

File No.: 2026-137

April 28, 2026

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 February 10, 2026 under the ***Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act*** for:

A record of correspondence from the Transportation Design Branch that reflects when and why the Granville Street Bridge Prevention Fencing Conceptual Design was delayed. Date range: July 9, 2024 to February 9, 2026.

All responsive records are attached. Some information in the records has been severed (blacked out) under s.12(3)(b), s.13(1), s.15(1)(l), s.17(1), and s.22(1) of the Act. You can read or download these sections here:

http://www.bclaws.ca/EPLibraries/bclaws_new/document/ID/freeside/96165_00.

In camera decisions and reports are released when they are no longer considered sensitive. Released in camera items may be viewed online here: <https://vancouver.ca/your-government/city-council-meetings-and-decisions.aspx>.

Effective May 25, 2010, the City of Vancouver implemented new templates and procedures for the proactive release of in camera information deemed no longer sensitive. These procedures were requested by Council at the June 18, 2009, Standing Committee on City Services and Budgets meeting, following recommendations from a legal expert on improving the handling of confidential information.

Under Part 5 of the Act, 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 (2026-137); 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,

Kevin Tuerlings, FOI Case Manager, for

[Signed by Kevin Tuerlings]

Siân Madsen, MA, MAS
Acting Director, Access to Information & Privacy

If you have any questions, please email us at foi@vancouver.ca and we will respond to you as soon as possible. You may also contact 3-1-1 (604-873-7000) if you require accommodation or do not have access to email.

Encl. (Response package)

:pm

From: "Darwent, Christopher" <Christopher.Darwent@vancouver.ca>
To: "Chua, Stephanie" <Stephanie.Chua@vancouver.ca>
Date: 11/3/2025 9:55:00 AM
Subject: RE: Granville Bridge Means Prevention Fencing
Attachments: ENG - SDE - STRUC - Bridge - Granville - Means Prevention Fencing Preliminary Design RFP Outline - 2024-08-19_CJ Edit.docx

Hi Stephanie,

Thanks for reaching out.

At this time, we have put together a draft scope of work (attached) for an RFP and are in the shopping cart process to get a buyer assigned. We were a bit delayed in the shopping cart process since we needed to get a quarterly budget adjustment approved by Council to free up all the necessary funding; we've got budget approval now, so the shopping car approval is imminent.

Internally, we are working with Justin Li and Natalia Myles. We have shared the draft scope of work with Granville Island staff (Sebastian Lipka) and would plan to do so one more time prior to releasing it (likely the biggest changes would be to the timeline, which needs a reset).

If you see a lot of overlap with your work, please set a meeting to go through (and include Justin Li).

Thanks,

Chris

From: Chua, Stephanie
Sent: Monday, November 3, 2025 8:12 AM
To: Darwent, Christopher
Subject: Granville Bridge Means Prevention Fencing

Hi Chris,

Hope you had a good weekend. Neal mentioned that your team is working on Granville Bridge Means Prevention Fencing. I am currently working on the Granville Bridge Agreement with CMHC-GI, and I'm hoping to understand how your project fits with, or may affect, this Agreement.

Could you share the current status, scope, and any other relevant details about the project? I'm happy to set up a chat if that's easier.

Looking forward to hearing from you.

Thanks,
Stephanie

Stephanie Chua, P.Eng., MBA
stephanie.chua@vancouver.ca

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From: "Darwent, Christopher" <Christopher.Darwent@vancouver.ca>
To: "Li, Justin" <Justin.Li@vancouver.ca>
"Farnden, Michael" <Michael.Farnden@vancouver.ca>
Date: 9/24/2025 9:59:00 AM
Subject: RE: 2025 Q3 Budget Adjustment 2026 Capital Budget Process

Thanks Justin – Understood regarding the charges.

From: Li, Justin
Sent: Wednesday, September 24, 2025 9:59 AM
To: Darwent, Christopher ; Farnden, Michael
Subject: RE: 2025 Q3 Budget Adjustment 2026 Capital Budget Process

Hi Chris,

CEB-00041-ZZ for purpose of shopping cart creation only.

There is currently 150k APR in CEB-00050-BB so all actual charges should go in there. Anticipate this will be more than enough for 2025.

