

**ORIENTATION SESSION  
GASTOWN HISTORIC AREA PLANNING COMMITTEE  
AGENDA**

DATE: Wednesday, June 15, 2022  
TIME: 4:00 pm  
PLACE: WebEx Events

***Please call 604-873-7056 if you are unable to attend this meeting.***

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**1. Introduction 4 - 4:15PM**

**2. Adoption of Agenda and Minutes 4:15 - 4:20PM**

Proposed meeting agenda and Minutes of December 15, 2021 to be adopted.

**3. Standards & Guidelines Primer 4:20 - 4:45PM**

Staff will present an overview of the Standards & Guidelines, and provide advice on its application. This document, together with Heritage Policies and Vancouver Heritage Program represents the key reference point for the purpose of heritage-focused advisory bodies and their engagement in heritage review of various projects and policies.

**4. Vancouver Heritage Register Upgrade Project 4:45 - 5:15PM**

The Vancouver Heritage Register (VHR), is an official listing of properties identified as having heritage value or character. The VHR, adopted in 1986, primarily reflects colonial, settler-oriented narratives of history, and does not reflect the broad and diverse range of the city's heritage values.

In 2020, Council adopted the Vancouver Heritage Program with its vision, goals and direction. The purpose of this work is to upgrade the VHR to more closely reflect the Vancouver Heritage Program, to be able to identify, embrace, and celebrate a broad range of places with social, cultural and historic values, based on principles of reconciliation, diversity and equity. Staff will present an overview of the Vancouver Heritage Register, project timelines and draft guiding principles for feedback and comment.

**Issues:**

- Sensitivity to the local context, and engagement with neighbourhood.
- Support for the public art installation.

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**Attachments:** [Vancouver Heritage Register](#)

**5. New Business 5:15 - 5:30PM**

**6. Next meeting**

**DATE: July 20, 2022  
TIME: 4:00 pm  
PLACE: WebEx Events**