



## PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES ADVISORY COMMITTEE

### MINUTES

May 16, 2024

A meeting of the Persons with Disabilities Advisory Committee was held on Thursday, May 16, 2024, at 5:36 pm in the Joe Wai Room, Ground Floor, City Hall, and via electronic means.

**PRESENT:** Peter Brown, Chair  
Salina Dewar, Vice-Chair  
Tasia Alexis  
John Atoyebi  
Ana Booth  
Vikram Bubber\*  
Mikeal Frazer  
Tommy Leung  
Adam Roper  
Avery Shannon

**ABSENT:** Sarah van Baarsen (Leave of Absence)  
Mark Stockbrocks

**ALSO PRESENT:** Laura Christensen, Park Board Liaison  
Sgt. Jim Prasobsin, Vancouver Police Board Liaison  
Jennifer Streckmann, Vancouver Public Library Liaison  
Paul Storer, Director of Transportation, Staff Liaison

**CITY CLERK'S OFFICE:** Cassia Nasralla, Meeting Coordinator

\*Denotes absence for portion of the meeting

### WELCOME

The Chair acknowledged we are on the unceded homelands of the Musqueam, Squamish, and Tsleil-Waututh Peoples. We thank them for having cared for this land and look forward to working with them in partnership as we continue to build this great city together.

### Leave of Absence Requests

MOVED by Salina Dewar  
SECONDED by Tommy Leung

THAT the Persons with Disabilities Advisory Committee approve a leave of absence for Sarah van Baarsen for this meeting.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY  
(Vikram Bubber absent for the vote)

## **Approval of Minutes**

MOVED by Tasia Alexis  
SECONDED by John Atoyebi

THAT the Persons with Disabilities Advisory Committee approve the Minutes from the meeting of Thursday, March 07, 2024, as circulated.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY  
(Vikram Bubber absent for the vote)

### **1. School Active Travel Program Action Plan**

Staff from Community Transportation provided a presentation and responded to questions.

### **2. East Park**

Staff from the Park Board provided a presentation and responded to questions.

### **3. Working Session Updates**

The Chair provided an update on the working session held on Thursday, April 18, 2024.

### **4. Liaison Updates**

The Staff Liaison, Park Board Liaison, Vancouver Public Library Liaison, and Vancouver Police Department Liaison provided updates and responded to questions.

### **5. Sub-Committee Updates**

Subcommittees chairs provided updates and informed the Committee of upcoming subcommittee meeting dates.

### **6. New Business**

None.

## **ADJOURNMENT**

MOVED by Tasia Alexis  
SECONDED by Ana Booth

THAT this meeting be adjourned.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

**Next Meeting:**

DATE: Thursday, July 04, 2024  
TIME: 5:30 pm  
PLACE: Joe Wai Room, Ground Floor, City Hall  
/ WebEx Online

The Committee adjourned at 7:25 pm.

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