@Farnden, Michael: This is just a temporary spot. No charges should be necessary in here.

Regards,

Justin Li, P.Eng.
Structures Section Head (Acting), Streets Design
Engineering Services, City of Vancouver
320 - 507 W Broadway, Vancouver, V5Z 0B4
t: 604.871.6930 | cell: s.15(1)(l) | e: justin.li@vancouver.ca

From: Darwent, Christopher <Christopher.Darwent@vancouver.ca>
Sent: Tuesday, September 23, 2025 3:17 PM
To: Li, Justin <Justin.Li@vancouver.ca>; King, Randy <randy.king@vancouver.ca>
Cc: Farnden, Michael <Michael.Farnden@vancouver.ca>
Subject: RE: 2025 Q3 Budget Adjustment 2026 Capital Budget Process

Thanks Justin – Can I also get the same under CEB-41?

From: Li, Justin <Justin.Li@vancouver.ca>
Sent: Tuesday, September 23, 2025 3:06 PM
To: King, Randy <randy.king@vancouver.ca>
Cc: Farnden, Michael <Michael.Farnden@vancouver.ca>; Darwent, Christopher <Christopher.Darwent@vancouver.ca>
Subject: RE: 2025 Q3 Budget Adjustment 2026 Capital Budget Process

Thanks Randy!

Chris, you can create a network under -BB

Regards,

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From: King, Randy <randy.king@vancouver.ca>
Sent: Tuesday, September 23, 2025 3:05 PM
To: Li, Justin <Justin.Li@vancouver.ca>
Cc: Farnden, Michael <Michael.Farnden@vancouver.ca>; Darwent, Christopher <Christopher.Darwent@vancouver.ca>
Subject: RE: 2025 Q3 Budget Adjustment 2026 Capital Budget Process

Done. WBSs created.

From: Li, Justin <Justin.Li@vancouver.ca>
Sent: Tuesday, September 23, 2025 1:51 PM
To: King, Randy <randy.king@vancouver.ca>
Cc: Farnden, Michael <Michael.Farnden@vancouver.ca>; Darwent, Christopher <Christopher.Darwent@vancouver.ca>
Subject: RE: 2025 Q3 Budget Adjustment 2026 Capital Budget Process

Hi Randy,

Would you be able to create WBS structure under CEB-00050 as per table below?

CEB-00050-AA	Internal Staffing
CEB-00050-BB	External Consulting
CEB-00050-CC	Misc Soft Costs
CEB-00050-DD	Internal Crew Construction
CEB-00050-EE	External Contractors
CEB-00050-FF	Misc Hard Costs

Regards,

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From: Darwent, Christopher <Christopher.Darwent@vancouver.ca>
Sent: Friday, September 19, 2025 3:35 PM
To: Li, Justin <Justin.Li@vancouver.ca>
Cc: Farnden, Michael <Michael.Farnden@vancouver.ca>
Subject: RE: 2025 Q3 Budget Adjustment 2026 Capital Budget Process

Hi Justin – Could you make supporting networks under these? I keep getting stuck trying to get the shopping cart through.

From: Li, Justin <Justin.Li@vancouver.ca>

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 3:24 PM
To: Darwent, Christopher <Christopher.Darwent@vancouver.ca>
Cc: Farnden, Michael <Michael.Farnden@vancouver.ca>
Subject: RE: 2025 Q3 Budget Adjustment 2026 Capital Budget Process

Hi Chris,

We can float the additional s.17(1) that will eventually be added to CEB-00050 budget via October's quarterly adjustment. For purpose of submitting shopping cart please use breakdown as follows:

- CEB-00050: s.17(1)
- CEB-00041: s.17(1)

Regards,

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From: Li, Justin
Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 2:52 PM
To: Sancheti, Priyanka <Priyanka.Sancheti@vancouver.ca>
Cc: Darwent, Christopher <Christopher.Darwent@vancouver.ca>
Subject: RE: 2025 Q3 Budget Adjustment 2026 Capital Budget Process

Hi Priyanka,

I think some adjustments need to be made to the Granville Bridge Means Prevention (CEB-00050) line. Could you please double check?

s.13(1), s.17(1)

Jason and Michael email you any adjustments needed for the 2025 MRN Structures agreements before the Aug 15 deadline. s.22(1)

