Date: February 18, 2010



TO: Board Members – Vancouver Park BoardFROM: General Manager – Parks and Recreation

SUBJECT: Stanley Park/English Bay Seawall Consultancy

**Contract** 

## RECOMMENDATION

THAT the Board authorize the General Manager to award the consultancy contract related to the rehabilitation of portions of the English Bay and Stanley Park seawall.

### **POLICY**

The Board award consultancy contracts over \$30,000.

## **BACKGROUND**

The approved Infrastructure Stimulus Funds project include rehabilitation of two sections of the seawall. The Federal funding calls for stringent deadline for completion. The work to be completed along the seawall is also dependent on low tides which occur in May, June or July.

## **DISCUSSION**

The closing date for the engineering consultant proposal is March 08, 2010. The next Board meeting is scheduled for March 22, 2010.

In order to keep the project on time to maximize use of low tides, staff recommend the General Manager be authorized to award the upcoming consultant contract.

# **SUMMARY**

This report seeks delegated authority for an award of contract.

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