

File No.: 04-1000-20-2018-125

March 27, 2018

s.22(1)

Dear s.22(1)

Re: **Request for Access to Records under the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (the "Act")**

I am responding to your request of March 1, 2018 for:

The cost of a variety of public events to the city, with a breakdown as to various departments, including but not limited to Policing, Fire & Rescue, Engineering, Emergency Management, and Parks and Recreation. If any civic costs for any event were paid by a third party, indicate the cost, and which party paid for them:

1. The 420 protest on April 20, 2017 at Sunset Beach
2. The 420 protest on April 20, 2017 at Art Gallery
3. The Cannabis Day protest on July 1, 2017, at Thornton Park
4. The July 9, 2017 Car Free Day on Commercial Drive
5. The June 18, 2017 Car Free Day on Main Street
6. The June 17 and 18, 2017 Car Free Days in Kitsilano
7. The June 17, 2017 Car Free Day on Denman
8. The August 6, 2017 Pride Parade and Sunset Beach Festival
9. ~~Any other Pride related or connected events in 2017~~
10. Cost of VPD participation in the 2017 Pride Parade
11. The August 5, 2017 Dyke March, including the Festival in Grandview Park
12. The annual policing cost of the Granville entertainment district in 2016 and 2017
13. The April 25 Weekend Concert at Rogers Arena in 2017
14. The July 26 and 27 Bruno Mars Concerts at the Rogers Arena in 2017
15. The September 1 Guns and Roses Concert at BC Place in 2017
16. The September 29 Coldplay Concert at BC Place in 2017
17. The October 28 Roger Waters Concert at Rogers Arena in 2017
18. The January 2, 2017 Canucks Game
19. The January 4, 2017 Canucks Game
20. The October 7, 2017 Canucks Game
21. The May 1, 2013 Canucks Game
22. The May 3, 2013 Canucks Game
23. The February 14, 2017 March for Missing and Murdered Women

24. The April 15 Vaisakhi Parade in 2017 and related events
25. The February 18, 2017 Trump Tower Protest
26. The January 21, 2017 Women's March
27. The August 19, 2017 protest and counter protest at City Hall
28. The June 15, 2016 Italian Day on Commercial Drive
29. The June 11, 2017 Italian Day on Commercial Drive

*please note the strike outs and bold font in this request reflects changes you agreed to.

After consulting with several departments regarding your request our assessment is that the request is simply too broad in scope for us to clearly identify all possible record sources and provide accurate responsive records. In fact we cannot clarify sufficiently, even with the consulted department's input to calculate an accurate fee estimate.

Therefore, as per section 5(1)(a) of FIPPA, we cannot undertake this request because the City has not been provided with sufficient detail to enable an experienced employee of the public body, with a reasonable effort, to identify the records sought. You can read or download this section here:

http://www.bclaws.ca/EPLibraries/bclaws_new/document/ID/freeside/96165_00

This file is considered closed.

Under section 52 of the Act you may ask the Information & Privacy Commissioner to review any matter related to the City's response to your request. The Act allows you 30 business days from the date you receive this notice to request a review by writing to: Office of the Information & Privacy Commissioner, info@oipc.bc.ca or by phoning 250-387-5629.

If you request a review, please provide the Commissioner's office with: 1) the request number assigned to your request (#04-1000-20-2018-125); 2) a copy of this letter; 3) a copy of your original request for information sent to the City of Vancouver; and 4) detailed reasons or grounds on which you are seeking the review.

Please do not hesitate to contact the Freedom of Information Office at foi@vancouver.ca if you have any questions.

Yours truly,



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