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Regards,

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From: Sancheti, Priyanka <Priyanka.Sancheti@vancouver.ca>

Sent: Thursday, July 24, 2025 4:10 PM

To: Epa, Duminda <Duminda.Epa@vancouver.ca>; Bethell, Jason <jason.bethell@vancouver.ca>; Thangapandy, Abraham <Abraham.Thangapandy@vancouver.ca>; McFarland, Ross <Ross.McFarland@vancouver.ca>; Kauffmann, Otto <otto.kauffmann@vancouver.ca>; Myles, Natalia <Natalia.Myles@vancouver.ca>; Li, Justin <Justin.Li@vancouver.ca>; Farnden, Michael <Michael.Farnden@vancouver.ca>; Chen, Jason <Jason.Chen@vancouver.ca>; Chou, Winston <winston.chou@vancouver.ca>; Quintero, Liliana <Liliana.Quintero@vancouver.ca>; Maclang, Nino <Nino.Maclang@vancouver.ca>; Leung, Shianne <Shianne.Leung@vancouver.ca>; Carmona, Rich <Rich.Carmona@vancouver.ca>; Smith, Laura <Laura.Smith@vancouver.ca>; Darwent, Christopher <Christopher.Darwent@vancouver.ca>; Chiu, Joey <Joey.Chiu@vancouver.ca>; Singh, Simran <Simran.Singh@vancouver.ca>; Kong, Carol <Carol.Kong@vancouver.ca>; Glowacz, Katherine <Katherine.Glowacz@vancouver.ca>; Rozbicka, Jagoda <Jagoda.Rozbicka@vancouver.ca>; Askarian, Mo <Mo.Askarian@vancouver.ca>; Draskovic, Rosemarie <Rosemarie.Draskovic@vancouver.ca>; Magnusson, Rachel <Rachel.Magnusson@vancouver.ca>; Pate, Megan <Megan.Pate@vancouver.ca>; Chui, Thomas <Thomas.Chui@vancouver.ca>; Clark, Joanna <Joanna.Clark@vancouver.ca>; Wiebe, Jesse <Jesse.Wiebe@vancouver.ca>; Liu, James <James.Liu@vancouver.ca>; Clift, Justine <Justine.Clift@vancouver.ca>; Cheng, Alina <Alina.Cheng@vancouver.ca>

Cc: Lai, Johnny <Johnny.Lai@vancouver.ca>

Subject: 2025 Q3 Budget Adjustment 2026 Capital Budget Process

Dear Team,

This email officially launches the 2026 Capital Budget process.

We kindly ask that you complete your section of the budget template by **Friday, August 15th**.

Key Updates:

To streamline the process, we've combined the Q3 Capital Budget Adjustments and Closeouts with the 2026 Annual Capital Budget into a single template. This integration will reduce duplication and ensures consistency.

The template will capture Q3 Updates with the annual 2026 budgeting process.

Your input is critical to shaping the upcoming capital plan. As you complete the template, please consider:

- Capacity and funding constraints
- Any unspent budgets
- The team's ability to deliver

Instructions:

s.15(1)(l)

1) Start with the "**Q3 Adjustment**" tab only if applicable. Adjustments will then automatically populate in the "2026 Budget" tab.

2) **2026 Budget Tab:** Request only what can realistically be delivered; review and update prefilled data as needed. You can filter by your branch in **column AG**.

I'll be scheduling meetings shortly to walk through the template and ensure you understand which columns you need to fill.

Please let me know if you're having trouble accessing the file or need me to give access to someone else.

Thank you for your continued support.
Priyanka

From: "Darwent, Christopher" <Christopher.Darwent@vancouver.ca>
To: "Sancheti, Priyanka" <Priyanka.Sancheti@vancouver.ca>
"Ruz, Roberto" <Roberto.Ruz@vancouver.ca>
Date: 11/24/2025 3:53:00 PM
Subject: RE: Approve SC 1000274253 from DARWECH with value s.17(1)

Hi Roberto – I still see that this is waiting for approval with Johnny – anything I can do to nudge this along?

