



## URBAN INDIGENOUS PEOPLES' ADVISORY COMMITTEE

### MINUTES

March 30, 2026

A meeting of the Urban Indigenous Peoples' Advisory Committee was held on Monday, March 30, 2026, at 5:37 pm, in the Cascadia Meeting Room, 3rd Floor, City Hall, and via electronic means.

**PRESENT:** Synder Cuddahy, Chair  
Leona Brown  
Nicole Cardinal  
Tasha Tanya Jacko  
Annita Mcphee\*  
Drew Stewart  
Robyn Vermette, Co-Chair

**ABSENT:** Troy Abromaitis  
Mathew Fleury  
Anna Ratzlaff  
Taylor Scott (Leave of Absence)

**ALSO PRESENT:** Councillor Sean Orr, Council Liaison  
Rick Ouellet, Vancouver Public Library Liaison  
Steven Eastman, Metro Vancouver Aboriginal Executive  
Council Liaison  
Rachel Wuttunee, Senior Manager, Urban Indigenous  
Relations; Staff Liaison

**CITY CLERK'S OFFICE:** Kevin Burris, Manager, Civic Agencies  
Tamara Tosoff, Meeting Coordinator

\*Denotes absence for a portion of the meeting.

### WELCOME

The Chair acknowledged we are on the unceded territories of the Musqueam, Squamish, and Tseil-Waututh Nations.

### Modified Procedures

MOVED by Drew Stewart  
SECONDED by Leona Brown

THAT the Urban Indigenous Peoples' Advisory Committee suspend the rule of section 15.13 of the *Procedure By-law* in order to allow modified decision-making methods during

the meeting.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY  
AND BY THE REQUIRED MAJORITY  
(Annita Mcphee absent for the vote)

### **Leave of Absence Requests**

THAT the Urban Indigenous Peoples' Advisory Committee approve a leave of absence for Taylor Scott for this meeting.

APPROVED BY CONSENSUS  
(Annita Mcphee absent for the vote)

### **Approval of Minutes**

THAT the Urban Indigenous Peoples' Advisory Committee approve the Minutes from the meeting of Monday, January 19, 2026, as circulated.

APPROVED BY CONSENSUS  
(Annita Mcphee absent for the vote)

### **1. Working Session Updates**

The Committee received an update on the working session held February 23, 2026.

### **2. Liaison Updates**

All liaisons present provided updates, in addition to previously circulated updates, and responded to questions and comments.

### **3. New Business**

Following discussion, the following resolution was put on the floor:

WHEREAS during the 2026 FIFA World Cup, the City of Vancouver is enforcing a 2 km “controlled access zone” in which FIFA-accredited branding is strictly protected.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Urban Indigenous Peoples' Advisory Committee recommend that Council direct that for the duration of the purchase contracts for City-purchased advertising spaces within the controlled access zone during FIFA World Cup, an appropriate and impactful portion of those advertising spaces be used to fulfill the City of Vancouver's role to communicate avenues for FWC26 participants and personnel to access remedy for any human rights-related impact they may experience, per Vancouver's Host City Human Rights Action Plan.

APPROVED BY CONSENSUS

Subsequently, Committee members discussed the following topics:

- HAVN Spa Rezoning Application (1905 Ogden Avenue)
- Translink Equity Framework

## **ADJOURNMENT**

THAT this meeting be adjourned.

APPROVED BY CONSENSUS

### **Next Meeting:**

DATE: Monday, May 25, 2026  
TIME: 5:30 pm  
PLACE: Business Centre Meeting Room, 2nd Floor,  
City Hall  
Microsoft Teams

The Committee adjourned at 7:21 pm.

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