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Dear Mayor and Council,

Please see the attached memo from Maria Pontikis. The memo summarizes in brief the public engagement projects scheduled within City departments for Q1 of 2023, and their planned dates in field.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Maria Pontikis at [maria.pontikis@vancouver.ca](mailto:maria.pontikis@vancouver.ca) or 604.218.6319.

Best,  
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**MEMORANDUM**

January 16, 2023

TO: Mayor and Council

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FROM: Maria Pontikis  
Chief Communications Officer

SUBJECT: Q1 2023 public engagement schedule

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Dear Mayor and Council,

The purpose of this memo is provide a high-level overview of upcoming City-led public engagement projects in Q1 2023, excluding stakeholder-facing engagement activities.

Following an extended engagement "quiet period" leading up to and during the election, the City is resuming public engagement activities on a range of topics, including a mix of citywide and localized or focused initiatives. Each week, we will be introducing a new project on the City's public engagement portal, Shape Your City ([shapeyourcity.ca](http://shapeyourcity.ca)). Generally, projects are actively open for input for three to four weeks from their launch date.

Key themes for the upcoming quarter include housing, community planning and neighbourhood-

level transportation improvements. Notably, there are also a number of projects connected to West End Community Plan implementation, which are purposely grouped together in March.

The below chart is meant to offer an approximation of engagement timelines for Q1; exact dates for each project will be confirmed closer to the launch date.

<b>Week of</b>	<b>Project</b>	<b>Description</b>
Jan. 2	2023 Budget (FRS with CEC)	Seeking input on top spending priorities and ideas for balancing the City's operating budget. Includes third-party Civic Satisfaction market research survey.
Jan. 16	Rupert Renfrew Station Area Plan (PDS)	Second phase of engagement on new community plan for the area around Rupert and Renfrew SkyTrain stations, exploring opportunities related to housing and other land use options, transportation and Still Creek access.
Jan. 23	Extension of 100% Secured Rental and Below-Market Housing in Burrard Corridor (PDS)	Consultation on making the interim rezoning policy for the West End's Burrard Corridor permanent, to allow for 100% rental and a minimum of 20% below-market rental housing.
Jan. 30	Missing Middle Housing (Multiplexes and RS Zone Simplification) (PDS)	Seeking feedback on emerging directions for the addition of missing middle housing (specifically multiplexes in low-density neighbourhoods) and on changes to simplify and improve regulations for existing housing options.
Feb. 6	Kits Point Transportation Changes (ENG)	Neighbourhood-level consultation on proposed multi-modal transportation changes on Greer Ave, Chestnut St and Cypress St, which the City is responsible for delivering as part of the Services Agreement with the Squamish Nation.
Feb. 13	False Creek North Option Sites (PDS)	CONFIDENTIAL: Seeking feedback on a proposed Official Development Plan (ODP) amendment and rezoning process for three sites in the False Creek North area, which will be used to deliver 670+ social housing units on three of the option sites.
Feb. 20	Mountain View Cemetery (ACCS)	Localized consultation on redesign plans for cemetery perimeter, including changes to pedestrian entrances.
Feb. 27	Hastings-Sunrise Traffic Calming (ENG)	Seeking input on traffic calming opportunities in the Hastings-Sunrise neighbourhood, where a number of small streets currently experience high vehicle volumes and speeds due to shortcutting.
Mar. 6	Redress for the Historical Discrimination Against People of South Asian Descent (ACCS)	Facilitating opportunities for South Asian communities to share lived experiences related to discrimination and racism, and suggest actions within the City's jurisdiction for redress.
	Jericho Lands (PDS)	Introducing a new concept for the 90-acre area and seeing feedback on housing, retail and employment space, childcare space, cultural and heritage assets, new parks and other community amenities. Planning program is being developed at the request of the landowners, a joint venture partnership

		between the MST Partnership and the Canada Lands Company.
Mar. 13	Seniors Housing Strategy (PDS)	Seeking deeper understanding of seniors' housing needs, and input on specific design guidelines, recommendations and strategic actions.
Mar. 27	West End Transportation and Public Space and Bute Greenway (ENG)	Seeking input on implementation of transportation and public space projects outlined in the West End Community Plan, including design elements for the Bute Greenway (second phase of engagement).

For additional context, engagement is typically led by project teams within each department with support from Civic Engagement and Communications. A summary of engagement findings will be shared with Council by way of Council reports produced by each department.

Should you have any questions, please contact me and/or the representing General Manager for project-specific enquiries.

Best,



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