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To: ["Direct to Mayor and Council"](#)
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Subject: LOCATION CHANGE: Mayor & Council Invitation: FWC26 Vancouver Media Presser: FIFA Fan Festival Vancouver™ update

Dear Mayor and Council,

There is a location change for tomorrow's planned FIFA Fan Festival™ media event hosted by the City of Vancouver and Province of B.C

Date:
Tuesday, March 17, 2026

Time: 10:30 to 10:45 am PST
(arrivals at 10:10 am)

Location: City Hall Media Studio, Main floor of City Hall (due to the weather)

Speakers: Ken Sim, Mayor of Vancouver

The Honourable Anne Kang, B.C. Minister of Tourism, Arts, Culture and Sport

MC: Councillor Mike Klassen, PNE Board Chair

About

This media event will be an opportunity to share information about an exciting update on access to the FIFA Fan Festival™.

The FIFA Fan Festival™ will be Vancouver's biggest watch party and the best place to cheer on live World Cup action outside of BC Place Vancouver. Between June 11 and July 19, 2026, the FIFA Fan Festival™ will transform the Pacific National Exhibition (PNE) for 28 memorable days into a FIFA World Cup hub with live match viewing and soccer experiences.

Please RSVP to media@vancouver.ca

Thanks,

Donny

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