

File No. 04-1000-20-2016-377

November 4, 2016

s.22(1)

Dear s.22(1)

Re: Request for Access to Records under the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (the "Act")

I am responding to your request of October 7, 2016 for:

Access to all formal and information requests by all individuals and community groups requesting a flag ceremony for Chinese National Day held on September 30, 2016. This includes all letters, emails and all correspondence sent to and from the City's Protocol Office, City Clerks Office, and to the City of Vancouver.

All records relating to your request are attached. Some information in the records has been severed, (blacked out) under s.15(1)(l) and s.22(1) of the Act. You can read or download the sections here:

http://www.bclaws.ca/EPLibraries/bclaws_new/document/ID/freeside/96165_00

Please note: there are severed sections of the FOI package that require translation; therefore, due to privacy concerns we are unable to review and release this information unless translated into English. Translation of those sections will require an additional charge.

Under section 52 of the Act you may ask the Information & Privacy Commissioner to review any matter related to the City's response to your request. The Act allows you 30 business days from the date you receive this notice to request a review by writing to: Office of the Information & Privacy Commissioner, info@oipc.bc.ca or by phoning 250-387-5629.

If you request a review, please provide the Commissioner's office with: 1) the request number assigned to your request (#04-1000-20-2016-377); 2) a copy of this letter; 3) a copy of your original request for information sent to the City of Vancouver; and 4) detailed reasons or grounds on which you are seeking the review.

Please do not hesitate to contact the Freedom of Information Office at foi@vancouver.ca if you have any questions.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'B. Van Fraassen', with a stylized, flowing script.

Barbara J. Van Fraassen, BA
Director, Access to Information
City Clerk's Department, City of Vancouver
Email: Barbara.vanfraassen@vancouver.ca
Telephone: 604.873.7999

Encl.
:jb

From: "Zaixin Ma" ^{s.22(1)} >

To: "Zhang, Pearl" <Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca>

Date: 9/27/2016 3:12:58 PM

Subject: Agenda

Attachments: 67th National Day Celebration=20160930.doc

Dear Ms. Zhang,

Attached file is the agenda of our event, thank you very much for your help.

Best regards.

Zaixin Ma

^{s.22(1)}

67th National Day Celebration for the People's Republic China
Organized by The Canadian Alliance of Chinese Associations
Date and Time: September 30, 2016 at 11:00am
Venue: Vancouver City Hall, 453 W. 12th Avenue, Vancouver

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From: ["Matthews, Lesley" <lesley.matthews@vancouver.ca>](mailto:lesley.matthews@vancouver.ca)

To: ["Deal, Heather" <Heather.Deal@vancouver.ca>](mailto:Heather.Deal@vancouver.ca)

Date: 9/29/2016 8:24:51 AM

Subject: China Flag Raising Ceremony - Friday, September 30th at 11:00 am

Attachments: Chinese National Day - Flag Raising Ceremony_2016.docx
67th National Day Celebration=20160930.doc

Hi Deputy Mayor Deal,

Thank you for coming back early from UBCM tomorrow to participate in the flag raising ceremony for the National Day Celebrations for the People's Republic of China. Please find attached your draft speaking notes and the agenda for the flag raising ceremony. The ceremony starts at 11:00 am, but you are asked to arrive by 10:50 am if possible. Please note that there is no proclamation for you to read tomorrow.

In the attached speaking notes, we have the phonetic spelling for you to say "Good Morning" and "Happy National Day" in Mandarin. You can also click on the link beneath the phonetic spelling to hear what it sounds like. My colleague, Pearl will also be on site tomorrow and can assist you with the pronunciation if necessary.

Thank you,
Lesley

*Lesley Matthews
Chief, External Relations and Protocol
City of Vancouver
453 West 12th Avenue
Vancouver, British Columbia
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604.362.3419*

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Chinese National Day - Flag Raising Ceremony

Friday, September 30th @ 11:00 am

North Lawn, City Hall

Deputy Mayor Heather Deal - Speaking Notes

(Chinese Consul General Lui Fei introduces DM Deal – see program)

Chinese Translation (Good morning!)

zao shung hao

<http://translate.google.cn/#zh-CN/en/%E6%97%A9%E4%B8%8A%E5%A5%BD>

Chinese Translation (Happy National Day!)

guoh ching chiah kwai leh

<http://translate.google.cn/#zh-CN/en/%E5%9B%BD%E5%BA%86%E8%8A%82%E5%BF%AB%E4%B9%90>

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Thank you, Your Excellency. It is an honour to be here with you today.

Welcome to Vancouver City Hall.

I'd like to start by thanking the **The Canadian Alliance of Chinese Associations** for organizing this special celebration.

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Flag of China will fly at City Hall to acknowledge not just the 67th Anniversary of the founding of the People's Republic of China, but also to acknowledge the many contributions that members of our Chinese community have made to this country and our great city.

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National Days are unique opportunities for citizens both young and old, in communities both big and small, to come together and reflect on their country's rich history and culture, and the exciting future that lies ahead. I have no doubt the Chinese community here in Vancouver and around the world will celebrate today in a very special way.

Enjoy your National Day celebrations.

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From: "Zhang, Pearl" <Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca>

To: "Zap on Ma" s.22(1)

Date: 10/6/2016 3:03:41 PM

Subject: Councillor Kerry Jang

Hi Zaixin,
Councillor Kerry Jang's email is Kerry.Jang@vanouver.ca.
Thank you!
Pearl

From: Zap on Ma s.22(1)
Sent: Monday, October 03, 2016 4:34 PM
To: Zhang, Pearl
Subject: Re: CACA sample document

I got it, and thank you very much.

Text requires translation iPhone

Text requires translation Oct 3, 2016, 4:23 PM, "Zhang, Pearl" <Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca> Text requires translation

Hi Zaixin,
Here is the list:

- Feb 15 - 51st Anniversary of Canada Flag
- March 24 - The Hellenic Republic (Greece) celebrating the 195th Anniversary of independence
- May 2 - MS Awareness Month
- May 26 - Armenian Independence Day
- May 28 - Azerbaijan Republic Day
- June 5 - Slovenia National Day
- June 10 - Philippines Independence Day
- July 20 - Columbia National Day
- August 17 - National Day Indonesia
- August 24 - Ukrainian Independence Day
- September - UNESCO International Literacy Day
- September 12 - Mexican Independence Day
- September 30 - Chinese National Day

Pearl

From: Zap on Ma s.22(1)
Sent: Thursday, September 29, 2016 9:28 AM
To: Zhang, Pearl
Subject: Fwd: CACA sample document

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Regards,

Shumei

From: ["Matthews, Lesley" <lesley.matthews@vancouver.ca>](mailto:lesley.matthews@vancouver.ca)

To: ["Zhang, Pearl" <Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca>](mailto:Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca)
["Hendren, Paul" <Paul.Hendren@vancouver.ca>](mailto:Paul.Hendren@vancouver.ca)

Date: 9/26/2016 1:06:13 PM

Subject: Flag Raisings for CARP, COSCO and People's Republic of China Day

Hi Pearl and Paul,

Pearl, can you confirm that Sadhu signed the approval form for the Chinese flag raising on Friday? I don't see the form in VanDocs or in the paper folder.

Paul, any word on whether CARP and COSCO have sorted out the flag raising situation for Senior's Day? I hope they agreed to do it together on Oct. 1st. It looks like we can only do the Chinese flag raising on Friday and no other flag raisings.

Lesley

*Lesley Matthews
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From: "[Zhang, Pearl](mailto:Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca)" <Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca>

To: "[Matthews, Lesley](mailto:lesley.matthews@vancouver.ca)" <lesley.matthews@vancouver.ca>

Date: 9/20/2016 1:43:39 PM

Subject: FW: 67th anniversary of the founding of the People's Republic of China

Attachments: 67th National Day Celebration=20160930.doc

Hi Lesley,
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Thanks!
Pearl

-----Original Message-----

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Sent: Tuesday, September 20, 2016 1:42 PM

To: Zhang, Pearl

Subject: Re: 67th anniversary of the founding of the People's Republic of China

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Thanks,
Lesley

Sent from my iPhone

> On Sep 20, 2016, at 12:25 PM, Zhang, Pearl <Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca> wrote:
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> Hello All,
> Please check the attached file for the speaking notes.
> Thank you very much!
> Pearl
> <67th anniversary of the founding of the People's Republic of China.docx>

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From: ["Patton, Bruce" <Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca>](mailto:Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca)

To: ["Matthews, Lesley" <lesley.matthews@vancouver.ca>](mailto:lesley.matthews@vancouver.ca)

Date: 9/22/2016 3:50:02 PM

Subject: FW: CHINA FLAG RAISING CEREMONY - SECURITY

Hi Lesley,

Can you join the meeting with me?

Thanks!

Pearl

-----Original Appointment-----

From: Patton, Bruce

Sent: Thursday, September 22, 2016 3:45 PM

To: Patton, Bruce; Zhang, Pearl; Calder, Kevin

Subject: CHINA FLAG RAISING CEREMONY - SECURITY

When: Monday, September 26, 2016 9:30 AM-10:00 AM (UTC-08:00) Pacific Time (US & Canada).

Where: City Hall - Main floor Town Hall - RM 114 (8 person)

From: "Zhang, Pearl" <Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca>

To: s.22(1)

Date: 9/22/2016 4:51:07 PM

Subject: FW: QUESTION

Hi Zaixin,

Total cost for Guards will be around \$650.

Thanks!

Pearl

From: Patton, Bruce

Sent: Thursday, September 22, 2016 3:15 PM

To: Zhang, Pearl

Subject: FW: QUESTION

Total cost for Guards will be around \$650.

