunity gone to waste. The new arena has done absolutely nothing to attract new business. It is a sad and dreary little place. We try to avoid it as do most of our friends. The other change that needs to happen is people need to take a much more hands on approach to municipale affairs. The town has been run by small business and the Chamber of Commerce for far too long and it is time for a better balance between development and parkland.	upgrade appearance	Wembley mall	resident input

<b>May 8, 2010 4:53 AM</b>	downtown core and the unsightly look that Parksville has coming in from Port Alberni into Parksville...that building at the entrance to Parksville that used to be the second hand store is disgusting....buildings in Parksville need some character like Qualicum....not just a bunch of unrelated designs....	upgrade appearance		
<b>May 11, 2010 5:57 PM</b>	Some parts are ugly and run down. Need to bring the pretty to it - like Qualicum	upgrade appearance		
<b>May 17, 2010 3:47 PM</b>	clean up downtown	upgrade appearance		
<b>May 17, 2010 8:38 PM</b>	As stated above it needs to be given a downtown to be proud of not one to be ashamed of. It needs a focal area such as a square with a fountain with nice shops surrounding it, it could be a lovely place to walk and sit at outside cafes or restaurants, as sort of european feel.....	upgrade appearance		
<b>May 18, 2010 8:46 PM</b>	the town is looking drab and in urgent need of upgrading. Some of the resorts are looking tired and run down.	upgrade appearance		
<b>May 18, 2010 9:51 PM</b>	downtown needs to be more attractive	upgrade appearance		
<b>May 19, 2010 1:59 AM</b>	Downtown needs to be upgraded as in Qualicum Beach	upgrade appearance		
<b>May 19, 2010 10:17 PM</b>	Mall areas should be made attractive with the use of pedestrian friendly approaches to the shops, plants along the walkways and well-cared for exteriors. e.g. Fields and Lucky Loony should be required to present themselves more attractively and the owners should be required to repair and paint the exterior of the building.	upgrade appearance		
<b>May 20, 2010 10:51 PM</b>	Downtown looks like dogpatch (see old pictures of Langford). Force merchants to renew, rebuild or sell out. Bring in law to force the issue.	upgrade appearance		
<b>May 21, 2010 6:48 PM</b>	Clean up 19A from the bridge at Englishman River to Wembly Mall. Knock down old buildings such as Super Save Gas etc.	upgrade appearance		
<b>May 25, 2010 7:49 PM</b>	Main street needs to be cleaned and old buildings upgraded.	upgrade appearance		
<b>May 25, 2010 9:31 PM</b>	Beautification of entrances to town especially off inland/Alberni Highway	upgrade appearance		
<b>May 25, 2010 9:52 PM</b>	Make the owners of the homes next to the Thrifty shops clean up. It's not good for tourists to see this and gives Parksville a scruffy look.	upgrade appearance		
<b>May 25, 2010 10:54 PM</b>	Update its appearance. Make it funky and upscale like the City of Canmore has done. It really complements the scenery.	upgrade appearance		

Jun 1, 2010 3:48 PM	Clean up and improve some of the old business buildings in town.	upgrade appearance		
Jun 1, 2010 9:10 PM	The area from the lights by the heritage centre to the orange bridge is ugly and not welcoming.	upgrade appearance		
Jun 2, 2010 10:28 PM	get rid of the building across of the Rod & Gun - it's an eyesore	upgrade appearance		
Jun 3, 2010 6:34 PM	Encouraging, strongly, commercial owners to demolish or renovate their properties, as some are dilapidated.	upgrade appearance		
Jun 3, 2010 6:56 PM	Some of the properties need to be tidied up or destroyed; eg along Corfield.	upgrade appearance		
Jun 4, 2010 5:18 PM	clean up some areas	upgrade appearance		
Jun 4, 2010 5:59 PM	Improve choice of architecture of all new buildings to complement surroundings. Improve unattended lots--Craig on highway, Corfield.	upgrade appearance		
Jun 4, 2010 6:07 PM	Cut the weeds and grass on side of road and ditches and clean it up.	upgrade appearance		
Jun 4, 2010 9:58 PM	Clean up some street junk yards	upgrade appearance		
Jun 4, 2010 10:00 PM	Clean up roadside clutter along 19A at the Industrial Park	upgrade appearance		
Jun 7, 2010 9:08 PM	Underground services down main streets--looks like industrial town. We're not--more pleasing to tourists.	upgrade appearance		
Jun 8, 2010 7:58 PM	The whole city needs tidying up, cleaning and clearing rubbish, etc. Both City and businesses must work together. Let's have some pride in Parksville.	upgrade appearance		
Jun 11, 2010 9:56 PM	I think we are moving in the right direction with recent improvements, but Parksville still could be a little more classy (fix up run down buildings - too many car dealerships).	upgrade appearance		
Jun 14, 2010 8:40 PM	Hwy 19A--too many car lots and old buildings. This does not show well. There are also empty lots and buildings that do not enhance the look.	upgrade appearance		
Jun 14, 2010 8:46 PM	Many businesses in Parksville look shabby and run down. We would like to see Parksville with a west coast look with lots of cedar, shrubs and painted in natural colours.	upgrade appearance		
Jun 18, 2010 9:50 PM	Clean up old buildings and old vacant houses. Offices in houses blend well if done pleasantly	upgrade appearance		
May 31, 2010 6:13 PM	South entrance to Parksville along 19A	upgrade appearance		

