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Greetings Mayor and Council,

Today sees the launch of the City's new Renter Services grants, designed to support non-profit community-based programs that assist and empower Vancouver renters to understand their rights, pursue their rights, and/or secure their housing. Renter Services grants are intended to elevate and enhance, not simply maintain, an organization's capacity to support renters. Applications for Renters Services grants are open from today until Friday, October 11, 2019 and information is available on the website [here](#).

The fall is a busy time for those looking to secure rental housing and the City is reminding renters of their rights and protections and the support available through the City with an information bulletin being sent out today. This has details on:

- The renters Enquiry Line
- The new Tenant Relocation and Protection (TRP) Policy
- The City of Vancouver Renter Advocacy and Services Team

The aim of this is to remind people of the renter protections that are available at the City during back to school when a lot of students are moving into new housing.

Best,
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