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To: **"Direct to Mayor and Council - DL"**
Date: 2024-04-02 6:14:05 PM
Subject: RE: TDOPS Relocation Update - April 2, 2024

Hello Mayor and Council,

Please treat this as confidential until tomorrow morning's information bulletin.

Thank you,

Sandra

From: Singh, Sandra
Sent: Tuesday, April 2, 2024 6:08 PM
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Cc: City Manager's Correspondence Group - DL <CMCG@vancouver.ca>; Wittgens, Margaret <Margaret.Wittgens@vancouver.ca>
Subject: TDOPS Relocation Update - April 2, 2024

Good evening Mayor and Council,

Further to Friday's update below, I am writing to share the latest information we have from VCH regarding the status of the TDOPS:

- VCH has confirmed a new OPS location on the east side of the 1000 block of Howe Street behind a building operated by a nonprofit housing operator.
- The OPS will be operating outdoors in covered tents in an elevated parking lot and will not be visible from street level.
- Extra security is being added to ensure access to the site is secure after hours.
- VCH will monitor on an ongoing basis to identify and address emergent issues.
- Raincity in partnership with housing operator will operate the site.
- It is planned to be open on April 3 with shortened hours, due to ongoing set up of the site.
- VCH will issue an information bulletin tomorrow morning with the address and will also respond to related media inquiries.

We will also be setting up a regular meeting with VCH, Raincity, the housing operator, ACCS, and VPD to discuss ongoing operations so we can work together to support the successful operations of this site.

Thank you,

Sandra

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From: Singh, Sandra

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Subject: TDOPS Relocation Update

Hello Mayor and Council

I am writing to share the latest information we have from VCH regarding the status of the TDOPS, given that operation at 1101 Seymour will end on March 31, 2023.

- VCH has been working to confirm a new site for the OPS.
 - A location has not yet been shared with City staff; we understand that confirmation is imminent and would enable operation by April 3.
- In the interim, VCH has requested the City enable a two day on-street mobile OPS on the north side of the 600 block of Helmcken at Seymour between 12:30pm and 7:30pm on April 1 and April 2, which has been accommodated.

We are anticipating an update from VCH on April 2, and staff will provide more information to Mayor and Council as it becomes available from VCH on April 2.

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