Jun 11, 2010 6:22 PM	Paint the orange bridge	upgrade appearance		
May 21, 2010 8:38 PM	When we first moved here, things were quite economical price wise, utility wise - all has gone up - not family oriented.	utilities		
Jun 21, 2010 4:21 PM	Petty vandalism seems continuous. Traffic light at Shelly Rd--almost impossible to turn left safely. 3 way stop at Jensen and Corfield intersection.	vandalism	traffic control	
May 19, 2010 4:16 AM	Develop nice bike paths and walkways. Make more parks to put the 'park' in Parksville. Create a down town. Where is it?	walking / cycling	downtown core	
Jun 15, 2010 5:54 PM	Better bike lanes. More walking paths. More green space/more parkland. Buy the property at the end of Greig Rd and make it a park to link with Top Bridge park.	walking / cycling	green space	
May 21, 2010 9:06 PM	Cycling paths and separate lanes on streets. Walkable downtown area.	walking / cycling	pedestrian friendly downtown	
May 18, 2010 6:38 PM	more walking paths; less policing	walking / cycling	policing	
May 14, 2010 10:49 PM	We need more cycling lanes and walkways along 19A.	walking / cycling	sidewalks	
Jun 8, 2010 3:02 PM	More walking and cycling paths. The strip mall is awful, aggravated by 50 kph speed limit on a main highway (the worst of both worlds).	walking / cycling	traffic control	
May 28, 2010 3:27 PM	More bike paths along highway. Better busing to VIU. Commercial access to waterfront. Lower ferry costs.	walking / cycling	transit	beach
May 19, 2010 10:46 PM	more pedestrian friendly--sidewalks, paths, bike lanes, public transit	walking / cycling	transit	
May 22, 2010 12:22 AM	more bike routes	walking / cycling		
May 27, 2010 8:43 PM	We need better bicycle lanes on our roads. I have been hit on 3 different occasions on Despard St alone in the last 2 years.	walking / cycling		
Jun 3, 2010 8:47 PM	Overpass walkway to park.	walking / cycling		
Jun 4, 2010 6:16 PM	More walking/biking paths that connect to downtown.	walking / cycling		
Jun 4, 2010 6:41 PM	safer transportation for biking and walking	walking / cycling		
Jun 14, 2010 4:35 PM	Incentives to walk and ride bicycles. Somewhat unsafe in some areas now.	walking / cycling		
Jun 16, 2010 9:50 PM	Preserve and provide pedestrian access to whole of beachfront.	walking / cycling		



May 28, 2010 5:53 PM	More hiking and bike trails	walking / cycling		
May 28, 2010 6:33 PM	We need to encourage walking and bicycling	walking / cycling		
May 17, 2010 10:00 PM	we could use even more walking paths	walking / cycling		
Jun 11, 2010 8:25 PM	We need proper recycling services for downtown businesses--too much going to waste.	waste disposal	business / industry	
Jun 17, 2010 6:29 PM	Need more recycling (eg. apartments.) Stop hiring so many brain dead consultants - politicians are hired to make decisions, not pass the buck.	waste disposal	council	
May 27, 2010 3:22 AM	Better recycling services. ie composting. Branch tree pick up more then 2 times a year.	waste disposal	services	
Jun 2, 2010 10:23 PM	improved recycling - pick up of garden waste on regular basis, recycle plastic bags.	waste disposal		
Jun 7, 2010 9:36 PM	Adequate water storage should be built before expanding development.	water	development	
Jun 14, 2010 9:44 PM	Water rates. There should be a more compact and specific downtown area for shopping and services.	water	downtown core	
Jun 11, 2010 9:36 PM	For future growth infrastructure needs to be considered - availability of water, keeping environment in mind. Health services available locally.	water	environment	medical
Jun 10, 2010 9:41 PM	There should be no water rationing. There is a real shortage of parking all over town. Should be a walking/bike trail through town.	water	parking	walking / cycling
Jun 9, 2010 6:18 PM	Make sure we have a proper water and sewer system before growing too much.	water	services	
Jun 10, 2010 4:15 PM	The infrastructure (water/sewer) should keep up with the growing population of retiring baby boomers.	water	services	
Jun 7, 2010 3:50 PM	Possible watering restrictions. Use of money for landscaping purposes. More smaller neighbourhood parks.	water	spending	green space
May 17, 2010 5:56 PM	need to do more to protect watersheds; Englishman River	water		
May 18, 2010 10:17 PM	There is always much dialogue about our water supply and water conservation. However, local and Provincial governments, seem to be blind to the need for water recycling. I would like to see our Council and Administration take a strong stand on this issue and bring it before the UBCM as an issue to put before the Provincial Government. i.e. include grey water recycling as part of the urban building code.	water		
May 19, 2010 6:16 PM	Arbitrarily increasing water rates many times the rate of inflation, more than the tax rate, and all done on in-house stats!	water		