From: Sancheti, Priyanka <Priyanka.Sancheti@vancouver.ca>
Sent: Thursday, October 30, 2025 11:38 AM
To: Ruz, Roberto <Roberto.Ruz@vancouver.ca>
Cc: Darwent, Christopher <Christopher.Darwent@vancouver.ca>
Subject: RE: Approve SC 1000274253 from DARWECH with value s.17(1)

Hello Roberto,

Please proceed.

Thank you,
Priyanka

From: Sancheti, Priyanka
Sent: Friday, October 3, 2025 11:01 AM
To: Darwent, Christopher <Christopher.Darwent@vancouver.ca>
Cc: Ruz, Roberto <Roberto.Ruz@vancouver.ca>
Subject: FW: Approve SC 1000274253 from DARWECH with value s.17(1)

Hello Chris,

I believe this SC can be approved once the QBA adjustments have been approved by Council.
The approval will reflect a higher available APR in CEB-50. We will move forward with the SC approval following Council's confirmation of the adjustment.

Thank you,
Priyanka

From: Ruz, Roberto <Roberto.Ruz@vancouver.ca>
Sent: Monday, September 29, 2025 8:17 PM
To: Sancheti, Priyanka <Priyanka.Sancheti@vancouver.ca>
Subject: FW: Approve SC 1000274253 from DARWECH with value s.17(1)

Hi Priyanka,

Are you ok with this SC?

Roberto

From: Workflow System s.15(1)(l) <[REDACTED]@vancouver.ca>

Sent: Monday, September 29, 2025 4:43 PM

To: Lai, Johnny <Johnny.Lai@vancouver.ca>; Ruz, Roberto <Roberto.Ruz@vancouver.ca>

Subject: Approve SC 1000274253 from DARWECH with value s.17(1)

Dear Approver,

This shopping cart requires approval on SRM.

Please logon using your computer/network user ID & password to take action on this shopping cart request.

[Log on](#)

Message to Approver:

Please contact Callum Jackman in TDE after approval to start the RFP process..(DARWECH 2025/09/29 15:43:13 PST)

Shopping Cart Detail

Item Data							
Description	Product	Quantity	Unit	Required on	Price/Limit	Currency	Per
Prelim MPF design for Granville Bridge				2025/09/29	s.17(1)	CAD	1
Account Data							
Item	Account split position	Distribution	Acc. Category	Cost Object	GL_Acc.		
1	0001	50.00 %	NET	CER1988600	531070		
1	0002	50.00 %	NET	CER1988602	531070		
Supplier Data							
Item	Product Supplier	Product Supplier No. EBP					
1	n/a	n/a					

From: "Darwent, Christopher" <Christopher.Darwent@vancouver.ca>
To: "Lee, Joyce (ENG)" <joyce.w.lee@vancouver.ca>
"Myles, Natalia" <Natalia.Myles@vancouver.ca>
"Dempster, Celeste" <Celeste.Dempster@vancouver.ca>
CC: "Storer, Paul" <paul.storer@vancouver.ca>
"Mital, Eric" <Eric.Mital@vancouver.ca>
"Li, Justin" <Justin.Li@vancouver.ca>
"Buttle, Maggie" <Maggie.Buttle@vancouver.ca>
Date: 12/9/2025 9:17:00 AM
Subject: s.12(3)(b)
Granville Bridge Prevention Fencing

Hi Celeste

Here is a bit more info for the design work on the fence:

- In the MTU, we allocated s.17(1) to undertake a comprehensive review, assessment, workshops, and conceptual and preliminary design reports for the addition of means prevention fencing (MPF) on Granville Bridge. This review is intended to provide better cost estimates for this retrofit
- Given the scope of work, staff determined that additional funding would be required to complete this assignment. To fill this gap, an additional s.17(1) of funding was secured from TransLink. This APR increase was approved in a quarterly budget adjustment in October 2025.
- We have just secured a PM from PDB to lead this work (note the s.22(1) member PM'ing in TDE is s.22(1))
- We are expecting to release the RFP early in the new year
- A scope of work for the RFP has been shared with Granville Island staff, and we have committed to working with them while the project is underway; there has been no discussion of funding improvements at the staff level.

Additional Council motion of note:

<https://council.vancouver.ca/20240724/documents/cfsc20240724min.pdf#page=9>

Let me know if you have any questions!

