

**GASTOWN HISTORIC AREA PLANNING COMMITTEE  
AGENDA**

DATE: Wednesday, October 16, 2024  
TIME: 4:30 pm  
PLACE: City Hall – 7th Floor, Sockeye Room

**Please note:**

- If you are unable to attend this meeting, please e-mail [ghapc@vancouver.ca](mailto:ghapc@vancouver.ca).
  - Agendas and Minutes are available on the City of Vancouver [GHAPC web site](#).
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**1. Introduction** **4:30 - 4:35**

**2. Adoption of Agenda and Minutes** **4:35 - 4:45**

- a. Proposed meeting agenda, and [minutes of November 15, 2023](#) to be adopted.
- b. Proposed meeting agenda, and motion for “Blood Alley Mural Proposal –*FutureVisions* (Hickey Block, 228 Abbott Street)” July 17, 2024 to be adopted.

*THAT the Gastown Historic Area Planning Committee:*

- 1. *acknowledges and generally supports the applicant team for presenting their proposal to GHAPC to install a mural along the north (laneway) elevation of the protected heritage building commonly known as the Hickey Block, addressed 228 Abbott Street; and,*
- 2. *respectfully requests the applicant team consider the following:*
  - a. *to present a more balanced artistic message and explore ways for the proposed design to*
    - i. *create an open dialogue on current housing issues balancing both challenges and solutions.*
    - ii. *reflect the diversity of Gastown’s community.*
  - b. *consider options to expand the mural to include upper part of the wall.*

*(Absent: Adrian Watson)*

**3. Mural Support Program Application (DP-2024-00937)** **4:45-5:45**  
**195 Alexander Street (VHR-C)**

Staff received an application through the mural support program to install a mural along the east elevation of a heritage building addressed 195 Alexander Street, in Gastown Historic Area.

**Staff:** Anna Marie Repstock, Social Planner, Engineering Services

**Applicants:** Xochitl Leal, Nelson Garcia, Christie Charles, Mural Artists

**Attachments:** Presentation package (including Artist Statement, Conceptual Drawings)

**4. New Business** **5:45-6:00**

**5. Next meeting**

**DATE: November 20, 2024**  
**TIME: 4:30 pm**  
**PLACE: City Hall – 7th Floor, Sockeye Room**