May 19, 2010 6:44 PM	The quality of the water. We are going to be paying a lot for water we can't drink. We filter and boil it before drinking. Rethink your water rates. You are going to have a brown city.	water		
May 25, 2010 4:15 PM	Yes, change the myth that increased population lowers taxes. What it does lower is the aquifer.	water		
Jun 2, 2010 4:48 PM	Water supply improvement before more housing growth.	water		
Jun 3, 2010 3:26 PM	Need a better water supply.	water		
Jun 4, 2010 8:46 PM	Infrastructure needs to keep up with construction rate or slow down const. □ ie. water.	water		
Jun 11, 2010 10:49 PM	We should be managing over water supply much better. Millions of gallons flow by our door. We should be working on another dam site	water		
Jun 10, 2010 3:14 PM	Water usage--why implement minimum usage with minimum rate? Why not charge per litre (other than cash grab) and why would family rate equal 5 member household?	water		
Jun 18, 2010 9:49 PM	The Aquastar program should be cancelled. Change habits through education, not punitive measures.	water		
May 26, 2010 3:47 PM	Open up sea front. Disallow large buildings on sea front. More parking for sea front.	waterfront development	beach	
May 31, 2010 6:51 PM	We don't need a highrise building on the beach. The beach walkway is very nice and could be longer.	waterfront development	beach	
May 31, 2010 10:05 PM	Need to listen - Beach Club is an example Council did not listen and look what we have now - once this happens it is hard to stop and you will lose the waterfront. Attitude - we are a small place!	waterfront development	control growth	
Jun 2, 2010 9:25 PM	Quit allowing beach front developments. Highrises for the wealthy spoil the 'small town' feel.	waterfront development	control growth	
May 26, 2010 9:03 PM	Growth and high density back from the beach front and immediate downtown area. Always plant the tallest flowers at the back of the garden.	waterfront development	downtown core	
May 28, 2010 10:11 PM	Emphasize the town's connection to the beach. The Beach Club was a mistake. Avoid stretching the town along 19A by concentrating businesses in an easy-to-walk town core, like QB.	waterfront development	downtown core	

May 18, 2010 11:32 PM	Our elected representatives need to pay attention to what the citizens are telling them. If the residents say they don't want developments like the Beach Club on the waterfront, then Councillors should not award the permit. ¶ ¶ Parksville needs to plan for the long term future. Parksville needs a more balanced demographics so that youth and families will remain in Parksville. ¶ Parksville needs to protect the public interest regarding the necessities of life such as clean and sufficient water and affordable and comfortable housing.	waterfront development	families	housing
May 26, 2010 4:32 PM	Protect our green spaces. Support local growers. Stop "developing" our beaches.	waterfront development	green space	
May 31, 2010 10:24 PM	no further development of the waterfront. Keep green space and parks we have.	waterfront development	green space	
Jun 1, 2010 10:00 PM	No further development on waterfront. Try to keep it as green space parkland so everyone can enjoy it.	waterfront development	green space	
Jun 3, 2010 5:34 PM	No more development of the waterfront. Preserve green spaces in inner city. Create more green spaces--parks, playgrounds.	waterfront development	green space	
Jun 11, 2010 3:42 PM	New developments along the waterfront should: 1. be required to 'give back', ie, provide public green space and access; 2. be height restricted (no more highrises).	waterfront development	green space	
Jun 15, 2010 3:10 PM	We need to stop development on the waterfront. It should be left in as natural a state as possible, especially the community park. We need to preserve the green space that's left; eg, the Renz space.	waterfront development	green space	
Jun 17, 2010 3:04 PM	The ocean and access to it are our #1 attraction. We need to protect our views and our wonderful parks for ourselves and future generations. No more Beach Club.	waterfront development	green space	
Jun 18, 2010 10:09 PM	It would be wonderful if our waterfront area could be kept natural. Please control the commercial development.	waterfront development	green space	
May 26, 2010 9:23 PM	Subdivisions. Increase green areas. No more waterfront highrises.	waterfront development	housing	green space
Jun 11, 2010 8:58 PM	1) Stop development on waterfront.¶ 2) Stop ALL large housing developments until new OCP is complete (limit new construction to "in-filling" until OCP is reviewed and updated)	waterfront development	housing	OCP
Jun 2, 2010 5:47 PM	No more waterfront development. Extension of Ermineskin subdivision - ring road from Renz to Despard. Lights at corner of Moilliet and Island Highway.	waterfront development	housing	transportation plan

