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Dear Mayor and Council,

The 7th annual *Awards of Excellence* ceremony will take place on Monday, May 30th in the Exhibition Hall at the Roundhouse Community Arts and Recreation Centre from 5:30-8:00 pm. We have a full and entertaining program planned that the whole audience will enjoy. The final event itinerary and a list of award winners is attached for your reference and information.

Please arrive to the venue by 5:30 pm to enjoy the pre-ceremony reception. As members of Council, your role will be to host the award winners, their friends, family and supporters during the reception.

The pre-ceremony reception will take place from 5:30 and 6:30 pm. It is a stand-up reception with light canapés and beverages. Please note that non-alcoholic drinks will be provided at no cost, and a cash bar will be available to purchase wine and beer. Beer is \$7.50 and red/white wine is \$8.50 and can be paid for by credit and debit card.

The ceremony will begin at 6:30 pm and will include award presentations to 15 *Awards of Excellence* winners and the *Freedom of the City* award, plus entertainment by musical performers *Old Soul Rebel*.

As in past years, each Councillor will have a role in the ceremony. Please see the below list and the attached itinerary for an outline of your role. Councillors will be co-presenting with Mayor Stewart. Role allocations reflect the Deputy Mayor roster and the number of awards being presented in each category.

- **Councillor Boyle, Chair of Nomination Sub-Committee** – Brief remarks on behalf of the Nomination Sub-Committee
- **Councillor Carr** – co-presenter of the *Accessible City Award*
- **Councillor Bligh & Councillor Kirby-Yung** - co-presenters of the *Civic Volunteer Award*
- **Councillor Dominato & Councillor De Genova** - co-presenters of the *Diversity and Inclusion Award*
- **Councillor Fry & Councillor Hardwick** - co-presenters of the *Greenest City Leadership*
- **Councillor Wiebe & Councillor Swanson** - co-presenters of the *Healthy City for All Award*

As the MC for the ceremony, I will invite each of you up to the stage when it is your turn to co-present your assigned award with Mayor Stewart. You will all have reserved seats in the front row for easy access to the stage.

If you have any questions about your role in the ceremony or if you would like further information about the awards ceremony, please contact Bianca.Jones@vancouver.ca.

If you need to contact Bianca Jones on the day of the awards ceremony, please call her cell phone at **604-679-6527**.

Best,
Paul

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The City of Vancouver acknowledges that it is situated on the unceded traditional territories of the xʷməθkʷəy̓əm (Musqueam), Sḵwx̱wú7mesh (Squamish), and səlilwətaʔ (Tseil-Waututh) Nations.

PROTOCOL ITINERARY



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Event Itinerary Awards of Excellence

Event Date: Monday, May 30, 2022 – 5:30 – 8:00 PM

Location: Roundhouse Community Arts and Recreation Centre, Exhibition Hall

Contact: Bianca Jones, External Relations and Protocol: 604.679.6527

7th Annual Awards of Excellence	
5:00 pm	Mayor and Mayor's Achievement Award recipients to meet in Room B (Room booked 5-6pm)
5:30 pm	Award winners, nominees, guests and members of Council arrive for pre-ceremony reception Winner portraits begin with Mayor Stewart
6:15 pm	Emcee – Paul Mochrie, City Manager , announces that ceremony will begin in 15 minutes
6:25 pm	Emcee invites everyone to take seats
6:30 pm	Performance #1 – Old Soul Rebel – 2 songs
6:38 pm	Emcee welcomes guests
6:43 pm	Emcee introduces Councillor Boyle , Chair of Nomination Sub-Committee to deliver remarks on behalf of Nomination Sub-Committee Councillor Boyle delivers brief remarks
6:45 pm	Emcee introduces <i>Mayor's Achievement Award</i> Mayor Stewart introduces and presents 1 award (organization)
6:55 pm	Emcee introduces <i>Accessible City Award</i>

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	<p>Mayor Kennedy Stewart and Councillor Adriane Carr co-present 2 awards (individual + organization) on stage</p>
7:05pm	<p>Emcee introduces <i>Civic Volunteer Award</i></p> <p>Mayor Stewart and Councillor Bligh + Councillor Kirby-Yung co-present 3 awards (youth + adult + organization) on stage</p>
7:15pm	<p>Emcee introduces <i>Diversity and Inclusion Award</i></p> <p>Mayor Stewart and Councillor Dominato + Councillor Melissa De Genova co-present 2 awards (youth + adult + organization)</p>
7:20pm	<p>Emcee invites Mayor Stewart to present <i>Freedom of the City</i></p> <p>Mayor Stewart presents Freedom of the City to Mr. Yosef Wosk</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mayor invites Mr. Wosk on stage• Mayor reads scroll• Mayor pins Mr. Wosk with Freedom Medal• Mayor and Mr. Wosk sign Book of Freedoms
7:25pm	<p>Mr. Wosk delivers acceptance remarks to audience</p>
7:30pm	<p>Performance #2 - Old Soul Rebel – 2 songs</p>
7:40pm	<p>Emcee introduces <i>Greenest City Leadership Award</i></p> <p>Mayor Kennedy Stewart and Councillor Pete Fry + Councillor Colleen Hardwick co-present 3 awards (youth, adult + organization) on stage</p>
7:50pm	<p>Emcee introduces <i>Healthy City for All Award</i></p> <p>Mayor Kennedy Stewart and Councillor Michael Wiebe + Councillor Jean Swanson co-present 3 awards (youth, adult + organization) on stage.</p>
8:00pm	<p>Emcee to conclude program, thank nominators + congratulate winners Event concludes</p>

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2022 Awards of Excellence

Recipient List

Accessible City Award:

- Organization - Dragon Boat BC
- Individual - Spencer van Vloten

Civic Volunteer Award:

- Organization - Marpole Mutual Aid Network
- Individual - Annie Danilko
- Youth - Liam Atticus Wong

Diversity and Inclusion Award:

- Organization - Dr. Sun Yat-Sen Garden Society of Vancouver
- Individual - Jerty Fernandez Gaa
- Youth - Khatira Daryabi

Greenest City Leadership Award:

- Organization - St. George Rainway Project
- Individual - Sarah Yang
- Youth - Rachel Dong

Healthy City for All Award:

- Organization - Jewish Family Services "The Kitchen"
- Individual - Darrell Burnham
- Youth - Otis Yuen

Mayor's Achievement Award:

- Organization - Peer Overdose Responders