



GENERAL MANAGER'S REPORT

Regular Park Board Meeting
Monday, March 12, 2018

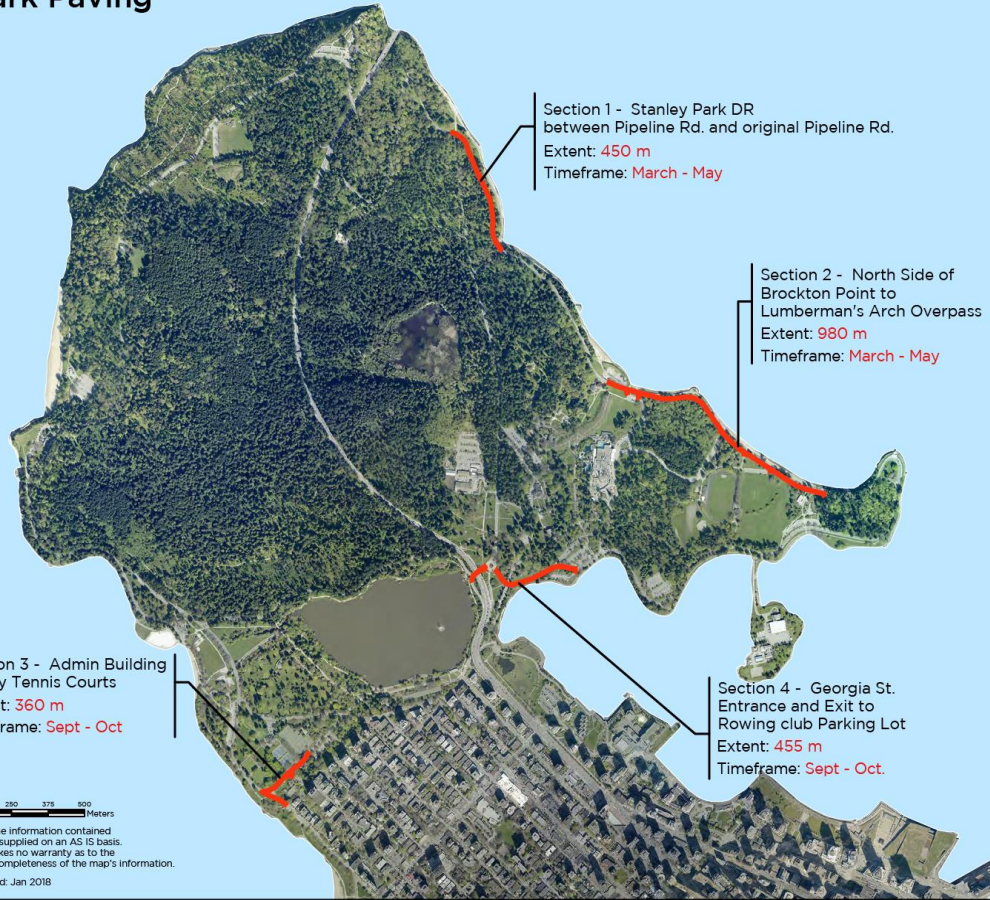


Park Development – Stanley Park Seawall Renewal

- Work on Phase 1 of the Stanley Park seawall renewal project is now underway.
- Pedestrian and cyclist traffic along 100-metre sections of the seawall path will be temporarily merged.
- Work started the week of March 5 and will continue through August.



Stanley Park Paving




Section 1 - Stanley Park DR
between Pipeline Rd. and original Pipeline Rd.
Extent: 450 m
Timeframe: March - May

Section 2 - North Side of
Brockton Point to
Lumberman's Arch Overpass
Extent: 980 m
Timeframe: March - May

Section 3 - Admin Building
to Pay Tennis Courts
Extent: 360 m
Timeframe: Sept - Oct

Section 4 - Georgia St.
Entrance and Exit to
Rowing club Parking Lot
Extent: 455 m
Timeframe: Sept - Oct.

