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Dear Mayor and Council,

The annual Pride Parade is fast approaching and here is important information about the City's entry in the parade and how you can participate on Sunday, July 31st!

This year's Pride Parade theme is *Together Again*, celebrating the beauty that comes in reuniting and uplifting 2SLGBTQ+ communities [and all of us]! Mayor and Council will be joined by Vancouver Fire and Rescue Services, and staff from across City departments.

We will have two City energy efficient vehicles in the parade, including a hybrid Silverado pick-up truck with a DJ in the back driven by Lon LaClarie, City Engineer, and an electric Mitsubishi SUV driven by Engineering staff. There is limited seating in these vehicles for those who have mobility limitations.

#### Where and When to meet on Sunday July 31

- The staging area is on Robson Street, between Thurlow and Bute (*see maps below*). Our exact location this year is BN1 - located on the North side of Robson Street just East of Bute Street.
- All marchers are to arrive at 11:30am, fencing is closed off soon afterwards, making it difficult to access the marchers. The parade begins at NOON sharp!
- The parade route is approximately 3 km and takes about an hour to complete – barring any stoppages.
- Parade participants especially those with mobility issues must be aware that seating is limited in the two energy efficient vehicles.
- We will have buttons to give away. Buttons must be handed out, never thrown into the crowd.
- The Parade disperses on Pacific for Vehicle traffic and on Beach Avenue for marchers.
- Your contact on Parade Day is Ellen Vaillancourt, cell 604.679.4309 or Lesley Matthews, cell 604.362.3419

#### What to Bring

- ☐ **Van PROUD** t-shirts from previous years!! Or dress in a pink or purple outfit of your choice
  - A full non-disposable water bottle
  - Wear sunscreen, sunglasses and a hat to beat the heat
  - Comfortable shoes

Thanks very much! We look forward to seeing you all.

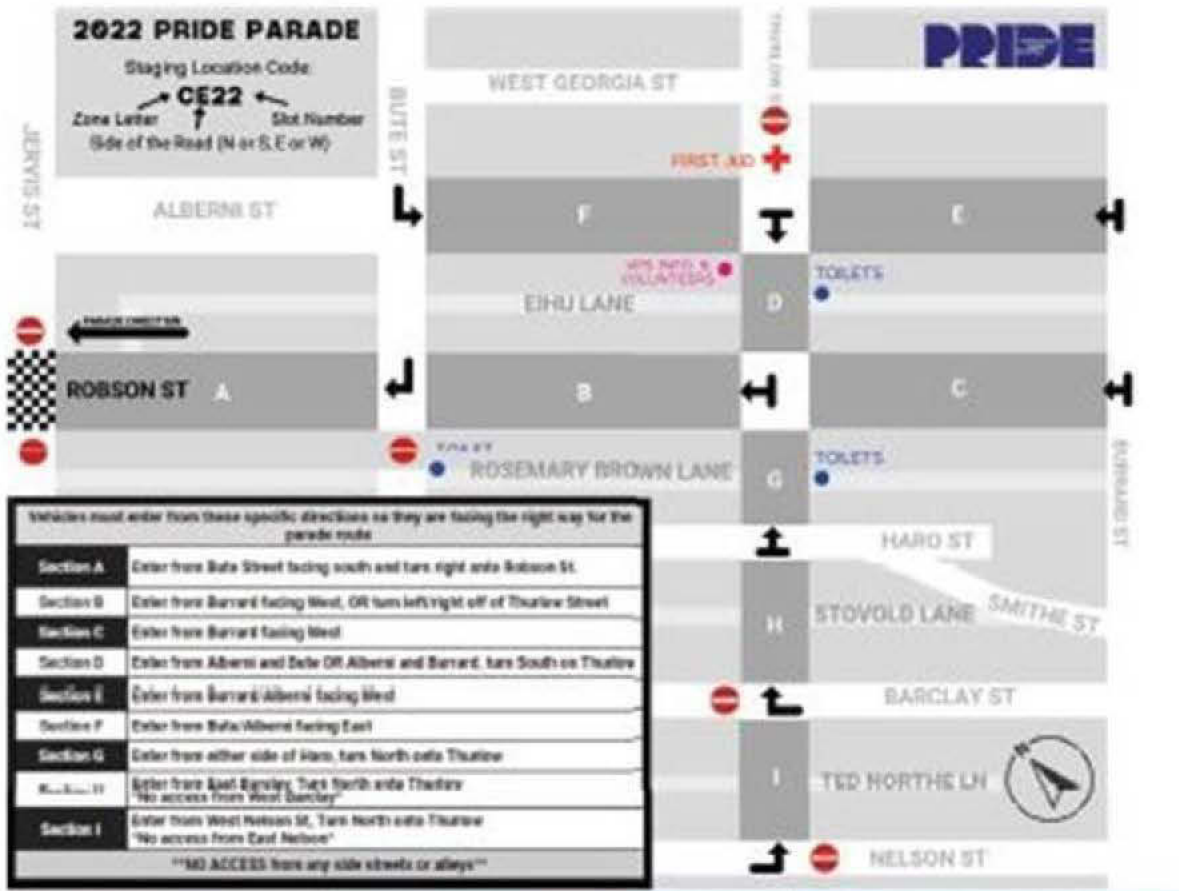
If you have any other questions don't hesitate to give Ellen Vaillancourt a call at 604. 679.4309 or email [ellen.vaillancourt@vancouver.ca](mailto:ellen.vaillancourt@vancouver.ca)

