



## Metro Vancouver's Cycling Advocates

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### **RE: North Shore Bike Map project**

Dear Chiefs and Councillors,

The North Shore Committee of the Vancouver Area Cycling Coalition (VACC) is pleased to let you know that we have received a \$14,026 grant from Mountain Equipment Co-op to produce a bike map of the North Shore.

The free, pocket-size map of the urban North Shore cycling network will make it easier for cyclists to find good routes and encourage people to ride their bikes for recreation and transportation. Along with the ongoing improvements to cycling infrastructure across the North Shore, the map will help create healthier communities and provide residents and especially young people, with more transportation choices.

We are looking for input from residents on the routes they would like to see included in the bike map. Staff members from the transportation departments of the three North Shore municipalities are helping us develop the map and we hope to receive input from your members.

We expect the bike map to be printed and ready for distribution through community centres and bike shops by May 2012. Please let us know if you would like to receive maps for distribution to interested Squamish Nation members.

We look forward to your response and input. Please let us know if you require more information about the map project or our other initiatives to improve conditions for cycling on the North Shore.

Sincerely,

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