Bruce Patton, Security Operations Supervisor

Officer # 2638

Corporate Security

Real Estate & Facilities Management

City of Vancouver

453 West 12th Avenue

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Cell; 604.786.2498

Fax: 604.871.6463

bruce.patton@vancouver.ca

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From: Lovely Soriano [<mailto:Lovely@securiguard.com>]

Sent: Thursday, September 22, 2016 1:36 PM

To: Patton, Bruce

Subject: RE: QUESTION

Hi Bruce,

For the 2 hours on Regular base rate would be \$210.60 minus tax but there is a minimum 4 hours charged for short coverage (\$421.20)

Lovely Soriano, Operations Coordinator

T 604-685-6011 | C 604-968-5189

www.securiguard.com

From: Patton, Bruce [<mailto:bruce.patton@vancouver.ca>]

Sent: Thursday, September 22, 2016 1:12 PM

To: Lovely Soriano <Lovely@securiguard.com>

Subject: QUESTION

6 Guards for 2 hours, any idea of cost for that?

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From: "Zap on Ma" ^{s.22(1)}

To: "Zhang, Pearl" <Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca>

Date: 9/29/2016 9:27:35 AM

Subject: Fwd: CACA sample document

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Regards,

Shumei



加拿大华人社团联席会 Canadian Alliance of Chinese Associations

邀请函

尊敬的 xxx:

加拿大华人社团联席会诚挚地邀请您作为 VIP 参加 8 月 6 日 (周六) 晚举行的联席会第六届执行委员会盛大就职典礼。届时, 加拿大三级政府和中领馆官员及兄弟社团代表将应邀出席。

加拿大华人社团联席会是华人社团间的联合组织, 2008 年在汶川地震赈灾基础上成立起来的, 主要由来自中国大陆移民为主体的近百个社团组成。其宗旨是: 团结、互助、奉献、兴邦。成立八年来, 联席会参与了本地社会众多公益事业, 近期为尼泊尔地震、为 BC 省巴克维尔华人先侨陵园修缮捐款, 特别是为阿尔伯塔省火灾赈灾捐款达 25 万加元。在加拿大联邦、省、市选举中, 联席会更是号召华人踊跃投票参政议政, 与各族裔民众一起共建民主和谐社会。

加拿大华人社团联席会近期成功举行了第六届执行委员会换届选举, 诞生了新的领导团队, 相信在本次就职典礼中您能体验到联席会团结友爱及强大的组织和号召能力。

加拿大红十字会和巴克维尔区政府也将藉此机会向华人社区颁发感谢状。

典礼及晚宴时间: 2016 年 8 月 6 日 (周六) 晚 6 时

地点: 温哥华华埠富大海鲜酒家 (400-180 Keefer Street, Vancouver, BC)

敬请光临!

加拿大华人社团联席会
2016 年 7 月 9 日



2016. 07. 08

Web: www.ca-ca.ca Email: caca.2016@icloud.com Tele: 604-338-7836
Address: 3125 -8888 Odlin Cr. Richmond BC V6X 3Z8

From: ["Matthews, Lesley" <lesley.matthews@vancouver.ca>](mailto:lesley.matthews@vancouver.ca)

To: ["Zhang, Pearl" <Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca>](mailto:Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca)

["Au, Wendy" <wendy.au@vancouver.ca>](mailto:wendy.au@vancouver.ca)

Date: 9/26/2016 5:09:32 PM

Subject: HP Records Manager Document : DOC/2016/289893 : Chinese National Day - Flag Raising Ceremony_2016

Attachments: Chinese National Day - Flag Raising Ceremony_2016.tr5
Chinese National Day - Flag Raising Ceremony_2016.DOCX

Hi Pearl and Wendy,

Please review the updated speaking notes for Friday's flag raising ceremony and make any changes you wish.

Thanks,
Lesley

-----< HP Records Manager Record Information >-----

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Deputy Mayor Heather Deal Speaking Notes

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From: "Zaixin Ma" ^{s.22(1)} >

To: "Zhang, Pearl" <Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca>

Date: 9/19/2016 1:59:15 PM

Subject: info

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Hi, Pearl,

The agenda for celebration on Sep. 30 is attached.

Thank you very much.

Zaixin
CACA

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To: "[Lee, Emma](mailto:Emma.Lee@vancouver.ca)" <Emma.Lee@vancouver.ca>
Date: 9/21/2016 9:08:31 AM
Subject: RE: 67th anniversary of the founding of the People's Republic of China

Thanks, Emma. Pearl will let the Consulate know. Pearl is preparing speaking notes for the Deputy Mayor and will pass those along next week closer to the event date.

[Lesley](#)

From: Lee, Emma
Sent: Tuesday, September 20, 2016 9:07 PM
To: Matthews, Lesley
Subject: RE: 67th anniversary of the founding of the People's Republic of China

Hi Lesley,

I have good news. The Deputy Mayor will change her flight on Sep 30 to make it back in time for this event. I've already alerted Annelise, Heather's assistant, but will rely on you to continue working with her to finalize details.

Thank you for bringing this up at today's meeting. I am sure the group will be glad to have the DM and I am happy that it's working out.

Please let me know if I can help in any other way. Thanks again!

Emma

From: Matthews, Lesley
Sent: Tuesday, September 20, 2016 1:50 PM
To: Lee, Emma
Subject: Fwd: 67th anniversary of the founding of the People's Republic of China

Hi Emma,

Here is the China Flag Raising itinerary for September 30th.

[Lesley](#)

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Zhang, Pearl" <Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca>
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"[Matthews, Lesley](mailto:lesley.matthews@vancouver.ca)" <lesley.matthews@vancouver.ca>
Date: 9/21/2016 11:23:55 AM
Subject: RE: 67th anniversary of the founding of the People's Republic of China

It should start at 12:00. She should be okay back to City Hall before 2:45.

Thanks!

Pearl

From: Van Der Veen, Annelise
Sent: Wednesday, September 21, 2016 11:12 AM
To: Zhang, Pearl; Matthews, Lesley
Subject: RE: 67th anniversary of the founding of the People's Republic of China

Thanks!

Do you know how long the lunch will go, or when it will start?

I am trying to see if she can get back to City Hall by 2:45pm for another Deputy Mayor thing.

Annelise van der Veen | Assistant to Councillors
CITY OF VANCOUVER | City Clerk's Dept.
P: 604.871.6714
E: annelise.VanDerVeen@vancouver.ca

From: Zhang, Pearl
Sent: Wednesday, September 21, 2016 10:03 AM
To: Matthews, Lesley
Cc: Van Der Veen, Annelise
Subject: RE: 67th anniversary of the founding of the People's Republic of China

Hi Annelise,

Yes, they would like Deputy Mayor Deal to attend the Lunch.

She should arrive by 11am and that her greetings will be short, 3-5 mins speaking.

Thanks!

Pearl

From: Matthews, Lesley
Sent: Wednesday, September 21, 2016 9:57 AM
To: Zhang, Pearl
Cc: Van Der Veen, Annelise
Subject: FW: 67th anniversary of the founding of the People's Republic of China

Hi Pearl,

Can you answer Annelise's questions below about the flag raising?

Thanks,

Lesley

From: Van Der Veen, Annelise
Sent: Wednesday, September 21, 2016 9:44 AM
To: Matthews, Lesley
Subject: FW: 67th anniversary of the founding of the People's Republic of China

Hi Lesley,

I am just arranging Cllr Deal's attendance to this event. Is Heather expected to attend the lunch portion, or just the flag raising? Also I want to confirm that she should arrive by 11am and that her greetings will be short, 3-5 mins speaking?

Thanks!

Annelise van der Veen | Assistant to Councillors

CITY OF VANCOUVER | City Clerk's Dept.

P: 604.871.6714

E: annelise.VanDerVeen@vancouver.ca

From: Lee, Emma
Sent: Tuesday, September 20, 2016 6:39 PM
To: Van Der Veen, Annelise
Subject: FW: 67th anniversary of the founding of the People's Republic of China

Here are the details! Thanks a bunch and let me know about lunch!

Emma

From: Matthews, Lesley
Sent: Tuesday, September 20, 2016 1:50 PM
To: Lee, Emma
Subject: Fwd: 67th anniversary of the founding of the People's Republic of China

Hi Emma,

Here is the China Flag Raising itinerary for September 30th.

Lesley

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Zhang, Pearl" <Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca>
Date: September 20, 2016 at 1:43:39 PM PDT
To: "Matthews, Lesley" <lesley.matthews@vancouver.ca>
Subject: FW: 67th anniversary of the founding of the People's Republic of China

Hi Lesley,
Here is the itinerary for the flag raising.
Thanks!
Pearl

-----Original Message-----

From: Matthews, Lesley
Sent: Tuesday, September 20, 2016 1:42 PM
To: Zhang, Pearl
Subject: Re: 67th anniversary of the founding of the People's Republic of China

Hi Pearl,

Can you send me the itinerary for the flag raising ceremony?
Thanks,
Lesley

Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 20, 2016, at 12:25 PM, Zhang, Pearl <Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca> wrote:

Hello All,

Please check the attached file for the speaking notes.

Thank you very much!

Pearl

<67th anniversary of the founding of the People's Republic of China.docx>

From: "Patton, Bruce" <bruce.patton@vancouver.ca>
To: "Zhang, Pearl" <Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca>
Date: 9/27/2016 3:32:11 PM
Subject: RE: Agenda

Thank you.

Bruce Patton, Security Operations Supervisor

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From: Zhang, Pearl
Sent: Tuesday, September 27, 2016 3:23 PM
To: Au, Wendy; Matthews, Lesley; Patton, Bruce; Hendren, Paul; Calder, Kevin
Subject: FW: Agenda

Hello All,
Please check the attached file.
Thank you!
Pearl

From: Zaixin Ma s.22(1)
Sent: Tuesday, September 27, 2016 3:13 PM
To: Zhang, Pearl
Subject: Agenda

Dear Ms. Zhang,

Attached file is the agenda of our event, thank you very much for your help.

Best regards.

Zaixin Ma

s.22(1)

From: "[Van Der Veen, Annelise](mailto:Annelise.VanDerVeen@vancouver.ca)" <Annelise.VanDerVeen@vancouver.ca>

To: "[Matthews, Lesley](mailto:lesley.matthews@vancouver.ca)" <lesley.matthews@vancouver.ca>
"[Au, Wendy](mailto:wendy.au@vancouver.ca)" <wendy.au@vancouver.ca>

Date: 9/30/2016 11:57:29 AM

Subject: RE: China Flag Raising Ceremony - Friday, September 30th at 11:00 am

I believe so, I sent her the information you sent for Cllr Deal, and I put it all into her calendar.

