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To: "Direct to Mayor and Council"

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Subject: Mayor & Council invitation: Event marking completion of Canyon Creek daylighting work

Dear Mayor and Council,

You are invited to join Park Board staff and Commissioners to mark the completion of daylighting work at Canyon Creek in Spanish Banks Beach Park on Thursday, June 12, from 11 am – 12:30 pm.

We recognize that some of you may be attending other events at this time.

Natural infrastructure improvements to Canyon Creek in Spanish Banks Beach Park will create naturalized habitats, strengthen climate resilience, and enhance public access to nature following **an investment of \$992,800 from the federal government through the Natural Infrastructure Fund.**

The City provided support for the project through the preparation and submission of the Infrastructure Canada funding application.

Attendees will have the opportunity to learn more about the project from Park Board staff and explore the revitalized site, which features the daylighted creek, 0.4 hectares of new habitat for bird, aquatic and pollinator species and a rerouted multi-use path with access to a new viewing deck.

Speakers include Park Board Chair, Laura Christensen, and Canyon Creek Project Manager, Francisca Olaya Nieto. A land acknowledgement will be given by Shane Pointe, Musqueam Nation.

DATE: Thursday, June 12

TIME: 11 am – 12:30 pm

ADDRESS: Spanish Banks West Extension Park, Vancouver, BC (exact location [here](#))

Speeches will begin at 11:05 am.

Note: Please be advised this event will be photographed and media will be invited. Parking will be available in [Spanish Banks West Parking Lot A](#).

Please RSVP to: pb.communications@vancouver.ca by EOD Wednesday, June 11.

Best,
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