May 18, 2010 6:04 PM	less development along the beach which blocks line of sight and puts strain on infrastructure	waterfront development	infrastructure	
Jun 4, 2010 8:36 PM	1. Stop allowing development of beach in Parksville downtown area. 2. Think one plan--review OCP and invite and consider residents' input. 3. No one ways/one lane highways.	waterfront development	OCP	transportation plan
May 28, 2010 5:04 PM	No more waterfront highrise development. City planning needs much improvement.	waterfront development	planning	
Jun 18, 2010 10:09 PM	There needs to be a better plan to protect the waterfront from unscrupulous developers such as the one that built the disgusting Beach Club.	waterfront development	planning	
Jun 16, 2010 3:50 PM	People in the area are not being listened to; eg, huge waterfront developments.	waterfront development	resident input	
Jun 16, 2010 10:52 PM	More user friendly beach area; ie, restaurants/pubs, etc.	waterfront development	restaurants / pubs	
Jun 2, 2010 5:30 PM	No more beach development. Fill ditches/sidewalks.	waterfront development	road maintenance	sidewalks
Jun 4, 2010 8:06 PM	Stop all development on the beach. Stop catering to the Chamber of Commerce and business and look after the residential areas (open ditches, lack of sidewalks).	waterfront development	road maintenance	sidewalks
May 31, 2010 10:50 PM	Modernize - better food - better stores - burn the "Beach Club" - develop waterfront like Nanaimo, build fishing pier	waterfront development	shopping	beach
Jun 16, 2010 8:47 PM	Development, eg. Resort focus - Beach front development. Opportunity to shop for "everything" locally and work locally. Vision to move forward instead of been "the little town that hasn't".	waterfront development	shopping	employment
May 22, 2010 4:52 AM	Don't allow further construction along the shoreline.[] Don't consider Big Box.[] Don't tell Big Box (like Canadian Tire) that we want them here.[] Stick with & support small, retail shops. Stick with small apartments, stick with single family housing, encourage older houses (non-derilect) to stay. Demolition of usable structures is not a green, sustainable action.	waterfront development	shopping	housing
Jun 11, 2010 6:01 PM	Crummy old waterfront hotels. More development like Beach Club and boardwalk. More stores.	waterfront development	shopping	
Jun 8, 2010 6:01 PM	No more building near ocean. No more sidewalks jutting out - they are more of a nuisance than anything else.	waterfront development	sidewalks	
Jun 11, 2010 4:29 PM	Stop selling off our waterfront to developers. Control traffic and speeds in town.	waterfront development	traffic control	
May 20, 2010 3:31 PM	No more highrise on the waterfront. Better[] driving and parking conditions in town.	waterfront development	transportation plan	parking

May 19, 2010 3:08 PM	Fix corner by TD bank that juts out into road. Stop building apartments and condos on the beach. Get rid of Beach Club mess.	waterfront development	transportation plan	
May 18, 2010 3:54 PM	less building on beachside of highway; more attractive store fronts; tourist encouragement	waterfront development	upgrade appearance	tourism
Jun 1, 2010 8:49 PM	No more beachfront development. More money spend fixing up storefronts. More bike paths and sidewalks. Maintain our little pieces of nature and scenery.	waterfront development	upgrade appearance	walking / cycling
Jun 16, 2010 9:23 PM	No more large complexes on beach property. Paint orange bridge but keep it orange.	waterfront development	upgrade appearance	
May 31, 2010 9:26 PM	Protect more waterfront for public access and views. Stop 'inventing' a future water shortage as a means to justify additional taxation.	waterfront development	water	
Jun 7, 2010 4:49 PM	No further beach development. Our administration's mentality of develop, develop needs to change. Our water supply will not support it.	waterfront development	water	
Jun 17, 2010 10:42 PM	This is a retirement area. We do not need highrise buildings especially that waterfront abortion. City complained about lack of water supply - why build in excess of quantity available?	waterfront development	water	
May 12, 2010 3:44 AM	stop development along the beaches. stop allowing high rise buildings	waterfront development		
May 13, 2010 2:27 AM	preserve the water front, limit the height of buildings by the beach.	waterfront development		
May 14, 2010 1:35 PM	No more condos and development on the beach!!	waterfront development		
May 14, 2010 3:46 PM	no more beach front development	waterfront development		
May 14, 2010 9:08 PM	No more beach development	waterfront development		
May 17, 2010 3:20 PM	no more high rise property on beach front	waterfront development		
May 17, 2010 3:27 PM	Try to keep existing access and view to the beach and waterfront.	waterfront development		
May 17, 2010 8:01 PM	There needs to be no more highrise construction of any kind on Parksville's waterfront.	waterfront development		
May 17, 2010 10:46 PM	no more beach front development	waterfront development		

