



# Women's Advisory Committee

## Committee Term Summary

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## Top Priorities

1. Increase leadership, representation and participation of women and girls including increasing number of female firefighters and celebrating women.
2. Improve economic equality and opportunity for women and girls.
3. Create a safer city for women and girls.
4. Encourage City of Vancouver departments, task forces, and committees to examine their work with a gender lens and to get the City to adopt participatory gender budgets.

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## Top Accomplishments

- Taking action on addressing the issue of murdered and missing Aboriginal women
- Participating in Healthy Cities For All Strategy (2014-2025) with its intersectional lens
- Putting gender budgeting on the agenda
- Advocating for childcare spaces which are in the capital budget

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## Moving Forward Recommendations

- Equity and Inclusion in Our Cities project, a National City for All Women Initiative
- Up To Debate national coalition
- Healthy City For All strategy implementation
- 2015 as the year of Women in Sport