Chris

From: Lee, Joyce (ENG)
Sent: Tuesday, December 9, 2025 9:14 AM
To: Darwent, Christopher ; Myles, Natalia
Cc: Storer, Paul ; Mital, Eric ; Li, Justin ; Buttle, Maggie
Subject: s.12(3)(b) Granville Bridge
Prevention Fencing

Thanks Chris, please forward this info to Celeste.

Joyce

From: Darwent, Christopher <Christopher.Darwent@vancouver.ca>
Sent: Monday, December 08, 2025 1:33 PM
To: Myles, Natalia <Natalia.Myles@vancouver.ca>; Lee, Joyce (ENG) <joyce.w.lee@vancouver.ca>
Cc: Storer, Paul <paul.storer@vancouver.ca>; Mital, Eric <Eric.Mital@vancouver.ca>; Li, Justin <Justin.Li@vancouver.ca>; Buttle, Maggie <Maggie.Buttle@vancouver.ca>
Subject: s.12(3)(b) Granville Bridge
Prevention Fencing

Thanks Natalia, this is correct. I'm adding in Justin and Maggie on this email as well.

Here is a bit more context I can add:

- In the MTU, we allocated s.17(1) to undertake a comprehensive review, assessment, workshops, and conceptual and preliminary design reports for the addition of means prevention fencing (MPF) on Granville Bridge. This review is intended to provide better cost estimates for this retrofit
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<https://council.vancouver.ca/20240724/documents/cfsc20240724min.pdf#page=9>

I can take this info to Celeste unless someone else has more to add. Please let me know.

Chris

From: Myles, Natalia <Natalia.Myles@vancouver.ca>
Sent: Monday, December 8, 2025 12:47 PM
To: Lee, Joyce (ENG) <joyce.w.lee@vancouver.ca>
Cc: Darwent, Christopher <Christopher.Darwent@vancouver.ca>; Storer, Paul <paul.storer@vancouver.ca>; Mital, Eric <Eric.Mital@vancouver.ca>
Subject: s.12(3)(b) Granville Bridge
Prevention Fencing

Hi Joyce,

I believe Chris' team was working on the scope. Structures team has provided technical input into the scope of work for hiring the consultant to review concepts and provide high-level cost estimates for means prevention fencing on the bridge.

Regards,

Natalia Myles, P.Eng., LEED AP (she/her)
Structures Section Head, Streets Design
Engineering Services, City of Vancouver

320 - 507 W Broadway, Vancouver, V5Z 0B4

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I respectfully acknowledge that I live and work on the territories of the xʷməθkʷəy̓əm (Musqueam), Skwxwú7mesh (Squamish), and səíl̓wətaʔ / səíl̓wítulh (Tsleil-Waututh) Nations.

From: Lee, Joyce (ENG) <joyce.w.lee@vancouver.ca>

Sent: Monday, December 8, 2025 12:27 PM

To: Myles, Natalia <Natalia.Myles@vancouver.ca>

Cc: Darwent, Christopher <Christopher.Darwent@vancouver.ca>; Storer, Paul <paul.storer@vancouver.ca>; Mital, Eric <Eric.Mital@vancouver.ca>

Subject: s.12(3)(b) Granville Bridge

Prevention Fencing

Importance: High

Hi Natalia,

May you please remind us where we left off with the design work for the Granville Bridge Means Prevention Fencing? I believe we got the allocated s.17(1) funds through the MTU?

Thanks,
Joyce

From: Dempster, Celeste <Celeste.Dempster@vancouver.ca>

Sent: Monday, December 08, 2025 11:53 AM

To: Duvochel, Eric <Eric.Duvochel@vancouver.ca>; Storer, Paul <paul.storer@vancouver.ca>; Darwent, Christopher <Christopher.Darwent@vancouver.ca>; Lee, Joyce (ENG) <joyce.w.lee@vancouver.ca>

Cc: Nikolic, Sandra <Sandra.Nikolic@vancouver.ca>; McNeill, Melanie <Melanie.McNeill@vancouver.ca>; Goranson, Jesse <Jesse.Goranson@vancouver.ca>; Myles, Natalia <Natalia.Myles@vancouver.ca>

Subject: s.12(3)(b) Granville Bridge

Prevention Fencing

Importance: High

Hi Eric,

s.12(3)(b)

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s.12(3)(b) . s.22(1) was the lead from IGR on this item, but I'll check in with her tomorrow morning to see if she has anything else to add.

