

## On Planning These Websites

By "these websites", Webmaster means - of course - the websites listed on the WEBSITES page of this website.

Despite the fact that he is well-aware of the need to plan websites very carefully, Webmaster is finding the timing of establishing these multiple websites exceedingly difficult. He believes a short piece here in the Philosophy section is appropriate, given that, as of this date (29 December 2014), many of the websites listed are not yet up. They will be up in due course (and probably long before anyone stumbles on this website), but just in case.....

Webmaster has developed the habit (hopefully a 'good' one) of thinking carefully about each website even before he decides on a name. Then he acquires (or tries to acquire) an appropriate domain name. And then he puts the project in the queue; i.e. he adds it to the list of sites for which he is preparing new content. Because he maintains so many websites, he actually has two queues: sites that are still under primary construction and sites that have been provisionally fleshed out and to which he is adding/refining content. Because his time (for website work) is limited (he *does* have a life outside the WWW!), this creates a rather elaborate decision tree (actually a web of decision branch points) which he uses to decide what website, content page, or whatever, to work on - or rather on which to work.

But the decision tree itself is not 'set in stone' and Webmaster is constantly revising it as events unfold. The fluidity this requires is rather like that he was forced to maintain while he was involved in the Stop Costco Gas Coalition effort (which is finally done!) and the fluidity he still must maintain with respect to the issue of the nuisance lawyer/client as they impact the promise he made to the Tanner Creek Community. And this does not, for the most part, even include his work on the Adult Learner website (now up in a very rudimentary form), The David Coalition website (nearing the point where a rudimentary version can be posted) or the Entre Nous Enterprise website (domain name purchased and website planning underway, with a target of rudimentary state launch in early 2015).

So, if Webmaster comes to the bottom line any time in the next few months, this short piece will clarify why his overall part of the WWW is so incomplete (relatively speaking): he is juggling a lot of balls and is having trouble seeing them all clearly - even though they are 'before his eyes'. Which is of course another way of saying that, while he enjoys website work immensely, it still takes time and his time (as is everyone's) is limited.