FYI I am leaving at 1pm today, so if you need to follow up or connect with her after that, please contact either Tamarra or Sarah down here.

Thanks,

Annelise van der Veen | Assistant to Councillors

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E: annelise.VanDerVeen@vancouver.ca

From: Matthews, Lesley

Sent: Friday, September 30, 2016 11:55 AM

To: Van Der Veen, Annelise; Au, Wendy

Cc: Zhang, Pearl; Hendren, Paul; Wong, Tamarra

Subject: RE: China Flag Raising Ceremony - Friday, September 30th at 11:00 am

Thanks so much. Does Councillor De Genova have everything she needs for this afternoon? I will bring her the briefing package that I was going to give DM Deal.

Lesley

From: Van Der Veen, Annelise

Sent: Friday, September 30, 2016 10:31 AM

To: Matthews, Lesley; Au, Wendy

Cc: Zhang, Pearl; Hendren, Paul; Wong, Tamarra

Subject: RE: China Flag Raising Ceremony - Friday, September 30th at 11:00 am

Hi Lesley,

So as Tamarra mentioned, Cllr Jang is attending the Chinese Flag Raising.

Cllr De Genova is available to meet with the Icelandic Delegation at 2:50pm.

Thanks,

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E: annelise.VanDerVeen@vancouver.ca

From: Matthews, Lesley

Sent: Friday, September 30, 2016 9:23 AM

To: Au, Wendy

Cc: Van Der Veen, Annelise; Zhang, Pearl; Hendren, Paul; Wong, Tamarra
Subject: Re: China Flag Raising Ceremony - Friday, September 30th at 11:00 am

Hi Wendy,

The Councillor Assistants are working now to find available Councillors for both the Chinese Flag Raising and the Iceland Delegation.

Lesley

Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 30, 2016, at 8:34 AM, Au, Wendy <wendy.au@vancouver.ca> wrote:

s.22(1) Deputy Mayor Deal, we will figure out an alternate with the other Councillors.

s.22(1)

Wendy Au
Assistant City Manager
Cel: 604-351-5843

On Sep 30, 2016, at 1:03 AM, Deal, Heather <Heather.Deal@vancouver.ca> wrote:

Hi all,

s.22(1) . I don't think I'll be able to hop on a float plane and do the flag raising. (Or any other duties tomorrow).

I've asked Clrs Meggs and Jang if one of them can take on the official duties at the flag-raising, as I understand they will both be there.

Heather

Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 29, 2016, at 8:24 AM, Matthews, Lesley <lesley.matthews@vancouver.ca> wrote:

Hi Deputy Mayor Deal,

Thank you for coming back early from UBCM tomorrow to participate in the flag raising ceremony for the National Day Celebrations for the People's Republic of China. Please find attached your draft speaking notes and the agenda for the flag raising ceremony. The ceremony starts at 11:00 am, but you are asked to arrive by 10:50 am if possible. Please note that there is no proclamation for you to read tomorrow.

In the attached speaking notes, we have the phonetic spelling for you to say "Good Morning" and "Happy National Day" in Mandarin. You can also click on the link beneath the phonetic spelling to hear what it sounds like. My colleague, Pearl will also be on site tomorrow and can assist you with the pronunciation if necessary.

Thank you,
Lesley

Lesley Matthews

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604.362.3419*

<Chinese National Day - Flag Raising Ceremony_2016.docx>
<67th National Day Celebration=20160930.doc>

From: "Zhang, Pearl" <Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca>
To: "Hagiwara, Rosemary" <rosemary.hagiwara@vancouver.ca>
Date: 9/29/2016 9:27:38 AM
Subject: RE: Councillors' parking lot
Attachments: 67th National Day Celebration=20160930.doc

Hi Rosemary,

The Canadian Alliance of Chinese Associations is the host of tomorrow's ceremony. They did not send out official invitations, but members of Council are more than welcome to attend.

Would you mind sending them the following invitation?

The Councillors parking lot will be available at 12:30 pm.

Dear Councillors,

You are invited to a celebration of the 67th Anniversary of the founding of the Peoples Republic of China on **Friday, September 30, 2016 from 11:00 am – NOON at the** Community Flag Pole, North Lawn, Vancouver City Hall. Please see the program attached.

Sincerely,
Canadian Alliance of Chinese Associations

From: Hagiwara, Rosemary
Sent: Thursday, September 29, 2016 9:04 AM
To: Zhang, Pearl
Cc: Norrie, Andrew; Matthews, Lesley
Subject: RE: Councillors' parking lot
Importance: High

Hi Pearl,
I think some of the Councillors will be back in the morning from UBCM. The Assistants did not see an invite to the event. Are they meant to attend as well for those who are going to be back? What time will we get the parking lot back? Noon?

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From: Zhang, Pearl
Sent: Wednesday, September 21, 2016 3:49 PM
To: Hagiwara, Rosemary
Cc: Norrie, Andrew; Matthews, Lesley
Subject: Councillors' parking lot

Hello Rosemary,
A flag raising for the National Day of People's Republic of China will take place at City Hall on Friday, September 30, 2016 at 11:am. The organizing group would like to use Councillors' parking lot for crowd over flow (which could exceed 200 people). Given that most Councillors will be at UBCM that day, could we reserve the Councillors' parking lot on Friday, September 30, 2016 for this event?

Thanks,
Pearl

Pearl Zhang
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67th National Day Celebration for the People's Republic China
Organized by The Canadian Alliance of Chinese Associations
Date and Time: September 30, 2016 at 11:00am
Venue: Vancouver City Hall, 453 W. 12th Avenue, Vancouver

Celebration Program

10:00	Setup
10:50	All Guests arrive
11:00	Start
11:00-11:03	Escort the flag to flagpole (with background music)
11:03-11:06	Flag Raising (Madam Liu Fei, Ms. Deal Heather, Mr. Dianqi Wang) with National Anthem (Mr. Zhenjie Li)
11:06-11:09	Introduction of VIP Guests Mr. Zhiming Chen, Vice Chairman, Executive Committee of CACA
11:09-11:12	Opening Remarks Mr. Dianqi Wang, Chairman, Executive Committee of CACA
11:12-11:18	Greetings Madam Liu Fei, Consul General of The PR. China Ms. Deal Heather, Deputy Mayor of Vancouver City
11:18-11:21	Acknowledgement Mr. Rayman Wei, Vice Chairman, Executive Committee of CACA
11:21-11:26	Group photo
11:30	Go to Lunch Floata Seafood Restaurant, Chinatown, Vancouver 180 Keefer Street, Vancouver, BC

From: "[Hagiwara, Rosemary](mailto:rosemary.hagiwara@vancouver.ca)" <rosemary.hagiwara@vancouver.ca>

To: "[Zhang, Pearl](mailto:Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca)" <Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca>

Date: 9/29/2016 11:24:24 AM

Subject: RE: Councillors' parking lot

No problem!

Rosemary Hagiwara

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t: 604.873.7177 | e: rosemary.hagiwara@vancouver.ca

From: Zhang, Pearl

Sent: Thursday, September 29, 2016 11:23 AM

To: Hagiwara, Rosemary

Cc: Matthews, Lesley

Subject: RE: Councillors' parking lot

Thank you so much! J J J

Pearl

From: Hagiwara, Rosemary

Sent: Thursday, September 29, 2016 11:11 AM

To: Zhang, Pearl

Cc: Matthews, Lesley

Subject: RE: Councillors' parking lot

I've advised Councillor Deal. It'll be Councillor Jang and Meggs.

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From: Zhang, Pearl

Sent: Thursday, September 29, 2016 11:11 AM

To: Hagiwara, Rosemary

Cc: Matthews, Lesley

Subject: RE: Councillors' parking lot

Hi Rosemary,

Could you please let me know who will attend the ceremony. Because DM Deal need to acknowledge them during the event.

Thank you very much!

Pearl

From: Zhang, Pearl

Sent: Thursday, September 29, 2016 9:28 AM

To: Hagiwara, Rosemary

Cc: Norrie, Andrew; Matthews, Lesley

Subject: RE: Councillors' parking lot

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From: Zhang, Pearl
Sent: Wednesday, September 21, 2016 3:49 PM
To: Hagiwara, Rosemary
Cc: Norrie, Andrew; Matthews, Lesley
Subject: Councillors' parking lot

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Thanks,
Pearl

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Protocol Events Coordinator
External Relations and Protocol
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From: "Zhang, Pearl" <Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca>
To: Security <Security.COV@vancouver.ca>
Date: 9/15/2016 2:54:03 PM
Subject: RE: Flag Raising Ceremonies

Yes, we will give you the flags around 23 Sep.
Thank you very much!
Pearl

From: Security
Sent: Thursday, September 15, 2016 2:52 PM
To: Zhang, Pearl
Cc: Patton, Bruce
Subject: RE: Flag Raising Ceremonies

Are you giving us the flags to us prior to raise?

Thanks

Raj Bharati
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Security Operations Centre
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From: Zhang, Pearl
Sent: Thursday, September 15, 2016 2:47 PM
To: Flag Raising - Ceremonial Flag Pole - DL
Cc: Matthews, Lesley; Hendren, Paul
Subject: Flag Raising Ceremonies

Please note the following Flag Raising Ceremonies taking place between **September 17 – October 1, 2016** at the community flag pole, north lawn, Vancouver City:

- **National Day of the People's Republic of China** - 11:00 am - Friday, September 30, 2016. This year marks the **67th Anniversary** of the founding of the Peoples Republic of China
- **United Nations Day of Older Persons** – 10:00 am – Saturday, October 1, 2016

If you have any questions or need further information, please contact me directly.