Happy Pride!

Best,  
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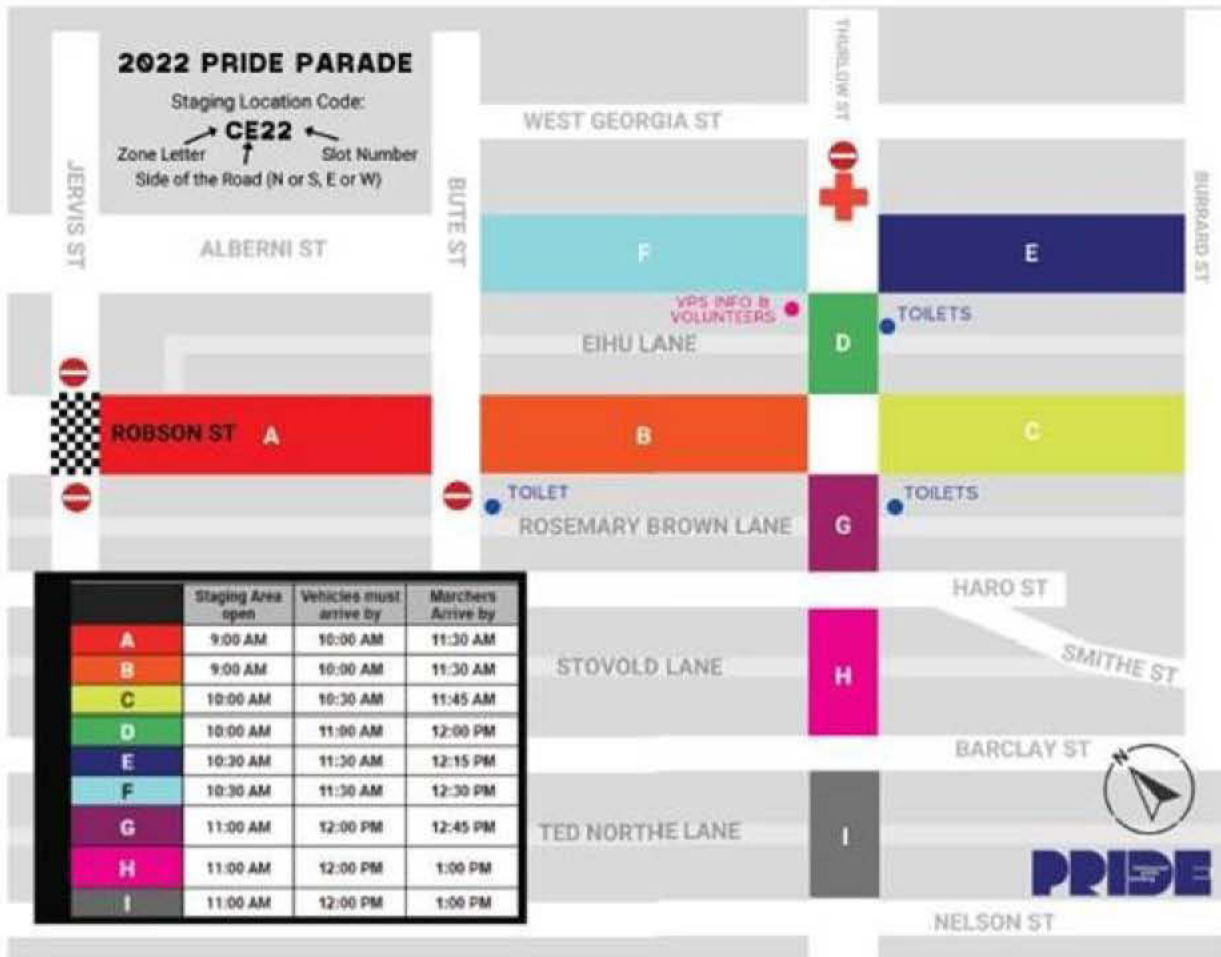
The City of Vancouver acknowledges that it is situated on the unceded traditional territories of the xʷməθθłəm (Musqueam), ḵwákwwə7mesh (Squamish), and səlilwətał (Tsleil-Waututh) Nations.



