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Good afternoon Mayor and Council,

To close out the week, I am happy to share some great validation regarding one of our recent planning initiatives – the Broadway Plan was awarded the “*International Planning Excellence Award*” by the Royal Town Planning Institute (RTPI) in London on November 21.

For those not familiar with the organization, the RTPI is the international professional body for town planners with over 27,000 members in 88 countries. See here for information about the RTPI awards: [https://www.rtpi.org.uk/media/16147/ape\\_winners23\\_linked-2.pdf](https://www.rtpi.org.uk/media/16147/ape_winners23_linked-2.pdf)

I’m pleased to share a quote from the panel of judges that highlights their overall impressions of the Plan: “*The Broadway Plan is a truly impressive project. Judges were particularly impressed by their commitment to reduce overall gas emissions, their community engagement, their innovative approaches towards affordable housing provision and their timely Plan preparation.*”

While the work was led by Planning, Urban Design and Sustainability, many people across the City and Park Board contributed to the Broadway Plan. This was very much an inter-departmental effort that will have a significant impact in shaping Vancouver’s evolution over the coming decades.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to reach out to Doug.

Best,  
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