Thank you,
Pearl

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From: "[Zhang, Pearl](mailto:Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca)" <Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca>
To: "[Patton Bruce](mailto:bruce.patton@vancouver.ca)" <bruce.patton@vancouver.ca>
Date: 9/22/2016 8:31:48 AM
Subject: RE: Flag Raising Ceremonies

Hi Bruce,
Thank you very much!
Pearl

From: Patton, Bruce
Sent: Thursday, September 22, 2016 7:49 AM
To: Zhang, Pearl
Subject: RE: Flag Raising Ceremonies

TY

Bruce Patton, Security Supervisor
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From: Zhang, Pearl
Sent: Wednesday, September 21, 2016 4:02 PM
To: Patton, Bruce
Subject: FW: Flag Raising Ceremonies

Hi Bruce,
Thank you very much for helping us today for the Chinese flag.
Chinese flag raising for National Day of People's Republic of China On Friday, September 30, 2016 at 11:00am-12:00am
The origination group would like to use Councillor's parking lot for crowd over flow (which could exceed 200 people). I have sent the email to Rosemary Hagiwara to request the space. I will let you know asap.
By the way, they request 6 security people or more for the crowd, in case there is the protesting. Could you please let me know how much will cost. They are willing to pay.
Thank you very much!
Pearl

From: Zhang, Pearl
Sent: Thursday, September 15, 2016 2:47 PM
To: Flag Raising - Ceremonial Flag Pole - DL
Cc: Matthews, Lesley; Hendren, Paul
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Pearl

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From: "Zhang, Pearl" <Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca>

To: "Au, Wendy" <wendy.au@vancouver.ca>
"Matthews, Lesley" <lesley.matthews@vancouver.ca>

Date: 9/27/2016 12:03:28 PM

Subject: RE: HP Records Manager Document : DOC/2016/289893 : Chinese National Day - Flag Raising Ceremony_2016

I just called CACA. They told me that it is a community event.

Thanks!

Pearl

-----Original Message-----

From: Au, Wendy

Sent: Tuesday, September 27, 2016 11:59 AM

To: Matthews, Lesley; Zhang, Pearl

Subject: RE: HP Records Manager Document : DOC/2016/289893 : Chinese National Day - Flag Raising Ceremony_2016

definitely we should acknowledge the presence of Consul General Liu, question is in what capacity...Pearl can you pls ask the group whether this is a jointly organized event or a community event...'

thanks

wendy

-----Original Message-----

From: Matthews, Lesley

Sent: Tuesday, September 27, 2016 11:43 AM

To: Au, Wendy; Zhang, Pearl

Subject: RE: HP Records Manager Document : DOC/2016/289893 : Chinese National Day - Flag Raising Ceremony_2016

I don't know the answer to that - but the Consulate is paying for the lunch and they are supporting the group so I assumed we should thank the Consul General....

Perhaps this is something Pearl can check when she speaks with the group next time.

Lesley

-----Original Message-----

From: Au, Wendy

Sent: Tuesday, September 27, 2016 11:41 AM

To: Matthews, Lesley; Zhang, Pearl

Subject: RE: HP Records Manager Document : DOC/2016/289893 : Chinese National Day - Flag Raising Ceremony_2016

very good notes, only one comment: isn't the activity organized by the community group not the Chinese consulate. Consul General Liu is the invited VIP guest... if this is the case we need to make the minor changes in the beginning!

wendy

-----Original Message-----

From: Matthews, Lesley

Sent: Monday, September 26, 2016 5:10 PM

To: Zhang, Pearl; Au, Wendy

Subject: HP Records Manager Document : DOC/2016/289893 : Chinese National Day - Flag Raising Ceremony_2016

Hi Pearl and Wendy,

Please review the updated speaking notes for Friday's flag raising ceremony and make any changes you wish.

Thanks,

Lesley

-----< HP Records Manager Record Information >-----

Record Number : DOC/2016/289893

Title : Chinese National Day - Flag Raising Ceremony_2016

From: "Zap on Ma" ^{s.22(1)}
To: "Zhang, Pearl" <Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca>
Date: 9/21/2016 9:54:10 AM
Subject: Re: info

Ms Zhang,
Thank you very much for yr kindly help.
Zaixin

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Sep 21, 2016 , 9:24 AM , "Zhang, Pearl" <Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca>

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Hi Zaixin,
I just got the confirmation that Mayor Gregor Robertson will out of town but Deputy Mayor Deal Heather will attend the event.
Thank you very much!
Pearl

From: Zhang, Pearl
Sent: Wednesday, September 21, 2016 8:48 AM
To: 'Zaixin Ma'
Subject: RE: info

Hi Zaixin,
Please deliver the flag to City Hall before this Friday.
Thanks!
Pearl

From: Zaixin Ma ^{s.22(1)}
Sent: Monday, September 19, 2016 2:21 PM
To: Zhang, Pearl
Subject: info

Hi, Peal,

We fond the Chinese flag but the size is 76"X 51", it is OK or not?

Thank you.

Zaixin

From: "Zap on Ma" ^{s.22(1)}
To: "Zhang, Pearl" <Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca>
Date: 9/28/2016 4:31:54 PM
Subject: Re: National Day of the People's Republic of China

OK, we waiting for tomorrow.
Thank you.
Zaixin

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Sep 28, 2016 , 4:30 PM , "Zhang, Pearl" <Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca>
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Hi Zaixin,
Bruce has gone for the day. We have to wait until tomorrow.
Sorry!
Pearl

From: Zhang, Pearl
Sent: Wednesday, September 28, 2016 4:26 PM
To: ^{s.22(1)}
Subject: FW: National Day of the People's Republic of China

Hi Zaixin,
I forward the photo to Bruce.
I will let you know asap!
Thanks!
Pearl

From: Zhang, Pearl
Sent: Wednesday, September 28, 2016 4:25 PM
To: Patton, Bruce
Cc: Matthews, Lesley
Subject: FW: National Day of the People's Republic of China

Hi Bruce,
What do you think? Can we use this?
Thanks!
Pearl

From: Zap on Ma ^{s.22(1)}
Sent: Wednesday, September 28, 2016 4:23 PM
To: Zhang, Pearl
Subject: Re: National Day of the People's Republic of China

Hi, Pearl,

We have found some barriers (see picture as below) can be used in the event on Sep. 30. We could send those to city hall before 10am. Is this OK for you?

Zaixin
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<image001.jpg>
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Sep 15, 2016, 3:47 PM, "Zhang, Pearl" <Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca>

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Hi Zaixin,
Please check attached file for the Flag Raising program.
Pearl

From: Zap on Ma [s.22(1)]
Sent: Tuesday, September 06, 2016 9:36 AM
To: Zhang, Pearl
Subject: Re: National Day of the People's Republic of China

Thank you very much for yr help.
Zaixin

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Sep 6, 2016, 9:27 AM, "Zhang, Pearl" <Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca>

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Hello Mr. Ma,
I can ask Deputy Mayor or Acting Mayor to see if they are available.
Thanks!
Pearl

From: Zhang, Pearl
Sent: Tuesday, September 06, 2016 9:18 AM
To: 'Zap on Ma'
Subject: RE: National Day of the People's Republic of China

Hello Mr. Ma,
It is not confirmed, but it is very likely that the Mayor will be out of town on September 30th.
Do you have second plan?

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From: Zap on Ma [s.22(1)]
Sent: Friday, September 02, 2016 6:09 PM
To: Zhang, Pearl
Subject: Re: National Day of the People's Republic of China

Dear Ms. Zhang,
I got it, and thank you very much for your help.
Best regards.

Zaixin Ma

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Sep 2, 2016, 3:21 PM, "Zhang, Pearl" <Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca>

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Hello Mr. Ma,
It is very nice talking to you.
We will also need you to provide a 72" X 36" Chinese Flag to our office at least 1 week in advance of the event.
I have submit the request to City Manager. I will let you know ASAP.
Thank you and you have a great weekend!

Pearl

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Mexican Independence Day - Flag Raising Ceremony

Monday, September 12th, 2016 – 8:30 – 9:30 am

At

Vancouver City Hall, 453 W. 12th Avenue.

Hosted by the Consulate General of Mexico in Vancouver
&
Mexicans Living Abroad Advisory Committee Association, BC.

OFFICIAL PROGRAM:

Media Centre, Ground Floor, Vancouver City Hall

- 8:30 am – Guests arrive for light reception
- 9:00 am - Welcome remarks – **Mr. Francisco Javier Barajas**– MLAACA
 - **Mr. Barajas** introduces **Mayor Gregor Robertson**
- 9:05 am – Mayor Gregor Robertson delivers brief remarks and reads *Mexican Independence Day* Proclamation
 - **Mayor Robertson** presents Proclamation to the Consul General of Mexico in Vancouver, **Ms. Berenice Diaz Ceballos**
- 9:10 am - **Consul General** accepts Proclamation and delivers remarks
- 9:15 am - **Consul General** invites guests to community flag pole on north lawn to raise the Mexican Flag

Community Flag Pole, North Lawn, Vancouver City Hall

- 9:20 am – **Consul General** and **Mayor Robertson** raise flag together
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To: "Zap on Ma" s.22(1)
Date: 9/15/2016 3:47:21 PM
Subject: RE: National Day of the People's Republic of China
Attachments: 20160915154422216.pdf

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Pearl

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Date: 9/6/2016 3:26:06 PM
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To: "[Zhang, Pearl](mailto:Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca)" <Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca>

Date: 9/29/2016 7:42:42 AM

Subject: RE: National Day of the People's Republic of China

No thanks.

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From: Zhang, Pearl

Sent: Wednesday, September 28, 2016 4:25 PM

To: Patton, Bruce

Cc: Matthews, Lesley

Subject: FW: National Day of the People's Republic of China

Hi Bruce,

What do you think? Can we use this?

Thanks!

