

## Planning & Development Services **Urban Design Division**

## **URBAN DESIGN PANEL AGENDA**

Date: Wednesday, September 21, 2016

Time: 3:00 pm

Place: Town Hall Meeting Room, Vancouver City Hall

This is an excerpt from the September 21, 2016 Urban Design Panel Agenda, to which the members of the GHAPC were invited for the presentation of the Blood Alley Square Redesign project.

5. 6:45 pm Address: **Blood Alley Square** 

(1.5 hours) Permit No.

> Description: Blood Alley Square is an important, historic public square in the heart of Gastown,

> > nationally designated historic district. The Downtown Eastside Plan identifies the redesign for Blood Alley Square and the adjacent Trounce Alley as a priority. The City has hired Enns Gauthier Landscape Architects, to lead a team of consultants to redesign Blood Alley Square / Trounce Alley public area in attempt to improve its functionality while preserving identified heritage values. The Statement of Significance was developed in 2010 and the Commission was involved in its processing. This document has now been used to assist in developing new design concepts and preserving key character-defining elements. The new design and cost estimate are expected to be completed by March 2017. Following that, staff will take a report to City Council for the approval of the redesign and funding request for construction of the project. The purpose of the meeting is to present the concept design for Blood Alley Square and

Trounce Alley and to receive initial feedback.

Zoning: HA-2 Application Status: Workshop Review: First

Landscape

Enns Gauthier Landscape Architects (Bryce Gauthier) Architect:

Staff: Zlatan Jankovic, Tom Warren & Helen Ma