<b>May 18, 2010 4:12 PM</b>	I am concerned about the waterfront and am hopeful that we do not get anymore large developments in the downtown waterfront. I think the 2 - 3 story building would be the largest you would want to go. Parksville is known for it's beach if you build any taller it people will not be able to enjoy the view when driving through the town. I think in the summer lots of people see the view and take that extra bit of time to stop and enjoy it and look around our town. Take the view away and they will keep driving through with out stopping to check out our city.	waterfront development		
<b>May 18, 2010 4:34 PM</b>	no more high rise buildings on the beach	waterfront development		
<b>May 18, 2010 5:12 PM</b>	Our beach is the attraction. Show it off. Don't cover the view with more development.	waterfront development		
<b>May 18, 2010 5:23 PM</b>	No more buildings on waterfront like the beach club.It destroys the look and blocks the view	waterfront development		
<b>May 18, 2010 6:51 PM</b>	Parksville is for all the local citizens, not just rich out-of-towners. Get rid of view-blockers!	waterfront development		
<b>May 18, 2010 10:30 PM</b>	A legal area to smoke pot in the City would be nice - more waterfront resorts - lower profile, save the rest of our views please.	waterfront development		
<b>May 18, 2010 10:44 PM</b>	No more development along waterfront	waterfront development		
<b>May 19, 2010 4:06 PM</b>	Stop highrise developments on the waterfront.	waterfront development		
<b>May 19, 2010 8:17 PM</b>	Please do not allow more building along Parksville beach that impedes the view.	waterfront development		
<b>May 19, 2010 9:06 PM</b>	Planning no future waterfront buildings over 2 stories!	waterfront development		
<b>May 20, 2010 5:47 PM</b>	Council should not be bought out by developers like the Beach Club. There is no more view of the beach because of these eyesore buildings.	waterfront development		
<b>May 20, 2010 5:59 PM</b>	The revitalization of the waterfront should continue. The Beach Club, although it is a large development is a step in the right direction. Allow the homes to be built next door where the Parksville Beach motel is located. The plan (which should be strictly adhered to) looks very attractive. The waterfront would not be impacted. It would be an asset instead of the eyesore the P.B.M presently is.	waterfront development		
<b>May 20, 2010 6:35 PM</b>	no more highrise hotels destroying our views	waterfront development		

May 20, 2010 6:47 PM	However it is governed, no councillor or mayor should be able to implement something that was opposite to their candidacy platform. The Beach Club is an affront to the eyes and a contravention of our heritage.	waterfront development		
May 20, 2010 8:39 PM	Limit waterfront development--it blocks the view.	waterfront development		
May 20, 2010 9:14 PM	Less high rises on the waterfront.	waterfront development		
May 20, 2010 10:15 PM	no more waterfront development (commercial)	waterfront development		
May 21, 2010 4:07 AM	no more high rises on the waterfront	waterfront development		
May 21, 2010 3:34 PM	Stop developers building highrises on our beaches.	waterfront development		
May 21, 2010 6:11 PM	Stop development on beach.	waterfront development		
May 21, 2010 6:58 PM	No more highrises on the beach.	waterfront development		
May 21, 2010 8:03 PM	beach front development	waterfront development		
May 21, 2010 9:27 PM	STOP building on our waterfront.	waterfront development		
May 21, 2010 10:19 PM	I know it's too late, but we should never have hidden the view of our beach. That is what Parksville is known for--a beautiful beach.	waterfront development		
May 22, 2010 7:55 PM	Stop the growth of tall buildings on the waterfront!!	waterfront development		
May 24, 2010 4:47 AM	stop waterfront development	waterfront development		
May 25, 2010 5:17 PM	The council that allowed the ugly housing taking up the waterfront.	waterfront development		
May 25, 2010 6:09 PM	No more 'Beach Club' building on the waterfront.	waterfront development		
May 25, 2010 8:07 PM	Our beach should be left alone so we the taxpayers can enjoy it. Lots of older people can't get down to the beach but can still view it from the highway.	waterfront development		
May 26, 2010 4:48 PM	No more large buildings blocking ocean views.	waterfront development		
May 26, 2010 4:53 PM	Stop building on the waterfront, eg Beach Club monster. PS, where ar the view corridors? Stop changing bylaws.	waterfront development		

