

Friday, October 3

Another fabulous 2 weeks have passed, and did it ever go quickly. I placed a second ad in the North Bay Nugget that detailed some of the innovative ideas in the 2020 Vision. Again – what a response! It took me about a week to respond to all the e-mails and telephone calls. The support continues to be outstanding.

Miss P has her own button on the website now, call Patty's Corner. She has been getting fabulous response to it. It's a little bit serious and a whole lot funny – a lot like Miss P herself. She has been super supportive through this whole process, and I can't thank her enough.

The signs go up this weekend. Our campaign team promised all the Provincial parties that we would wait until the election was over before we started our mainstream campaign. I can't imagine what it will be like to see signs out there with my name on them. We sure had a lot of people call and e-mail to request a lawn sign. I'm guessing there will be 500 up on people's private property on Sunday alone!

The 2020 Vision booklet is off to the printers. It's a 12-page booklet that will be hand-delivered to every resident. In fact 25,000 are being printed – yes, right here in North Bay! I'd like to thank the hundreds of people who contributed their thoughts towards this plan. Some concepts are new; some are tried and proven in other cities around the world. The dedication of my co-authors can never be truly articulated and I hope you like their efforts.

Thanks again to all of you,

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