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Subject: M&C Invitation: Virtual Gastown Tech Brief & Media Avail (Feb. 29, 2024)

Dear Mayor & Council,

On Thursday, February 29, the City will be holding a virtual technical briefing on Gastown for interested media. It will focus on upcoming construction including repairs to Maple Tree Square, the Water Street Pedestrian Zone Pilot and related traffic changes in the area. Following the briefing, we are offering an in-person opportunity for media to clip electeds and City spokespeople onsite in Gastown.

We welcome Mayor and Council to virtually attend and observe the **tech briefing at 10:30 am on Teams**. A link will be shared next week. The **media availability will take place from 12:30-1:30 pm**, at Maple Tree Square, rain or shine.

If you would like to join the in-person media availability, please email media@vancouver.ca by Monday, February 26 at 4 pm so we can prepare and ensure you are supported on-site by staff.

Best, Paul

Paul Mochrie (he/him) City Manager City of Vancouver



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