

Vancouver Board of Parks and Recreation

Dr. Sun Yat-Sen Gardens and Park Heritage Registry January 20, 2014

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- In December 1994, the City adopted the Vancouver Heritage Register
- The Register is a listing of buildings and structures, streetscapes, landscape resources, and archeological sites that have architectural or historical heritage value
- There are currently 2150 registered heritage buildings and 131 other sites, including parks



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- The addition of the Garden and Park to the Register will raise its profile
- The Dr. Sun Yat-Sen Garden has submitted a statement of significance to the Heritage group
- The Heritage Sub-Committee has determined the Garden and Park have heritage value and are worthy of addition to the Register
- The Garden is already protected by a legal heritage destination as part of the China Town area



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