


Important - Please Read

From Grosvenor and Lansdowne Gardens Committee <glcgardenscommittee@gmail.com>

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Important message from the: Official Grosvenor & Lansdowne Crescents Gardens Committee

Dear Proprietors,

We consider it important to bring the following serious matter to your attention.

The Official Gardens Committee has been made aware of, and has seen, an email sent by an individual associated with the group describing itself as the “elected committee” to the contractor currently engaged to maintain the Gardens.

In that email, the contractor was offered an increased hourly rate on the condition that he would instead work for that group. A copy of the email is attached for your information.

Proprietors should be aware that any increase in contractor costs would ultimately be borne by all proprietors through their contributions for the upkeep of the Gardens.

The Official Gardens Committee is concerned that, in the context of an ongoing dispute regarding authority, a contractor already engaged on behalf of proprietors was invited to transfer his services on the basis of a conditional financial inducement.

We also consider it important to record that this matter has only come to light due to the integrity of the contractor, who chose to disclose the approach rather than act upon it.

Proprietors may also wish to reflect on the standards of conduct and judgment that should be expected of those seeking to be involved in the management of funds contributed by others.

The existing gardening arrangements remain in place, and necessary works are continuing.

We will keep proprietors informed of any further material developments.

Yours faithfully,
Official Gardens Committee