

File No.: 2026-363

April 30, 2026

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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 April 23, 2026 under the ***Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act*** for:

Records of complaints regarding abandoned, grounded, or derelict vessels in False Creek and surrounding waterways, and correspondence generated in response to complaints. Date range: January 1, 2021 to April 22, 2026.

We have completed the search for responsive records for this request and no responsive records have been located. Staff from the City's 3-1-1 Contact Centre have confirmed that there are no records responsive to your request: 3-1-1 does not track complaints or create cases for abandoned, grounded, or derelict vessels in False Creek as it is not within the City of Vancouver's jurisdiction. These calls are referred to the Coast Guard who then coordinate with the Vancouver Police Department's (VPD) Marine Unit.

As both the Government of Canada (Coast Guard) and the VPD are separate public bodies under the Act, please submit any requests for their information to the appropriate public body directly. Additional information can be found on their respective websites:

- Government of Canada: <https://www.canada.ca/en/immigration-refugees-citizenship/corporate/transparency/access-information-privacy.html>;
- VPD: <https://vpd.ca/contact-us/information-privacy/>.

Under section 52 of the Act, and within 30 business days of receipt of this letter, 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 (2026-363); 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]

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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.

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