

File No.: 04-1000-20-2022-629

January 23, 2023

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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 December 8, 2022 under the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (the Act)* for:

Regarding the June 17, 2022 ceremony to announce the name of the new park at Smithe and Richards, s̓əqəlxenəm ts'exwts'áxwi7 (Rainbow Park), and related hospitality reception, a record of the script and production plan, and a list of all purchases of goods and services around the event, including, but not limited to, appearance fees for speakers and performers, catering of food and beverages, gifts and commemorative items, and audio, visual, webcast, video and photography services. (In that list of goods and services providers, please include the name of the suppliers, the values of contracts and contract number.) Date range: April 17, 2022 to July 7, 2022.

All responsive records are attached. Some information in the records has been severed (blacked out) under s.17(1) of the Act. You can read or download this section here: http://www.bclaws.ca/EPLibraries/bclaws_new/document/ID/freeside/96165_00.

Please note, the Decolonization, Arts, and Culture department confirmed there are no contract numbers because they are not assigned in the purchasing system used by staff. Additionally, there were no speaking notes prepared for Park Board staff in following with Indigenous customs.

Under section 52 of the Act, and within 30 business days of receipt of this letter, you may ask the Information & Privacy Commissioner to review any matter related to the City's response to your FOI request 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 (#04-1000-20-2022-629); 2) a copy of this letter; 3) a copy of your original request; and 4) detailed reasons why you are seeking the review.

Yours truly,

[Signed by Cobi Falconer]

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If you have any questions, please email us at foi@vancouver.ca and we will respond to you as soon as possible. Or you can call the FOI Case Manager at 604-871-6584.

Encl. (Response Package)

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sθaqalxenam ts'exwts'áxwi7 Naming Ceremony Expenses

Good or Service	Service Provider	Rate	Quantity	Cost*	Notes
Event photography	Jon Ross Photography	\$ 3,250.00	1	\$3,250.00	
Stage Management	Stephen Adams	\$ 20.00	40	\$800.00	
Catering fee	Salishan Catering	\$ 25.00	175	\$4,375.00	Lunch, incl delivery, service fee & gratuity
Coffee/tea/cookies	Kafka's	\$ 10.00	160	\$1,154.00	
Portable Toilets	Super Save	s.17(1)		\$230.00	COV corporate rate
Recycling & Organics bins	City Waste Services	\$ 10.00	4	\$40.00	Recycling & Organics bins
Garbage bins	City Waste Services	\$ 15.00	2	\$30.00	Garbage bins
Event Signage	Print Shop	\$ 50.00	6	\$300.00	Podium, Parking, Event, etc.
Gifts	VanPrint	\$ 18.50	10	\$185.00	18x24 art prints
Attendee gifts	VanPrint	\$ 0.40	300	\$120.00	5x7 Postcards for gift
Gifts	Opus	\$ 104.20	10	\$989.90	Frames for art prints
Attendee gifts	Six Cent Press Inc.	\$ 34.72	1	\$34.72	Button supplies for gift
Attendee gifts	Rain Coast Print Shop	\$ 10.99	300	\$3,297.00	Tote bags for gift
Attendee gifts	Rain Coast Print Shop	\$ 33.60	1	\$33.60	Shipping
Stage Production	Rumble Productions	\$ 25.00	8	\$200.00	Audio technician
Stage Production	Rumble Productions	\$ 350.00	1	\$350.00	Delivery & pickup, set-up/ strike crew
Stage Production	Rumble Productions	\$ 100.00	1	\$100.00	Audio gear
Stage Production	Rumble Productions	\$ -	1	\$0.00	10 x 20 tent
Stage Production	Rumble Productions			\$97.50	15% maintenance fee
Parking	Easy Park	\$ 18.86	50	\$943.00	Parking Lot stalls, Robson St
Parking	COV Engineering	\$ 351.80	1	\$351.80	8 Street Parking Meters
Parking	Impark	\$ 14.00	5	\$ 70.00	Parking Lot stalls, Richards St
Ceremonial items and expenses	Musqueam Indian Band	\$2,180.00	1	\$2,180.00	Honoraria, ceremonial items
Ceremonial items and expenses	Squamish Nation	\$2,155.00	1	\$2,155.00	Honoraria, ceremonial items
Ceremonial items and expenses	Tsleil-Waututh Nation	\$2,365.00	1	\$2,365.00	Honoraria, ceremonial items

*most totals before tax, unless noted

PARK NAMING TIMELINE & PARTICIPANTS

OVERVIEW

Event: Park Name Unveiling

Event Date: Friday, June 17, 2022

Event time: 10:30am, ceremony from 11am to 1:30pm approx., ends at 2:30pm

Event location & Meeting Point: Plaza in Park (at Smithe and Richards Streets)

DRAFT EVENT TIMELINE

Time of Day:	Duration:	Description:
10:30	25 mins	Dignitaries and honoured guests arrive and meet at Park
10:45	15 mins	Nation floor managers prepare ceremonial items
10:55	5 mins	MC Donnie Rosa – settle the crowd and invite people to sit Family should be gathered with quarter bags (in a line, at the front)
11:00		CEREMONY BEGINS
11:00-11:10	10 mins	Family to cover 3 main Speakers from each Nation – follow with payout k ^w əlasəltən Swo-wo kwetsím -Gabe George
11:10-11:20	10 mins	Welcome to the territories by 3 Nation speakers, 2 works, explain protocols – not filmed or photographed
11:20-11:35	15 mins	Speakers call 1 witness from their Nation (Musqueam calls PB witness) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Witness from Musqueam Indian Band – Larry Grant • Witness from Squamish Nation - TBC • Witness from Tsleil-Waututh Nation – Chief Jen Thomas • Witness from Park Board – Chair Stuart Mackinnon Witnesses stand when their name is called and family walks to them to quarter
11:35-11:50	15 mins	Speakers call forward drummers from their Nations Drummers are blanketed by family Family follows with payout
11:50-11:55	5 mins	Musqueam Song
11:55-12:10	15 mins	The Speakers announce the 2 indigenous names, their meaning and importance
12:10-12:30	20 mins	Honouring of 3 Artists Speakers to call 2 women from their Nation to lay blankets on the floor for the artists to stand on. -When blankets are laid, Family follows with quarters Speakers call 1 person from their nation to bring artists forward and blankets Family follows with quarters (to the person who brought artist) Speakers announce artists and thank them for their work Gifting of framed prints to artists
12:30-12:35	5 mins	Squamish Song
12:35-13:05	30 mins	Witnesses to Speak (Musqueam, Squamish, Tsleil-Waututh, Park Board)

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13:05-13:10	5 mins	Speaker to announce importance of “gifting” and note special Gifting of framed prints to Nations, language keepers, and Kamala Todd (Swo-wo) Family hands out giveaways to all invited guests
13:10		THIS COMPLETES THE WORK
13:10-13:15	5 mins	MC thanks speakers and everyone, significance, invites people to collect lunch – Elders and people with health needs first
13:15-13:20	5 mins	Tsleil-Waututh Song (table song)
13:30-14:00	30 mins	Opportunity for media engagement/scrum