

File No.: 04-1000-20-2023-645

October 26, 2023

s.22(1)

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 October 18, 2023 under the ***Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act*** for:

Record of internal correspondence, directives, or City planning documents related to the removal of benches beside Main Street-Science World on the morning of October 18, 2023. Date range: October 1, 2023 to October 17, 2023.

We have completed the search for responsive records for this request and no responsive records have been located. Searches were conducted in the following departments and work areas: Board of Parks and Recreation – Building and Structures Maintenance, Data Management and Park Development, Real Estate, Environment and Facilities Management – Work Control Centre Operations, and Engineering Services – Street Activities (Street Furniture Team). Additionally, the Street Furniture team reviewed the City's bench inventory and connected with the above Park Board staff and TransLink, and found no information about benches being removed in the specified area.

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 (#04-1000-20-2023-645); 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. Alternatively, you can call the FOI Case Manager at 604-871-6584.

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