Pearl

From: Zap on Ma s.22(1)

Sent: Wednesday, September 28, 2016 4:23 PM

To: Zhang, Pearl

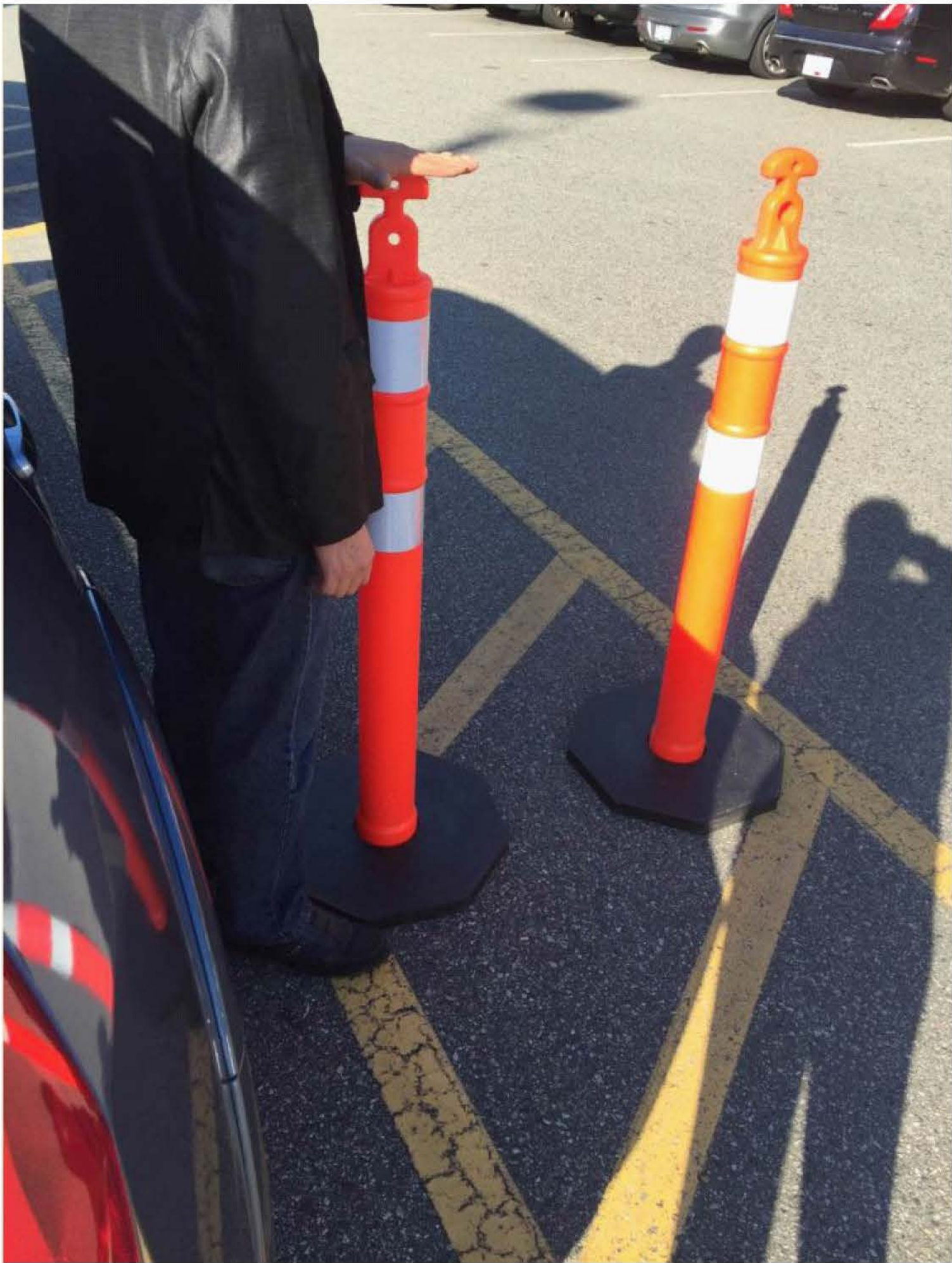
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Hi, Pearl,

We have found some barriers (see picture as below) can be used in the event on Sep. 30. We could send those to city hall before 10am. Is this OK for you?

Zaixin

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To: "[Shyng, Pamela](mailto:Pamela.Shyng@vancouver.ca)" <Pamela.Shyng@vancouver.ca>
"[Rector Bleeker, Shayna](mailto:Shayna.Rector@vancouver.ca)" <Shayna.Rector@vancouver.ca>
Date: 9/29/2016 12:29:26 PM
Subject: RE: Path closed - Chinese National Day Flag Raising

Thanks so much, Pamela.

From: Shyng, Pamela
Sent: Thursday, September 29, 2016 11:19 AM
To: Rector Bleeker, Shayna; Matthews, Lesley
Cc: Zhang, Pearl
Subject: RE: Path closed - Chinese National Day Flag Raising

Hi Lesley,

We will post the below notice on Citywire today. Due to the East Wing deconstruction, we will encourage staff to access City Hall using the Cambie Street sidewalk (rather than Yukon St).

The flag raising ceremony for the 67th Anniversary of the National Day of the People's Republic of China will take place at the City Hall community flag pole between 11:00 am and noon on Friday, September 30.

We anticipate high attendance and crowds, making the pedestrian pathway on the north lawn at City Hall inaccessible. As a result, a little re-routing is in order and we ask that you please use the sidewalk on Cambie Street to access City Hall during this time.

We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause.

Regards,

Pamela Shyng, Communications Coordinator
pamela.shyng@vancouver.ca

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From: Rector Bleeker, Shayna
Sent: Thursday, September 29, 2016 7:35 AM
To: Matthews, Lesley
Cc: Zhang, Pearl; Shyng, Pamela
Subject: RE: Path closed - Chinese National Day Flag Raising

Yes – let's please speak Lesley. I am in meetings almost solid until noon today. Please liase with Pamela Shyng. I will call you at 10:30, let's ensure that mention is made of the work being done in the east annex in the one note

Pamela – please draft with Lesley, check copy with Nataka or Albert, before posting.

Thanks.
Shayna

From: Matthews, Lesley
Sent: Wednesday, September 28, 2016 5:03 PM
To: Rector Bleeker, Shayna
Cc: Zhang, Pearl
Subject: Path closed - Chinese National Day Flag Raising

Hi Shayna,

I'd like to have a quick chat about the below message that we would like posted on Citywire this Friday morning.

Thanks,
Lesley

For Citywire:

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Please use the sidewalks on either Cambie St. or Yukon St. to access City Hall from the West Annex, Crossroads or the Canada Line Station between 11:00 am and NOON today.

We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause.

From: "[Matthews, Lesley](mailto:lesley.matthews@vancouver.ca)" <lesley.matthews@vancouver.ca>

To: "[Wong, Tamarra](mailto:Tamarra.Wong@vancouver.ca)" <Tamarra.Wong@vancouver.ca>

Date: 9/30/2016 9:21:50 AM

Subject: RE: People's Republic of China Flag Raising

Thank you, Tamarra. This is great news.

Annelise has the speaking notes, which she can pass along to you for Councillor Jang.

Lesley

From: Wong, Tamarra

Sent: Friday, September 30, 2016 9:02 AM

To: Matthews, Lesley

Subject: People's Republic of China Flag Raising

Hi Lesley,

Councillor Jang has confirmed that he has able to speak for today's event.

Thanks,

Tamarra Wong

Assistant to Councillors | City of Vancouver

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E: tamarra.wong@vancouver.ca

From: "[Hendren, Paul](mailto:Paul.Hendren@vancouver.ca)" <Paul.Hendren@vancouver.ca>

To: "[Darling, Patricia](mailto:Patricia.Darling@vancouver.ca)" <Patricia.Darling@vancouver.ca>

Date: 9/27/2016 3:56:53 PM

Subject: RE: Power Cord to Flag Pole

Hi Patricia,

We have one extension and the crew at the site lent us one of theirs to make it all the way to the flag pole.

Thanks

From: Darling, Patricia

Sent: Tuesday, September 27, 2016 3:51 PM

To: Hendren, Paul

Cc: Zhang, Pearl

Subject: RE: Power Cord to Flag Pole

Hi Paul

Do you need the extension cord or just have access to plug in the cord.

[Patricia Darling](#), Architect AIBC

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t: 604.673.8351 | m: 604.351.1582 | e: patricia.darling@vancouver.ca

From: Hendren, Paul

Sent: Tuesday, September 27, 2016 3:40 PM

To: Darling, Patricia

Cc: Zhang, Pearl

Subject: Power Cord to Flag Pole

Hi Patricia,

This Friday, there's a flag raising ceremony taking place at the flag pole at the bottom of the north steps. We're setting up an AV system and will need access to power close to the flag pole starting at 10 am.

Last time Andrew arranged for an extension cord to be run out of the East Wing. It would be great if we can arrange to do the same thing this Friday.

Thanks

Paul Hendren

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From: "[Zhang, Pearl](mailto:Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca)" <Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca>

To: "[Lee, Emma](mailto:emma.lee@vancouver.ca)" <emma.lee@vancouver.ca>

Date: 9/2/2016 2:27:36 PM

Subject: RE: PRC Flag Raising Sep 30

Hi Emma,

They would like the flag raising on Friday, September 30, 2016 11:00-12:00

Could you please check if Mayor available for a 15min or 30min on Friday, September 30, 2016 Between 11:00 and 12:00?

Thank you very much!

Pearl

From: Lee, Emma

Sent: Friday, September 02, 2016 1:51 PM

To: Zhang, Pearl

Subject: PRC Flag Raising Sep 30

Hi Pearl,

It was great to see you earlier. Hope you enjoyed lunch!

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Thank you and please let me know if I can be of assistance in any other way.

Best,

Emma

Emma Lee

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Date: 9/2/2016 1:54:49 PM

Subject: RE: PRC Flag Raising Sep 30

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Pearl

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From: "Patton, Bruce" <bruce.patton@vancouver.ca>
To: "Zhang, Pearl" <Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca>
Date: 9/22/2016 1:07:31 PM
Subject: RE: PROPOSED MEETING

Can you get someone from the Consulate to come?

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From: Zhang, Pearl
Sent: Thursday, September 22, 2016 1:06 PM
To: Patton, Bruce; Black, Jennifer; Calder, Kevin
Cc: Matthews, Lesley
Subject: RE: PROPOSED MEETING

Hi Bruce,
Sure, what time is good for you?
Pearl

From: Patton, Bruce
Sent: Thursday, September 22, 2016 12:58 PM
To: Black, Jennifer; Calder, Kevin; Zhang, Pearl
Subject: PROPOSED MEETING

Just a suggestion that maybe we get together with Pearl and perhaps a rep from the Chinese Consulate if possible regarding the threat and development of a plan for next Friday. Thoughts?

