Good evening Mayor and Councillor,

By way of a final update for the day, the event at Sunset is wrapping up. The organizers' program is scheduled to conclude at 8pm and work will commence immediately to break down and clean the site.

As of 7pm, the crowd had diminished to approximately 6000 from an estimated peak of 25k and was dispersing in an orderly manner.

From a public safety perspective, this year was a significant improvement over last year. There were 22 medical response incidents at Sunset with 9 transports to hospital. VPD and Park Board staff rescued one swimmer in the channel who was attempting to reach Vanier Park and ended up in distress.

There were no medical incidents at the VAG site and, in general, very limited numbers at that location. Robson Street was restored to traffic at 620pm.

We will debrief the City's plan and response to this event over the coming weeks. If you have any questions in the interim, please do not hesitate to contact me. Overall, the staff team involved in the preparation and management of the situation on the ground today, including VPD, Fire, Parks, Engineering, Comms and Emergency Management, did an excellent job.

Best,
Paul