May 26, 2010 5:27 PM	I don't like the beaches all cluttered with buildings.	waterfront development		
May 26, 2010 6:05 PM	Building heights on the waterfront restricted to 3 or 4 storeys max.	waterfront development		
May 26, 2010 6:52 PM	The building that has been going on, on the beach. The Beach Club should have never happened. It destroyed the view and our beach. It is an abomination.	waterfront development		
May 27, 2010 3:20 PM	Do not allow further development of our beach area.	waterfront development		
May 27, 2010 3:45 PM	Stop further developments on our waterfront. Start preparations to adapt to the effects of climate change and peak oil.	waterfront development		
May 27, 2010 5:07 PM	If buildings like the Beach Club get approval they should be built in a way that doesn't change the skyline view of the ocean. It is a crime that the Beach Club has been allowed to intrude on the ocean view.	waterfront development		
May 27, 2010 5:29 PM	Reduce building heights and using up beachfront property. The beach is our #1 attraction.	waterfront development		
May 27, 2010 9:29 PM	No more waterfront monstrosities.	waterfront development		
May 28, 2010 4:24 PM	I feel the town is overdeveloping the waterfront. Where is the park in Parksville? And who is getting rich from this sell out?	waterfront development		
May 28, 2010 5:22 PM	Quit ruining the beach view.	waterfront development		
May 28, 2010 5:29 PM	No more "high rises" - where is the beach??	waterfront development		
May 28, 2010 5:43 PM	Stop development on the Beach	waterfront development		
May 28, 2010 5:50 PM	Keep ocean views open to public	waterfront development		
May 31, 2010 5:35 PM	No more highrises on the beach.	waterfront development		
May 31, 2010 6:14 PM	Do not allow corporations to remove access to the beaches by crowding views, then making their space available to residents only.	waterfront development		
May 31, 2010 6:56 PM	preserve ocean views	waterfront development		
May 31, 2010 9:13 PM	Stop the building on the beach front higher than 3 stories	waterfront development		
May 31, 2010 9:39 PM	No more building on waterfront	waterfront development		



May 31, 2010 9:48 PM	Take down the eyesore called the Beach Club. Disgusting display of greed and totally unnecessary.	waterfront development		
Jun 1, 2010 5:19 PM	Keep huge commercial business off beach.	waterfront development		
Jun 1, 2010 6:22 PM	No more destroying our beaches with developments like the Beach Club!	waterfront development		
Jun 1, 2010 8:17 PM	We do not want to lose the beach. No more development on the waterfront, as in the Beach Club. This should have never been built.	waterfront development		
Jun 1, 2010 9:46 PM	No more highrise condos. Leave the beachfront alone.	waterfront development		
Jun 2, 2010 4:03 PM	Restrict beachside development.	waterfront development		
Jun 2, 2010 4:18 PM	No more highrise buildings like the Beach Club. maximum height should be 4 storeys.	waterfront development		
Jun 2, 2010 4:57 PM	No building around Parksville beach.	waterfront development		
Jun 2, 2010 8:33 PM	The view of Parksville waterfront should be for all, not just the privileged few; ie the Beach Club, etc.	waterfront development		
Jun 2, 2010 10:02 PM	No more beachside development.	waterfront development		
Jun 2, 2010 10:36 PM	The loss of the beach area. The beach resort is not contributing to enjoyment of Parksville's beauty, which is its main asset.	waterfront development		
Jun 2, 2010 10:44 PM	No more waterfront development.	waterfront development		
Jun 3, 2010 4:59 PM	No more large developments on the beach.	waterfront development		
Jun 3, 2010 5:03 PM	Giving up the rights of the beach to a transient population i.e. The Beach Club. These people have no interest in Parksville.	waterfront development		
Jun 3, 2010 5:09 PM	Do not build large condos on waterfront; ie beach resort. Spoils overall view of beautiful beach.	waterfront development		
Jun 3, 2010 5:21 PM	Destruction of access to and views of Parksville Bay and Salish Sea.	waterfront development		
Jun 3, 2010 5:28 PM	No more obstructions to waterfront (tall buildings).	waterfront development		
Jun 3, 2010 5:36 PM	Eliminate any further waterfront or beach expansion.	waterfront development		
Jun 3, 2010 8:21 PM	Stop buildings in park and bay area.	waterfront development		