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To: "Matthews, Lesley" <lesley.matthews@vancouver.ca>

Date: 9/12/2016 3:02:06 PM

Subject: RE: Requests for the Mayor

Thanks!
Pearl

From: Matthews, Lesley
Sent: Monday, September 12, 2016 3:01 PM
To: Zhang, Pearl
Subject: Re: Requests for the Mayor

Only if the Chinese Consulate requested one. They would draft it, not us. I just assumed they would have a Proclamation, but if they don't that is their choice.
Lesley

Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 12, 2016, at 2:57 PM, Zhang, Pearl <Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca> wrote:

Hi Lesley,
Do I need to prepare the Proclamation of Flag Raising for the Peoples Republic of China?
If I do, I need help.
Thanks!
Pearl

From: Matthews, Lesley
Sent: Monday, September 12, 2016 1:48 PM
To: Au, Wendy; Hendren, Paul; Zhang, Pearl
Subject: Requests for the Mayor

Hi everyone,
Do you have anything to add, delete or change to the below list for my weekly check in with the Mayor's Office?
Lesley

Requests for Mayor Robertson's Participation:

- Welcome of the Royal Couple at Harbour Air Terminal, Vancouver Convention Centre - Sunday, September 25, 2016 at 11:00 am
 - Name of person accompanying the Mayor

Royal Couple visit to the Coast Guard Station, Vanier Park – Sunday, September 25, 2016 at 2:00 pm

Speaking and Proclamation reading at the Flag Raising for the Peoples Republic of China, Community Flag Pole, City Hall – Friday, September 30, 2016, 11 – NOON

- flag raising 11:00 – 11:30
- reception to follow 11:30 – NOON

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To: "[Zhang, Pearl](mailto:Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca)" <Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca>
Date: 9/27/2016 7:46:16 AM
Subject: RE: STANCHIONS FOR FRIDAY

45 will be fine, we have some more here in Revenue Services we can use.

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From: Zhang, Pearl
Sent: Monday, September 26, 2016 4:57 PM
To: Patton, Bruce
Cc: Au, Wendy; Matthews, Lesley
Subject: RE: STANCHIONS FOR FRIDAY

Hi Bruce,
I just contact with Salmons Rentals Ltd. They have only 45 stanchions available. I have to call them back tomorrow for checking if they have enough ropes. By the way, I booked the City Hall - Main floor Town Hall - RM 115 from 10:30-11:45. In case we need it.
Thanks!
Pearl

From: Patton, Bruce
Sent: Monday, September 26, 2016 4:09 PM
To: Zhang, Pearl
Cc: Au, Wendy; Matthews, Lesley
Subject: STANCHIONS FOR FRIDAY

Can you guys please arrange for the delivery of 50 stanchions with appropriate ropes for the occasion for me to use Friday. I can take delivery of them as early as possible Friday morning. Please advise,Thanks.

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To: "[Zhang, Pearl](mailto:Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca)" <Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca>
Date: 9/30/2016 3:05:40 PM
Subject: RE: Thank you!

The MLA from Richmond, first name Joe made a comment to Kerry Jang during the ceremony that maybe next year this event could be held in Richmond. I fully support that idea. Kidding aside, it went very well. Thanks.

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From: Zhang, Pearl

Sent: Friday, September 30, 2016 2:13 PM

To: Calder, Kevin; Patton, Bruce; Li, Joseph; Conlan, Greg; Fang, Carlos; Sandhu, Jag

Subject: Thank you!

Hello All,

Thank you very much for supporting flag raising of National Day Celebration for the People's Republic China today!

The event is very successful!

Pearl Zhang

Protocol Events Coordinator

External Relations and Protocol

City of Vancouver

453 West 12th Avenue

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From: ["Zhang, Pearl" <Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca>](mailto:Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca)

To: ["Matthews, Lesley" <lesley.matthews@vancouver.ca>](mailto:lesley.matthews@vancouver.ca)
["Hendren, Paul" <Paul.Hendren@vancouver.ca>](mailto:Paul.Hendren@vancouver.ca)

Date: 9/8/2016 2:47:54 PM

Subject: Speak Nots of PRC National Day

Attachments: 67th anniversary of the founding of the People's Republic of China.docx

Hi Lesley and Paul,
Please check the attached file for speak notes of PRC National Day.
Thanks!
Pearl

It is my pleasure to convey our warmest wishes to you and the people of China on the occasion of the 67th anniversary of the founding of the People's Republic of China.

Over the past 67 years since the founding of the People's Republic of China on October 1st, 1949, especially during the more than 30 years of reform and opening-up, China has made great achievements widely recognized by the world.

The Canada-China relationship is a vast and dynamic web of cooperative linkages and undertakings, dating from well before the establishment of diplomatic relations in 1970 and growing continuously year on year. Canada's long-standing and comprehensive relationship with the People's Republic of China operates at many levels and in many areas, including in trade, governance and values, health, education and culture. Bilateral cooperation is strong - many Canadian government departments have productive cooperation programs and memoranda of understanding with their Chinese counterparts, and hold regular exchanges at various levels. Both countries enjoy an active working relationship in international fora, such as the G20, UN, APEC, and WTO.

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["Hendren, Paul" <Paul.Hendren@vancouver.ca>](mailto:Paul.Hendren@vancouver.ca)

Date: 9/20/2016 12:25:45 PM

Subject: 67th anniversary of the founding of the People's Republic of China

Attachments: 67th anniversary of the founding of the People's Republic of China.docx

Hello All,
Please check the attached file for the speaking notes.
Thank you very much!
Pearl

**Speaking Notes for 67th Anniversary of the founding
of the Peoples Republic of China
Friday, September 30, 2016
Community flag pole, north lawn
Program at 11:00 am**

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From: "Hendren, Paul" <Paul.Hendren@vancouver.ca>

To: "Lee, Emma" <Emma.Lee@vancouver.ca>

Date: 9/1/2016 4:20:31 PM

Subject: FW: National Day of the People's Republic of China

Hi Emma,

From a protocol perspective there's no reason not to recognize PRC National Day with a flag raising at City Hall.

All requests for flag raisings go to the City Manager to sign off, before they can be approved. Do you want to send me the contact info for the organizer and we can work with them to submit an application?

Thanks,
Paul

From: Au, Wendy

Sent: Thursday, September 01, 2016 3:03 PM

To: Hendren, Paul

Cc: Matthews, Lesley; Zhang, Pearl

Subject: RE: National Day of the People's Republic of China

October 1st is the National Day of the People's Republic of China

October 10th is the National Day for the Republic of China (Taiwan) it is often called Double Tenth National Day

the People's Republic of China is the officially recognized country in Canada and we have no reason to say 'no'. However, in the future if Taiwan asked to do the same thing and if we say 'Yes' I am sure Chinese Consulate will object to that. ... If we have to say no then we will need to make sure that within our policy that Taiwan is not an officially recognized country and that their flag is not being flown in Ottawa !

This can be tricky since our Mayor and councilors have relationships with both !

wendy

From: Hendren, Paul

Sent: Thursday, September 01, 2016 2:49 PM

To: Au, Wendy

Subject: National Day of the People's Republic of China

Hi Wendy,

Emma has been contacted by the Canadian Alliance of Chinese Associations who want to do a flag raising to recognize the National Day of the People's Republic of China, which is celebrated on October 1.

Would agreeing to this event cause any political sensitivity?

Thanks

Paul Hendren

City of Vancouver

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From: "[Matthews, Lesley](mailto:lesley.matthews@vancouver.ca)" <lesley.matthews@vancouver.ca>

To: "[Lee, Emma](mailto:Emma.Lee@vancouver.ca)" <Emma.Lee@vancouver.ca>

Date: 9/20/2016 1:50:20 PM

Subject: Fwd: 67th anniversary of the founding of the People's Republic of China

Attachments: 67th National Day Celebration=20160930.doc
ATT00001.htm

Hi Emma,

Here is the China Flag Raising itinerary for September 30th.

Lesley

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Zhang, Pearl" <Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca>

Date: September 20, 2016 at 1:43:39 PM PDT

To: "Matthews, Lesley" <lesley.matthews@vancouver.ca>

Subject: FW: 67th anniversary of the founding of the People's Republic of China

Hi Lesley,

Here is the itinerary for the flag raising.

Thanks!

Pearl

-----Original Message-----

From: Matthews, Lesley

Sent: Tuesday, September 20, 2016 1:42 PM

To: Zhang, Pearl

Subject: Re: 67th anniversary of the founding of the People's Republic of China

Hi Pearl,

Can you send me the itinerary for the flag raising ceremony?

Thanks,

Lesley

Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 20, 2016, at 12:25 PM, Zhang, Pearl <Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca> wrote:

Hello All,

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Thank you very much!

Pearl

<67th anniversary of the founding of the People's Republic of China.docx>

67th National Day Celebration for PR. China
Organized by The Canadian Alliance of Chinese Associations
Date and Time: September 30, 2016 at 11:00am
Venue: Vancouver City Hall, 453 W. 12th Avenue, Vancouver

Celebration Program

National Anthem: Mr. Zhenjie Li
Flag Raising Ceremony: Mr. Dianqi Wang, Mr. Dexiu Zhu
Introduction of VIP Guests: Mr. Zhiming Chen, Vice Chairman
Executive Committee of CACA
Opening Remarks: Mr. Dianqi Wang, Chairman
Executive Committee of CACA
Greetings: Madam Liu Fei
Consul General of The PR. China
Mr. Gregor Robertson
Mayor of Vancouver City
Acknowledgement: Mr. Rayman Wei, Vice Chairman
Executive Committee of CACA
Lion Dance:
Cultural Performance:
Lunch: Floata Seafood Restaurant, Chinatown, Vancouver
180 Keefer Street, Vancouver, BC

From: "[Hendren, Paul](mailto:Paul.Hendren@vancouver.ca)" <Paul.Hendren@vancouver.ca>
To: "[Lee, Emma](mailto:Emma.Lee@vancouver.ca)" <Emma.Lee@vancouver.ca>
"[Zhang, Pearl](mailto:Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca)" <Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca>
Date: 9/30/2016 1:32:28 PM
Subject: RE: info on todays event

I'll talk to comms about responding to the Courier.

Thanks

From: Lee, Emma
Sent: Friday, September 30, 2016 1:31 PM
To: Hendren, Paul; Zhang, Pearl
Subject: RE: info on todays event

Thanks Paul. Would it be helpful if we had corp comms respond to the Courier? And should we offer them a contact at the CACA so they could connect with the organizers directly?