- In 2023/2024, IGR/ENG explored what a potential Intergovernmental Advocacy Strategy could look like to solicit funding for provincial and/or federal governments for means prevention fencing on Granville St Bridge.
- Design work was anticipated to cost s.17(1) This design work would then help to determine how much funding was needed to complete the actual project. The initial

- estimate was \$20-\$30M.
- My recollection is that, in 2024, ENG allocated funds for the design work and we paused efforts on fed/prov advocacy until we had a better estimate of what the project would actually cost.
 - I'm not sure what the status of this work is. Maybe @Lee, Joyce (ENG)@Storer, Paul@Darwent, Christopher could chime in with an update?
- Background on FCM Resolution:
 - On July 24, 2025, Vancouver Council passed a [Council Motion](#) to submit a resolution to FCM called *Including Means Prevention Fencing Within the National Suicide Prevention Action Plan*, which states that:
 - WHEREAS Physical barriers on bridges, such as adequate fencing, are the only effective way to stop suicides by jumping from bridges, and are associated with a 93% reduction in suicide deaths per year, and responding to incidents on bridges without barriers are much more dangerous for both the person in distress and the police, fire, ambulance, and bystanders seeking to help; and
 - WHEREAS Rising construction costs suggest that delaying the design and construction of suicide prevention barriers to a later date will cost considerably more than current construction costs; now therefore be it
 - RESOLVED That the Federation of Canadian Municipalities calls on the federal government to include municipal infrastructure funding to help municipalities with the costs of adding life-saving suicide means prevention barriers to existing bridges in Canada, as part of the Means Prevention mandate in the National Suicide Prevention Action Plan 2024-2027.
 - The resolution was considered by the Community Safety and Crime Prevention Committee at the meeting on November 20, 2024 where a recommendation to the Board was passed to NOT ENDORSE this resolution.
 - The Committee's recommendation to NOT ENDORSE the resolution was approved as part of the consent agenda at the FCM Board meeting in December 2024.
 - This outcome was communicated to Mayor and Council via [email](#).

Thanks,
Celeste

From: Duvochel, Eric <Eric.Duvochel@vancouver.ca>
Sent: Monday, December 8, 2025 9:50 AM
To: Nikolic, Sandra <Sandra.Nikolic@vancouver.ca>
Cc: McNeill, Melanie <Melanie.McNeill@vancouver.ca>

Subject: s.12(3)(b)

Granville Bridge Prevention

Fencing

Importance: High

Good morning Sandra,

s.12(3)(b)

Would you have any insights on IGR work related to this topic?

I understand that the City brought a resolution late last year/early this year at FCM (Federation of Canadian Municipalities) Safety Committee, and that was defeated? Would know more?

Thanks!
Eric

For context:

- **Granville Island (federal property managed by CMCH) has requested to assume full permitting and licensing responsibilities.** On November 22, 2024, the internal Steering Committee approved the overall framework to support this transition. We've since been in discussions with Granville Island, and they generally agree with the framework. The next step was for the City to develop a draft permitting and licensing legal agreement.
- **Granville Island has recently requested to start processing its own permits - specifically for small projects- as soon as possible, as well as business licensing**
- **City proposed approach: Pilot a One-Year Non-Enforcement Resolution (Dec 10th Council Meeting) related to small repairs and business licensing, while working with CMHC on a Permitting & Licensing legal agreement to mitigate key risks related to transitioning full responsibilities**
- Neal Peacocke and Stephanie Chua are our Eng reps on this file
- **Upcoming Council Meetings:**
 1. **s.12(3)(b)**
 2. **December 10 Public Report: seek approval of one-year non-enforcement resolution.**

From: Dominato, Lisa <Lisa.Dominato@vancouver.ca>
Sent: Sunday, December 7, 2025 8:47 AM
To: Okell, Corrie <Corrie.Okell@vancouver.ca>
Cc: van Dyk, Donny <Donny.vanDyk@vancouver.ca>
Subject: **s.12(3)(b)**

s.12(3)(b)

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Lisa Dominato, Councillor
City of Vancouver
604-754-7290

From: ["Jackman, Callum"](#)
To: ["Sebastian Lippa" <slippa@cmhc-schl.gc.ca>](#)
CC: ["Darwent, Christopher" <Christopher.Darwent@vancouver.ca>](#)
["Krueger, Paul" <Paul.Krueger@vancouver.ca>](#)
["Hugo Johnston" <hjohnsto@cmhc-schl.gc.ca>](#)
Date: 12/2/2025 4:17:00 PM
Subject: RE: Granville Bridge Means Prevention Fencing Check-in

Hi Sebastian,

Thank you for reaching out, we have finally been able to get our purchase requisition approved and are looking to get the RFP out early in the new year.