Jun 3, 2010 9:18 PM	No more building monstrosities on the beach. Where are these so-called viewlines? The Beach Club does very little to enhance tourism in Oceanside.	waterfront development		
Jun 3, 2010 10:41 PM	We must save our beach & park area for the future of generations to come. Once building is done there it can never be restored. We as a city should by all available property on the waterfront.	waterfront development		
Jun 4, 2010 3:40 PM	No more development on beachfront.	waterfront development		
Jun 4, 2010 5:22 PM	Giant buildings that block out the beachfront from downtown.	waterfront development		
Jun 4, 2010 5:46 PM	No more development on the beach.	waterfront development		
Jun 4, 2010 5:50 PM	No more development in the beach area.	waterfront development		
Jun 4, 2010 5:55 PM	No more building on our beaches. Boardwalks are not good enough - make beaches more available to everyone and not just the chosen wealthy few.	waterfront development		
Jun 4, 2010 9:43 PM	Protect the shoreline from any more development. Much of our most valuable beach area has now been blocked off and controlled by the Beach Club development	waterfront development		
Jun 4, 2010 9:51 PM	No more high rise development along the beach.	waterfront development		
Jun 4, 2010 10:30 PM	Stop beach front development for residential. Keep it natural and develop for the community to use.	waterfront development		
Jun 7, 2010 3:27 PM	No more development on the beach next to the Beach Club.	waterfront development		
Jun 7, 2010 4:41 PM	Change use of beach property. Current waterfront development is a disaster for a town that has been noted for its beaches.	waterfront development		
Jun 7, 2010 5:38 PM	Stop major development along the waterfront. If property is for sale, Parksville should purchase for park.	waterfront development		
Jun 7, 2010 6:09 PM	Too many beachfront resorts	waterfront development		
Jun 7, 2010 8:41 PM	No more highrises on the beach. No more buildings on the beach	waterfront development		
Jun 7, 2010 8:55 PM	Stop building on the beachfront	waterfront development		
Jun 7, 2010 10:30 PM	the Beach Club. Very overpowering.	waterfront development		

Jun 7, 2010 10:38 PM	No more large development blocking the City water view like Beach Acres.	waterfront development		
Jun 8, 2010 3:45 PM	Do not build up the beach area; ie, no more Beach Club resorts, it's awful.	waterfront development		
Jun 8, 2010 5:19 PM	No more highrise on the beach or on the roadway.	waterfront development		
Jun 8, 2010 6:08 PM	Stop building on the beach--hotels, etc.	waterfront development		
Jun 8, 2010 6:37 PM	Less waterfront development.	waterfront development		
Jun 8, 2010 8:40 PM	Control highrise development. Beach Club development blocks beach views.	waterfront development		
Jun 9, 2010 8:26 PM	No more development on the oceanfront.	waterfront development		
Jun 10, 2010 3:47 PM	No highrise buildings on beachfront.	waterfront development		
Jun 10, 2010 4:06 PM	No more Beach Clubs.	waterfront development		
Jun 10, 2010 5:45 PM	No more highrises like the Beach Club which has absolutely destroyed Parksville's waterfront and more.	waterfront development		
Jun 10, 2010 8:58 PM	No more building on the beach.	waterfront development		
Jun 11, 2010 3:31 PM	We need to be assured that the waterfront is totally protected against development. This is very important to residents as well as tourism - our beaches are what attract the tourists.	waterfront development		
Jun 11, 2010 4:10 PM	Keep parks and beaches accessible to all. Stop private commercial growth on waterfront. Just look at Beach Club--it adds nothing to waterfront nor street view.	waterfront development		
Jun 11, 2010 4:48 PM	No more condos on our beach front. We don't need our beautiful view blocked by these structures, such as the Beach Club.	waterfront development		
Jun 11, 2010 5:23 PM	Could you please take that eyesore on the beach away.	waterfront development		
Jun 11, 2010 5:49 PM	Control development along beach. Beach Club was a huge mistake. View corridors we were promised do not exist.	waterfront development		
Jun 11, 2010 6:07 PM	We do not feel that the waterfront should emerge as a highrise area. What is there now is too large a development.	waterfront development		
Jun 11, 2010 8:22 PM	Stop gobbling up the waterfront with highrises.	waterfront development		