Thanks, Emma

From: Hendren, Paul
Sent: Friday, September 30, 2016 1:28 PM
To: Lee, Emma; Zhang, Pearl
Subject: RE: info on todays event

Hi Emma,

Since the flag raisings are not organized by the City, we don't do press releases for them. Flag raisings are community organized events and it's up to the organizing group how they promote it.

Does this help?

Thanks

From: Lee, Emma
Sent: Friday, September 30, 2016 12:33 PM
To: Zhang, Pearl
Cc: Hendren, Paul
Subject: Fwd: info on todays event

Hi Pearl, would you be able to help with the request below?

Thank you so much!

Emma

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From: "Jang, Kerry" <Kerry.Jang@vancouver.ca>
Date: September 30, 2016 at 12:02:27 PM PDT
To: "Lee, Emma" <Emma.Lee@vancouver.ca>
Subject: Fwd: info on todays event

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Begin forwarded message:

From: "Toulgoet, Dan (LMP)" <DToulgoet@vancourier.com>
Date: September 30, 2016 at 11:41:01 AM PDT
To: "clrjang@vancouver.ca" <clrjang@vancouver.ca>
Subject: info on todays event

Hello Kerry,

Dan here from the Courier, was up at the flag raising event this morning at city hall, could you send me the press release on it.

Cheers,

Dan

Dan Toulgoet
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The Vancouver Courier Newspaper
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["Lee, Emma" <Emma.Lee@vancouver.ca>](mailto:Emma.Lee@vancouver.ca)

Date: 9/14/2016 11:11:20 AM

Subject: Requests for Mayor Robertson's Participation

Hi Emma and Shea,

As we didn't meet yesterday, I promised that I would send you a list of requests for the Mayor's participation in upcoming events.

1. Welcome **Their Royal Highnesses** at Harbour Air Terminal, Vancouver Convention Centre + Jack Poole Plaza - **Sunday, September 25, 2016 at 11:00 am**
2. **Their Royal Highnesses** visit to the Coast Guard Station, Vanier Park – **Sunday, September 25, 2016 at 3:00 pm – please note the time change from our previous communication**
3. Speaking role at the Flag Raising for the **Peoples Republic of China**, Community Flag Pole, City Hall – **Friday, September 30, 2016, 11 – NOON**
 - flag raising 11:00 – 11:30
 - reception to follow 11:30 – NOON

Please note that Sadhu scheduled a meeting with the Mayor's Office this Friday to discuss the details of both Royal events.

Thanks,
Lesley

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From: "[Jang, Kerry](mailto:Kerry.Jang@vancouver.ca)" <Kerry.Jang@vancouver.ca>

To: "[Wong, Tamarra](mailto:Tamarra.Wong@vancouver.ca)" <Tamarra.Wong@vancouver.ca>

Date: 10/7/2016 10:14:52 AM

Subject: FW: 67th anniversary of the founding of the People's Republic of China

From: Jang, Kerry

Sent: Tuesday, September 20, 2016 2:50 PM

To: Meggs, Geoff

Cc: Lee, Emma; Louie, Raymond; Deal, Heather; Stevenson, Tim; Reimer, Andrea; O'Neil, Shea; Quinlan, Kevin; Robb, Katie

Subject: Re: 67th anniversary of the founding of the People's Republic of China

I can't as s.22(1)

Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 20, 2016, at 2:35 PM, Meggs, Geoff <Geoff.Meggs@vancouver.ca> wrote:

I have to come back for a Translink discussion, but this is looking unfortunate at the moment. Deputy Mayor?

From: Lee, Emma

Sent: Tuesday, September 20, 2016 2:26 PM

To: Jang, Kerry; Louie, Raymond; Meggs, Geoff; Deal, Heather; Stevenson, Tim; Reimer, Andrea

Cc: O'Neil, Shea; Quinlan, Kevin; Robb, Katie

Subject: FW: 67th anniversary of the founding of the People's Republic of China

Hi All, I know you are all away on Sep 30 but want to give a heads up on this event. This is the first time the PRC is doing a flag raising at city hall for their National Day and they arranged it through me. Right now only Councillor Ball is available to attend. I have asked Protocol to hold off confirming with her until I've checked with all of you that no one can leave UBCM a bit early on Friday morning to represent the city at this inaugural PRC Flag Raising at city hall. Consul General Liu Fei will attend.

Please let me know. Thanks!

Emma

From: Matthews, Lesley

Sent: Tuesday, September 20, 2016 1:50 PM

To: Lee, Emma

Subject: Fwd: 67th anniversary of the founding of the People's Republic of China

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Lesley

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To: "[Wong, Tamarra](mailto:Tamarra.Wong@vancouver.ca)" <Tamarra.Wong@vancouver.ca>

Date: 10/7/2016 10:09:38 AM

Subject: FW: China Flag Raising Ceremony - Friday, September 30th at 11:00 am

Attachments: Chinese National Day - Flag Raising Ceremony_2016.docx
ATT00001.htm
67th National Day Celebration=20160930.doc
ATT00002.htm

From: Deal, Heather

Sent: Friday, September 30, 2016 1:01 AM

To: Jang, Kerry; Meggs, Geoff

Subject: Fwd: China Flag Raising Ceremony - Friday, September 30th at 11:00 am

Hi Kerry and Geoff,

I understand you will both be at the Chinese flag raising tomorrow (well, today).

s.22(1) during the UBCM dinner and am s.22(1) I can't see hopping on a float plane in the morning and doing the event. s.22(1)

Can one of you pick up the official duties?

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Date: September 29, 2016 at 8:24:51 AM PDT

To: "Deal, Heather" <Heather.Deal@vancouver.ca>

Cc: "Van Der Veen, Annelise" <Annelise.VanDerVeen@vancouver.ca>, "Zhang, Pearl" <Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca>, "Au, Wendy" <wendy.au@vancouver.ca>, "Hendren, Paul" <Paul.Hendren@vancouver.ca>

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Chinese National Day - Flag Raising Ceremony

Friday, September 30th @ 11:00 am

North Lawn, City Hall

Deputy Mayor Heather Deal - Speaking Notes

(Chinese Consul General Lui Fei introduces DM Deal – see program)

Chinese Translation (Good morning!)

zao shung hao

<http://translate.google.cn/#zh-CN/en/%E6%97%A9%E4%B8%8A%E5%A5%BD>

Chinese Translation (Happy National Day!)

guoh ching chiah kwai leh

<http://translate.google.cn/#zh-CN/en/%E5%9B%BD%E5%BA%86%E8%8A%82%E5%BF%AB%E4%B9%90>

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Thank you, Your Excellency. It is an honour to be here with you today.

Welcome to Vancouver City Hall.

I'd like to start by thanking the **The Canadian Alliance of Chinese Associations** for organizing this special celebration.

We recognize that Vancouver is on the unceded homelands of the Musqueam, Squamish, and Tsleil-Waututh nations and we thank them for their hospitality.

I'm so proud that the flag of the People's Republic of China will be raised at Vancouver City Hall today! The National

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Flag of China will fly at City Hall to acknowledge not just the 67th Anniversary of the founding of the People's Republic of China, but also to acknowledge the many contributions that members of our Chinese community have made to this country and our great city.

Canada and China's relationship has remained strong since the establishment of diplomatic relations in 1970. We share the values of open trade, and the importance of cultural and educational exchanges for our youth to experience each other's country and people.

We have over 400,000 residents in the Vancouver region of Chinese origin and Chinese is the second most spoken language in our city after English. These ties are reflected in the numerous twinning partnerships at the provincial and municipal levels.

The City of Vancouver has enjoyed its sister city relationship with Guangzhou since 1985. The twinning was seen as an important door opener for the business community and a means of reuniting the Canadian Chinese and the Mainland Chinese communities. Since that time, our relationship with Guangzhou has grown stronger and stronger each year. We were honoured last year to host Mayor Chen in Vancouver. It was wonderful to show him around our city and show him how important Chinese culture is to the fabric of our multicultural community.

I want to commend all the leaders in the Chinese community here today who have organized National Day festivities. Our city is grateful for your energy and commitment.

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67th National Day Celebration for the People's Republic China
Organized by The Canadian Alliance of Chinese Associations
Date and Time: September 30, 2016 at 11:00am
Venue: Vancouver City Hall, 453 W. 12th Avenue, Vancouver

Celebration Program

10:00	Setup
10:50	All Guests arrive
11:00	Start
11:00-11:03	Escort the flag to flagpole (with background music)
11:03-11:06	Flag Raising (Madam Liu Fei, Ms. Deal Heather, Mr. Dianqi Wang) with National Anthem (Mr. Zhenjie Li)
11:06-11:09	Introduction of VIP Guests Mr. Zhiming Chen, Vice Chairman, Executive Committee of CACA
11:09-11:12	Opening Remarks Mr. Dianqi Wang, Chairman, Executive Committee of CACA
11:12-11:18	Greetings Madam Liu Fei, Consul General of The PR. China Ms. Deal Heather, Deputy Mayor of Vancouver City
11:18-11:21	Acknowledgement Mr. Rayman Wei, Vice Chairman, Executive Committee of CACA
11:21-11:26	Group photo
11:30	Go to Lunch Floata Seafood Restaurant, Chinatown, Vancouver 180 Keefer Street, Vancouver, BC

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Date: 10/7/2016 10:10:16 AM

Subject: FW: China Flag Raising Ceremony - Friday, September 30th at 11:00 am

From: Deal, Heather

Sent: Friday, September 30, 2016 8:04 AM

To: Jang, Kerry

Cc: Meggs, Geoff

Subject: Re: China Flag Raising Ceremony - Friday, September 30th at 11:00 am

Thanks guys! So sorry about this.

Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 30, 2016, at 8:02 AM, Jang, Kerry <Kerry.Jang@vancouver.ca> wrote:

Off to catch my flight. See you there Geoff I have to leave the hall by noon s.22(1)

Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 30, 2016, at 7:51 AM, Meggs, Geoff <Geoff.Meggs@vancouver.ca> wrote:

I'll be at the flag raising -- Kerry, you can do the honours.

g

From: Deal, Heather

Sent: September 30, 2016 7:14 AM

To: Jang, Kerry

Cc: Meggs, Geoff

Subject: Re: China Flag Raising Ceremony - Friday, September 30th at 11:00 am

Thanks! And s.22(1)

Wish I could do it but not a chance

Sent from my iPhone

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I can only do the flag bit. I have to go straight to UBC.

