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To: "Direct to Mayor and Council - DL"

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Subject: Upcoming Vancouver Art Gallery Groundbreaking: important details (Sept. 15, 2023)

Dear Mayor and Council,

Below are event specifics for the Vancouver Art Gallery groundbreaking ceremony, scheduled for September 15, 2023.

Event: Vancouver Art Gallery ground-breaking

When: September 15, 8:30-11 am

Arrival: 8:20 am

Where: 181West Georgia Street, currently an Easy Park parking lot

Run of show:

8:30-8:50 am shovel in ground photos with government officials

9:00am ceremony begins, drumming, Elder welcome, and speakers including Premier David Eby, Honourable Hedy Fry, Minister Lana Popham, Mayor Sim,

and other dignitaries

11 am ceremony ends

Note: security for the event will be tightly controlled, please have Councillor Assistants advise Ali Siemens (<u>Ali.Siemens@vancouver.ca</u>) if the Mayor or Councillors are bringing additional people with them. RSVPs can also be sent to **Ali prior to September 11, 2023 at 4 pm**.

Best, Paul

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