Feel free to reach out if you have any other questions, otherwise we will keep you updated.

Thank you,

Callum Jackman, EIT
Transportation Design Branch
Engineering Services | City of Vancouver
callum.jackman@vancouver.ca

From: Sebastian Lippa
Sent: Monday, December 1, 2025 1:53 PM
To: Jackman, Callum
Cc: Darwent, Christopher ; Krueger, Paul ; Hugo Johnston
Subject: RE: Granville Bridge Means Prevention Fencing Check-in

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Hi Callum
Hope all is well with you and the team.
It has been a few months since we touched base, and I wanted to check in to see if there has been any development of the RFP your team was working on.
Thanks in advance for any update you are able to provide.
Sebastian

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From: Sebastian Lippa
Sent: July-03-25 10:53 AM

To: Jackman, Callum <Callum.Jackman@vancouver.ca>
Cc: Darwent, Christopher <Christopher.Darwent@vancouver.ca>; Krueger, Paul <Paul.Krueger@vancouver.ca>; Hugo Johnston <hjohnsto@cmhc-schl.gc.ca>
Subject: RE: Granville Bridge Means Prevention Fencing Check-in

Hi Callum

Thanks so much for the update.

If the City decides to expand the scope, can I ask for you to drop us a line with another update on key changes to the scope and RFP timeline?

Much appreciated and talk to you soon.

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From: Jackman, Callum <Callum.Jackman@vancouver.ca>
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To: Sebastian Lippa <slippa@cmhc-schl.gc.ca>
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Hi Sebastian,

Thank you, I hope your summer is going well too! We recently completed the RFP draft but are now considering expanding the RFP scope. If we do decide to expand it, we'll be spending a bit more time on it. If not, I'll be able to forward the draft to you in the coming weeks.

Thank you,

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From: Sebastian Lippa <slippa@cmhc-schl.gc.ca>
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Hi Callum

Hope your summer is off to a good start. It has been a while since we connected, so I thought I would reach out to check on progress on the internal review of the RFP for the means prevention fencing study.

Much appreciation in advance for any update you are able to provide.
Thank you!
Sebastian

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To: Jackman, Callum <Callum.Jackman@vancouver.ca>
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Thanks so much Callum for the update and for the offer to share the RFP with us once it has gone through internal review.
We'll look forward to that.
All the best,
Sebastian

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Hi Sebastian,

The RFP has been drafted and is currently under review by management (I've put an internal deadline of end of this month). Ill send it over to you once management has reviewed to see if you have any comments before we look for a consultant.

Thank you,

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Sent: Monday, April 14, 2025 2:32 PM
To: Hugo Johnston <hjohnsto@cmhc-schl.gc.ca>; Jackman, Callum <Callum.Jackman@vancouver.ca>
Cc: Darwent, Christopher <Christopher.Darwent@vancouver.ca>; Krueger, Paul <Paul.Krueger@vancouver.ca>
Subject: RE: Granville Bridge Means Prevention Fencing Check-in

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Hi Callum

Hope you are keeping well. When we last met, you had provided a very helpful PPT outlining the City's preliminary work in preparing an RFP, and that you were aiming to release the RFP in early 2025.

We were hoping you might be able to provide a brief update on the RFP process.

Many thanks in advance.

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From: Hugo Johnston <hjohnsto@cmhc-schl.gc.ca>
Sent: January-13-25 11:17 AM
To: Jackman, Callum <Callum.Jackman@vancouver.ca>
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Good morning Callum,

Thanks very much for letting us know, look forward to hearing/reading more about the RFP in the coming months.