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Date: 10/7/2016 10:09:29 AM

Subject: FW: Councillors' parking lot - Sep 30 (Not Available)

From: Hagiwara, Rosemary

Sent: Thursday, September 29, 2016 11:01 AM

To: Councillors - DL

Cc: Basi, Sarah; Wong, Tamarra; Van Der Veen, Annelise; Security

Subject: Councillors' parking lot - Sep 30 (Not Available)

Hi Councillors,

Please note that the parking lot will be used for an event (details below). If you are coming to the office, please park in the upper lot. I will ask security to reserve 2 spots for Deputy Mayor Deal and Councillor Jang next to Councillor Ball's spot.

Regards,

Rosemary Hagiwara

Director of Business and Election Services and Deputy City Clerk

Office of the City Clerk | City of Vancouver

t: 604.873.7177 | e: rosemary.hagiwara@vancouver.ca

From: Zhang, Pearl

Sent: Wednesday, September 21, 2016 3:49 PM

To: Hagiwara, Rosemary

Cc: Norrie, Andrew; Matthews, Lesley

Subject: Councillors' parking lot

Hello Rosemary,

A flag raising for the National Day of People's Republic of China will take place at City Hall on Friday, September 30, 2016 at 11:am. The organizing group would like to use Councillors' parking lot for crowd over flow (which could exceed 200 people). Given that most Councillors will be at UBCM that day, could we reserve the Councillors' parking lot on Friday, September 30, 2016 for this event?

Thanks,

Pearl

Pearl Zhang

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Date: 10/7/2016 10:10:26 AM

Subject: FW: Information Bulletin: City of Vancouver flag policy

From: City of Vancouver Communications Office
Sent: Monday, October 03, 2016 12:18 PM
To: Jang, Kerry
Subject: Information Bulletin: City of Vancouver flag policy

City of Vancouver
Information Bulletin
October 3, 2016

City of Vancouver flag policy

The City of Vancouver has a flag policy that applies to all flags flown by the City of Vancouver. At the discretion of the City Clerk, the City will fly the flags of other sovereign nations, non-profit societies and other local organizations upon request.

Flag raising ceremonies at City Hall are requested by community groups by submitting a request to the City's Protocol Office. The community group organizes the event, sends out invites and the City provides the space. As flag raisings are community organized events, it is up to the organizing group on how they promote it, including inviting media. Flags raised to recognise national days remain on the pole up until sunset on the day of the official national day unless there is a conflict with another flag raising.

Flag raising ceremonies recognized at City Hall this year include:

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(Chinese Consul General Lui Fei introduces DM Deal – see program)

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Date: 9/20/2016 2:26:01 PM

Subject: FW: 67th anniversary of the founding of the People's Republic of China

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Hi All, I know you are all away on Sep 30 but want to give a heads up on this event. This is the first time the PRC is doing a flag raising at city hall for their National Day and they arranged it through me. Right now only Councillor Ball is available to attend. I have asked Protocol to hold off confirming with her until I've checked with all of you that no one can leave UBCM a bit early on Friday morning to represent the city at this inaugural PRC Flag Raising at city hall. Consul General Liu Fei will attend.

Please let me know. Thanks!

Emma

From: Matthews, Lesley

Sent: Tuesday, September 20, 2016 1:50 PM

To: Lee, Emma

Subject: Fwd: 67th anniversary of the founding of the People's Republic of China

Hi Emma,

Here is the China Flag Raising itinerary for September 30th.

Lesley

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Date: 9/30/2016 7:51:41 AM
Subject: RE: China Flag Raising Ceremony - Friday, September 30th at 11:00 am

I'll be at the flag raising -- Kerry, you can do the honours.

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From: Deal, Heather
Sent: September 30, 2016 7:14 AM
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Thanks! And s.22(1)

Wish I could do it but not a chance

Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 30, 2016, at 7:13 AM, Jang, Kerry <Kerry.Jang@vancouver.ca> wrote:

I can only do the flag bit. I have to go straight to UBC.

Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 30, 2016, at 1:00 AM, Deal, Heather <Heather.Deal@vancouver.ca> wrote:

Hi Kerry and Geoff,

I understand you will both be at the Chinese flag raising tomorrow (well, today).

s.22(1) I can't see hopping on a float plane in the morning and doing the event. s.22(1)

Can one of you pick up the official duties?

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From: Zap on Ma s.22(1)
Sent: Wednesday, October 12, 2016 6:01 PM
To: Zhang, Pearl
Subject: Re: CACA sample document

Dear Pearl,

The Clarification about flag raising is as below, and we hope you could transfer to Kerry and Mayor and your colleagues.
Thank you very much.

Zaixin Ma

Clarification Regarding the Flag Raising Ceremony
by the Canadian Alliance of Chinese Associations

At 11:00 on the morning of September 30, the Canadian Alliance of Chinese Associations held a flag raising ceremony at Vancouver City Hall to celebrate the 67th anniversary of the establishment of the People's Republic of China. The ceremony was dignified, moving, moderate and warm. Everyone felt gratified to be able to raise the flag of their ancestral home on its National Holiday at City Hall, and felt even more grateful for Canada's broad-minded and magnanimous equal treatment accorded to immigrants of all ethnic backgrounds.

Prior to our flag raising ceremony at City Hall, the Government of Vancouver had raised flags of ancestral homelands for countless Canadian minority ethnic groups. Some Chinese think that the flag of China can only be raised in Chinatown, but actually, our City Government uses a multi-ethnic mentality in treating immigrants from different countries, understanding their sentimental attachment to their ancestral home, wishing to offer cooperation for their activities, and the flagpole in front of City Hall is indeed used for flag raising ceremonies for different countries, groups or organizations.

Several of our Association members have said that participating in that ceremony made them feel even more aware of Canada's greatness. Canada magnanimously admits and accepts immigrants from different ethnic backgrounds, and while they earnestly try to merge into the local culture, allows them to inherit and carry forward their original ethnic culture, and offers a site for them to carry out commemorative activities on the national holiday of their ancestral home. This all makes us feel warmly accepted, and makes us feel our love for Canada even more strongly.

However, after our flag raising ceremony was reported in the media, it lead to unprovoked censure from a few individuals, even calling for the removal from office of Acting Mayor Kerry Jang, their focal point being the provision of red scarfs for special guests. There was some criticism that these were the "red scarfs of Young Pioneers," who would carry forward the torch of communism; and some said that the "red scarfs of Young

Pioneers" caused people to think of China's "Great Cultural Revolution".

¥u8203 ?Actually, these criticisms are forced analogies that confuse public opinion. Firstly, what the special guests were given were not "red scarfs of Young Pioneers", but were square shaped red scarfs. The original plan was to make long red scarfs, but the provider misunderstood, and made square scarfs. They were originally to be for our female Alliance members to indicate celebration, and to let people easily recognize that they were organization personnel, but then we felt that it would be better to use them for honored guests to make them more visible, so we folded them into a triangular shape for honored guests to wear as scarfs, but there weren't enough for every honored guest to wear. Because the square scarfs folded into triangular shapes gave some people the impression they were like Young Pioneer red scarfs, even though the size and material used were both quite different. At the time, none of our organization personnel thought about a Young Pioneer connection.

¥u8203 ?Secondly, the Young Pioneer red scarfs in China were made for children aged 6 to 12, and not for adults to wear at all. Usually adult Chinese would not wear a Young Pioneer red scarf for a flag raising ceremony.

¥u8203 ?Thirdly, during the Chinese "Great Cultural Revolution", no one wore "Young Pioneer red scarfs" during revolutionary activity. The rebel factions wore red armbands bearing the words "Red Guard". On the contrary, the "Young Pioneer red scarf" was not worn during the Cultural Revolution at all, and was not reinstated until after the conclusion of the Cultural Revolution.

¥u8203 ?What was in fact a dignified, moving, moderate and warm ceremony, under the strained interpretation of a few people to arouse public indignation through their criticism, compounded by the hubbub created by media who didn't understand the true situation was given an extremely politicized spin, creating unpleasantness for Councillor Kerry Jang and Member of Parliament Joe Peschisolido, for which we express our deep regret. City Councillor Kerry Jang and MP Joe Peschisolido are totally innocent of any involvement. This was due to shortcomings in our own organizational efforts, which created the mistaken impression of "Young Pioneer red scarfs", and we hereby offer our sincere apology. On the other hand, we totally reject the groundless criticisms of "communism" and "Great Cultural Revolution".

¥u8203 ?The Canadian Alliance of Chinese Associations is a joint organization made up of Chinese groups and established in 2008. At present it consists of 110 organizations most of whose members are immigrants who came from the Chinese mainland. Since the Alliance's founding, it has guided new immigrants to actively merge into their local community and to eagerly participate in social welfare activities. Whether it be earthquake relief in China, tsunami relief in South Asia, typhoon relief in Taiwan, earthquake relief in Japan, wildfire relief in Alberta, or local hospital support and fundraising for seniors and children, our Alliance mobilizes its members to donate money and manpower to relieve the needy. Early this year, together with other community organizations, we donated \$100,000 to assist in the renovation of the cemetery in historic Barkerville in northern B.C.; in late spring and early summer, the Province of Alberta suffered a horrific wildfire, and our Alliance donated a total of \$270,000 to the Canadian Red Cross for wildfire relief. On July 1 of each year for the past five years, our Alliance has organized a team of 500 people to take part in the huge parade in downtown Vancouver in celebration of our National Day.

¥u8203 ?What still remains to be explained is, while the Vancouver City Hall grounds have four main flagpoles, the one on top of the building always displays the flag of Canada, the two large flagpoles to the left of the North Entrance always display the flags of British Columbia and Vancouver, and the somewhat smaller flagpole directly in front of the North Entrance normally displays no flag, and is used only for raising flags celebrating activities involving different countries, groups or organizations.

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Oct 3, 2016, 4:23 PM, "Zhang, Pearl" <Pearl.Zhang@vancouver.ca>

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