## 2022 PRIDE PARADE

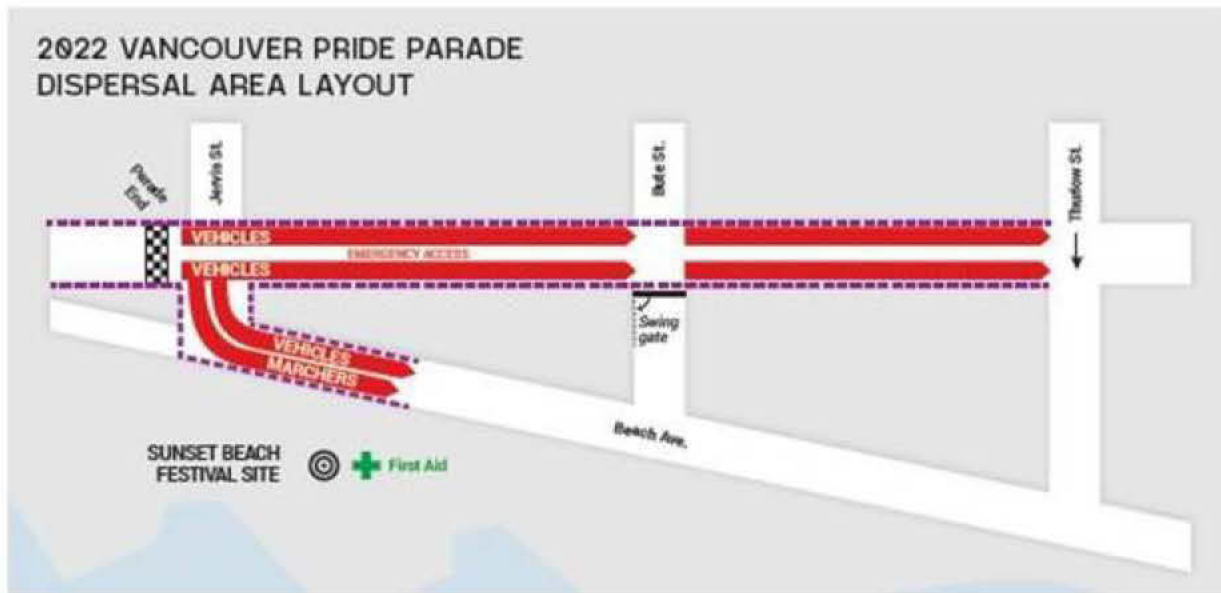
Staging Location Code:

Zone Letter → **CE22** ← Slot Number  
 Side of the Road (N or S, E or W)



Staging Area	Vehicles must arrive by	Marchers Arrive by
A	9:00 AM	11:30 AM
B	9:00 AM	11:30 AM
C	10:00 AM	11:45 AM
D	10:00 AM	12:00 PM
E	10:30 AM	12:15 PM
F	10:30 AM	12:30 PM
G	11:00 AM	12:45 PM
H	11:00 AM	1:00 PM
I	11:00 AM	1:00 PM

## 2022 VANCOUVER PRIDE PARADE DISPERSAL AREA LAYOUT



# 2022 VANCOUVER PRIDE PARADE

SUNDAY July 31st, 12pm

The Parade will be hot, hot, hot in more ways than one, so be prepared to guard yourself against the sun with sunscreen, a hat, and plenty of water.

Bring your loose change and watch for the toonie brigade as they move down the Parade route collecting Toonies for the Vancouver Pride Society. Please help keep Pride free by donating your spare change.

## LEGEND

-  PARADE ROUTE
-  STAGING / PARADE START
-  DISPERSAL / PARADE END
-  FIRE LANES
-  VOLUNTEER STATIONS
-  FIRST AID STATIONS
-  ACCESSIBILITY AREAS
-  MC STATIONS



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