115,000
0 125 250 375 500
Meters

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Paving Schedule

Mid-March 2018:

First section near Pipeline
Road

April 2018:

Second section, north side of
Brockton Point to the
Lumberman's Arch overpass

After September/Labour Day:

Remaining two sections
*(entrance of Stanley Park off
Georgia Street and near 2099
Beach Avenue)*

Park Development – Sport Court Renewal Projects, Pandora and Cedar Cottage Parks

- \$300K spent to date on resurfacing various tennis courts
- Pandora Park: new and renewed courts and pathways
- Cedar Cottage Park: more green space, new multi-purpose sports court, renewed playground and pathways



Park Development – Smithe and Richards Park Timeline (2018)

- March: Development Permit expected to be received and approved
- April: Building Permit expected to be received
- May: Project expected to be tendered
- July: Construction expected to start subject to approvals
- September: Expected ground-breaking



Park Operations – Riverfront Park Renovation



Major renovation carried out in December 2017, January and February 2018 including planting of 1,708 new plants, shrubs and trees and installation of new turf totaling 1,400 sq. meters

Park Operations – Trillium Park Renovation

Major renovation carried out which included installation of 2,844 sq. yards of new turf, planting of 32 new trees and 12 shrubs, and upgrading of the irrigation system



Park Operations – Planting of Daffodil Bulbs



Last fall, 30,000 Rijnveld Early Sensation daffodil bulbs were planted on the grassy banks above the seawall which are now in bloom.

Commercial Operations – Burrard Marina

Floats are currently being built off site for installation in April



- Interior demolition currently underway
- Park Board and Stanley Park Brewing working closely to ensure construction timelines are adjusted to mitigate potential impacts of the building renovation on the Stanley Park heron colony
- Consultant has been engaged to assist in developing a Mitigation and Monitoring Plan for the heron colony
- Project completion anticipated for October/November 2018



- Staff currently working with engineers to determine additional improvements and costs required; information will be available within 4 to 6 weeks
- Repairs will be on hold until such time a determination can be made as to the future permissible uses; it is estimated that \$100,000 will be required to address the short and long term maintenance and capital issues



The Park Board Youth Services Team was selected to present PB's Community Youth Development Model at the 20th National and 12th Triennial International Child and Youth Care Conference in May.



- Park Board Youth Services Team:
 - collaborating with ALIVE and Our Place to initiate a youth survey focused on poverty reduction
 - facilitating discussions and gathering relevant insights that will inform poverty reduction recommendations
- Recommendations expected to be presented following the Youth Matters forum in April



Recreation – City Wide Aquatic Registration



- Staff working towards supporting better registration for aquatic programs to improve customer experience
- Aiming to improve customer experience during upcoming city-wide aquatic registrations starting March 20, 2019



Recreation – Outdoor Aquatic Season

Staff are working closely with maintenance to identify required repairs and scheduling the preliminary steps of outdoor pool commissioning



March 13 Regular Council Meeting:

- Council will be receiving a report on the Langara Gardens Policy Statement which will guide the rezoning and redevelopment of the Langara Gardens site.
- Council will also discuss the Motion on Notice on the Renewal of the Ray-Cam Community Center.

March 14 Standing Committee on City Finance and Services Meeting:

- Council will be receiving a report recommending that the City of Vancouver enter into a contract with NMP Golf Construction, Inc. for the construction of drainage improvements at Langara Golf Course.

Board Briefing Memos: February 20 to March 12, 2018



| Date: | Issued By: | Topic |
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| Feb 20 | Tiina Mack – Manager, Park Development | Vanier Bike Park Upgrades Schedule |
| Feb 20 | Shauna Wilton – Deputy General Manager | Security Upgrades at Park Board Administration Office |
| Feb 20 | Donnie Rosa – Director, Recreation | Trans, Gender Diverse, and Two-Spirit Inclusion Website and Survey |
| Mar 1 | Donnie Rosa – Director, Recreation | CCA JOA Implementation Update |
| Mar 2 | Shauna Wilton- Deputy General Manager | Vancouver Parks and Recreation Foundation – Proposed Constitution and By-laws |
| Mar 7 | Steve Jackson – Director, Financial Planning and Analysis | Capital Plan 2019-2022 – Park Board Process and Timeline |
| Mar 8 | Donnie Rosa – Director, Recreation | Marpole Curling Club – Board Enquiries |