Jun 11, 2010 8:47 PM	Respect our waterfront. What makes this area desirable for residents and tourists is that the beauty of this area can be seen. Once it is hidden behind tall buildings, we are just the same as every other over developed tourist trap.	waterfront development		
Jun 11, 2010 9:09 PM	Protection for water/ocean front from development	waterfront development		
Jun 11, 2010 9:57 PM	No more big developments like Beach Club on waterfront	waterfront development		
Jun 11, 2010 10:20 PM	We must be able to stop highrise development on the waterfront forever.	waterfront development		
Jun 14, 2010 4:52 PM	Do not allow any development that harms the beachfront, including roads extending through the park.	waterfront development		
Jun 14, 2010 5:39 PM	No more beachfront development	waterfront development		
Jun 15, 2010 4:31 PM	Stop further highrises on the beach. The beach and view is our best asset and the highrises obscure them.	waterfront development		
Jun 15, 2010 8:20 PM	Now that the Beach Club complex is completed, let's have a decision on the old motel next door. It does not complement the waterfront. In fact, it is an eyesore. I like the Beach Club.	waterfront development		
Jun 15, 2010 9:46 PM	Stop building on, and ruining, our beautiful beaches.	waterfront development		
Jun 16, 2010 3:45 PM	Halt highrises along beachfront.	waterfront development		
Jun 16, 2010 6:09 PM	No more large buildings on waterfront.	waterfront development		
Jun 16, 2010 6:37 PM	Protect our waterfront. Build condos across the highway. Penticton has done it for years and has beautiful beaches everyone can enjoy without the feeling of trespassing.	waterfront development		
Jun 16, 2010 6:47 PM	Stop developing the beachfront.	waterfront development		
Jun 16, 2010 8:03 PM	Stay away from building on our beaches.	waterfront development		
Jun 16, 2010 9:28 PM	No further monster developments on beach area.	waterfront development		
Jun 16, 2010 9:54 PM	Yes the trend towards condos etc. on beach	waterfront development		
Jun 16, 2010 10:16 PM	The waterfront needs to be protected from further development.	waterfront development		
Jun 16, 2010 10:21 PM	Do not build on the beach - go up Port Alberni Highway - it has a much better view - after all this is not Vancouver.	waterfront development		

Jun 17, 2010 6:04 PM	Less saturation on waterfront.	waterfront development		
Jun 18, 2010 3:48 PM	No more highrise buildings along the beach; ie, the Beach Club eyesore.	waterfront development		
Jun 18, 2010 4:24 PM	Stop beach construction permits.	waterfront development		
Jun 18, 2010 4:33 PM	Keep beach for Parksville residents. No more building down there.	waterfront development		
Jun 18, 2010 6:48 PM	I feel that people didn't have a say in our waterfront - there was a height restriction. What happened?	waterfront development		
Jun 18, 2010 6:55 PM	Protect downtown view of Parksville bay by keeping buildings at current height, regardless of zoning.	waterfront development		
Jun 18, 2010 8:53 PM	Protect the waterfront for everybody - no more towering structures or excessive development.	waterfront development		
Jun 18, 2010 10:40 PM	Stop building on th beach side of the highway.	waterfront development		
Jun 1, 2010 8:06 PM	Putting stores in mall. Mirroring Qualicum Beach style downtown. Better after hours medical clinic.	Wembley mall	downtown core	medical
May 26, 2010 6:32 PM	Fill or redo the mall. Fix the downtown core. Hide the gas station strips along the highway.	Wembley mall	downtown core	upgrade appearance
Jun 4, 2010 9:19 PM	Why is the Wembly Mall such a sad, sad mall? We need an infusion of good energy business there. Better downtown core.	Wembley mall	downtown core	
May 21, 2010 3:57 PM	Wembley mall needs updating	Wembley mall		
Jun 2, 2010 3:44 PM	Shopping mall should be bigger with better mall stores	Wembley mall		
Jun 4, 2010 10:42 PM	Wembley Mall - bring in some stores that will attract people. Some chain stores such as walmart or something so we don't have to go to Nanaimo	Wembley mall		
May 14, 2010 4:00 PM	increase senior population			
May 18, 2010 10:56 PM	There has to be a way to speed up the decision making process at City Hall.			
May 19, 2010 3:29 PM	see comments at end			
May 19, 2010 4:35 PM	More guidance for people who are trying to renovate or build in the city limits. We really appreciated the help the building inspector gave us while renovating our home.			
May 22, 2010 8:37 PM	I feel it is getting a bad reputation as a somewhat low income town for young people to hang out in and walk the streets at night because they have nothing to do, which leads them to drugs and crime.			
May 26, 2010 9:53 PM	We have to encourage our strengths, resort, retirement, bedroom community.			

May 26, 2010 10:46 PM	What I wrote in question 10.			
May 27, 2010 7:51 AM	Please See 10			
May 31, 2010 10:52 PM	No letters to my house.			
Jun 1, 2010 10:32 PM	Restriction on signs on 19A			
Jun 2, 2010 9:46 PM	Send criminal young people to army.			
Jun 2, 2010 10:15 PM	The "good old boy" system			
Jun 3, 2010 4:29 PM	How about thinking about the people for a change.			
Jun 3, 2010 9:09 PM	Old time residents need to get with the program.			
Jun 7, 2010 10:04 PM	Stop spending money on signs like "Welcome to Downtown Parksville"			
Jun 8, 2010 4:01 PM	It is totally disorganized as a City or as a village.			
Jun 14, 2010 5:41 PM	Too much money spent on signs. People driving cars cannot read moving signs and should not.			
Jun 18, 2010 10:34 PM	Too many noisy skateboarders around City Hall. There is an expensive skateboard park in the Community Park.			