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	Connector

Greetings Mayor and Council,

April 4 marks the City's launch of public consultation to inform the design of new walking, rolling, and cycling facilities across Granville Bridge. There will also be opportunities for big, public space ideas such as community art, innovative seating, and lookout stations for scenic views.

Public consultation begins with an online survey open until May 10, a series of open houses from April 12-16, as well as various stakeholder workshops. The City will be seeking feedback on the proposed goals, how people use the bridge today, as well as aspirations for the kind of connection Granville Bridge could be.

To facilitate the conversation, outreach includes:

- Pedestrian signs installed on and around the bridge
- Changeable message boards installed on the bridge
- Print, digital, and radio advertising across Vancouver and the Lower Mainland to capture multilingual and regional audiences

The public conversation about the future of Granville Bridge will continue with another two phases of engagement this summer and fall. The public is invited to stay informed about the process and to sign up for the email newsletter to learn about upcoming workshops by visiting vancouver.ca/granvilleconnector.

An upcoming NR will be released.

Best, Sadhu

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