Kind regards
Hugo

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From: Jackman, Callum <Callum.Jackman@vancouver.ca>
Sent: Thursday, January 9, 2025 5:52 PM

To: Hugo Johnston <hjohnsto@cmhc-schl.gc.ca>
Cc: Sebastian Lippa <slippa@cmhc-schl.gc.ca>; Darwent, Christopher <Christopher.Darwent@vancouver.ca>; Krueger, Paul <Paul.Krueger@vancouver.ca>
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Hi Hugo,

Nice to meet you! Apologies for the delay, yes, I am the best point of contact on this project. The RFP is being prepared with help from multiple departments, but I will send you a draft once we have one. We're hoping to have this RFP completed in the next month or so ("early 2025").

Thank you, and don't hesitate to reach out if you have any questions,

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From: Hugo Johnston <hjohnsto@cmhc-schl.gc.ca>
Sent: Monday, December 2, 2024 1:26 PM
To: Jackman, Callum <Callum.Jackman@vancouver.ca>; Darwent, Christopher <Christopher.Darwent@vancouver.ca>; Krueger, Paul <Paul.Krueger@vancouver.ca>
Cc: Sebastian Lippa <slippa@cmhc-schl.gc.ca>
Subject: RE: Granville Bridge Means Prevention Fencing Check-in

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Good afternoon Callum, Christopher and Paul,

Just thought I would follow up this chain by formally introducing myself, it's been almost two months now at CMHC and therefore, I am finally getting around my list of projects that have been assigned. With this being said, I will be the primary contact at GI for this process to help ease some of the load from Shazeen and Seb's backs. As indicated below, I have been fortunate to be included in a great number of projects, including this one. As part of my recent handover discussions with Seb for this project, he mentioned that an RFP was being prepared/had been prepared for the Means Prevention Fencing. I was just wondering what was the status of said RFP and whether we could be able to get a copy of it? Additionally, Callum, are you the best point of contact on this project?

Furthermore, I am going to be part of the team following closely the work, kick-starting in the new

year, regarding the connections from the Granville Bridge Connector to Granville Island. We are looking forward to hearing the outcomes / being a part of those discussions, where possible.

Kind regards
Hugo

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From: Jackman, Callum <>
Sent: Monday, November 25, 2024 4:25 PM
To: Sebastian Lippa <slippa@cmhc-schl.gc.ca>; Shazeen Tejani <stejani@cmhc-schl.gc.ca>
Cc: Thomas Lancaster <tlancast@cmhc-schl.gc.ca>; Darwent, Christopher <Christopher.Darwent@vancouver.ca>; Krueger, Paul <Paul.Krueger@vancouver.ca>
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Hi Sebastian,

I'm glad you appreciated the presentation! I've attached it to this email.

Shazeen, Thomas, and Sebastian, feel free to reach out if you have any further questions about the presentation.

Thank you,

Callum

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Subject: RE: Granville Bridge Means Prevention Fencing Check-in

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Hi Chris, Paul and Callum

Thank you so much for the update on the City's planning process for potential means prevention fencing on the Granville Bridge. We really appreciate being involved in such a proactive way.

I have added our colleague Shazeen Tejani who is our Planning lead and main point of contact on this project. She and another colleague (Hugo Johnston, who is filling in for Bethany for the next year) will be able to work with you on this project as it moves through the RFP process and beyond.

Would it be possible for you to send us a copy of the PPT you presented to us on Thursday? That will help Shaz and Hugo get up to speed on where the project is at.

Again, many thanks for the fantastic engagement.

Talk to you soon,

Sebastian

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From: Jackman, Callum <Callum.Jackman@vancouver.ca>

Sent: Wednesday, November 20, 2024 9:54 AM

To: Jackman, Callum; Sebastian Lippa; Thomas Lancaster; Darwent, Christopher; Krueger, Paul

Subject: Granville Bridge Means Prevention Fencing Check-in

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Hi Everyone,

Setting up a meeting to update Sebastian and Thomas on how our ideas for the Granville Bridge Means Prevention Fencing have advanced and get early feedback.

@[Sebastian Lippa](#) and @[Thomas Lancaster](#), if this time does not work for you, we also have 2:30 or 4:20 on Thursday available, or anytime after 3:30 on Friday.

Thank you,
Callum

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