

From: ["van Dyk, Donny"](#)

To: ["Direct to Mayor and Council"](#)

Date: 5/11/2026 10:57:54 AM

Subject: Invitation - Fire Chief Karen Fry Retirement - July 29, 2026

Attachments: Invitation - Fire Chief Karen Fry.pdf

Dear Mayor and Council,

Please find attached an invitation to celebrate the distinguished career of Fire Chief Karen Fry.

We hope you will join us for an evening of celebration, reflection, and connection as we recognize Chief Fry's leadership, dedication, and lasting impact on the department. Guests will enjoy a thoughtfully curated buffet dinner while sharing stories and celebrating the legacy of a truly impactful career.

Please note that a Standing Committee meeting is scheduled for July 29. However, Council may adjourn early if required and continue proceedings at the Meeting Reserve later that week.

Date: Wednesday, July 29th, 2026

Location: Terminal City Club – 837 West Hastings Street, Vancouver, BC

Time: Doors 5:30 PM, Dinner 6:30 PM

Tickets: \$160/pp.

RSVP: by June 30th to Cyndi Vieira – Cyndi.vieira@vancouver.ca

Dress for the evening is Mess Kit or cocktail attire.

As seating is limited, early RSVP is encouraged. When responding, please indicate whether a guest (+1) will be attending with you.

We look forward to sharing this memorable evening with you.

Thanks,
Donny

Donny van Dyk (he/him)

City Manager

City of Vancouver



The City of Vancouver acknowledges that it is situated on the unceded traditional territories of the xʷməθkʷəy̓əm (Musqueam), Skwxwú7mesh (Squamish), and səliłwətaʔ (Tsleil-Waututh) Nations.

PLEASE JOIN VANCOUVER FIRE RESCUE SERVICES
TO CELEBRATE THE CAREER OF

Fire Chief

Karen Fry

HONOURING A LEGACY OF
LEADERSHIP AND SERVICE

JULY 29, 2026

TERMINAL CITY CLUB
837 WEST HASTINGS STREET
VANCOUVER
DOORS 530PM - DINNER 630PM

\$160/PP

Please RSVP and remit payment
via cheque or etransfer by June
30 to Cyndi Vieira:

cyndi.vieira@vancouver.ca
Cheques payable to "VFRS
Retirement"

We encourage guests to reply at
their earliest convenience, as
tickets are limited.

