



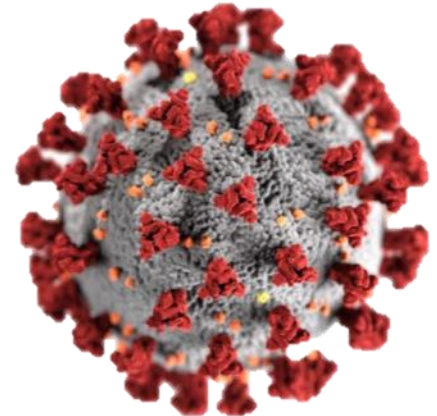
COVID-19 PANDEMIC - Parks & Recreation Reopening & Recovery Update

Park Board Regular Meeting
Monday, July 6, 2020



Purpose of Presentation

The purpose of this presentation is to provide an update of the COVID-19 reopening and recovery strategy.



- Reopening and Recovery:
 - Overview
 - Reopening
 - Next Steps
- Q&A and Discussion



Reopening & Recovery: Overview



Vancouver Park Board: REOPENING & RECOVERY

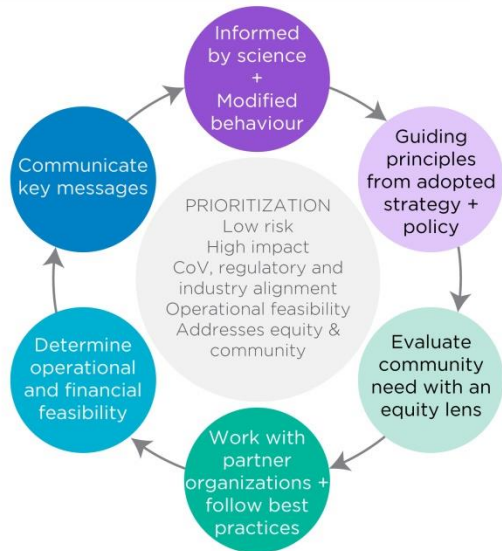
Vancouver residents have led by example over the past weeks in their conscientious response to the COVID-19 pandemic. As a result of this helpful behaviour, the BC government has now indicated it is safe to begin opening facilities. The Park Board, informed by existing policy and best practices, has developed a roadmap to guide decision making for reopening and recovery to ensure facilities and programs are brought back online thoughtfully and safely.

Guiding Principles

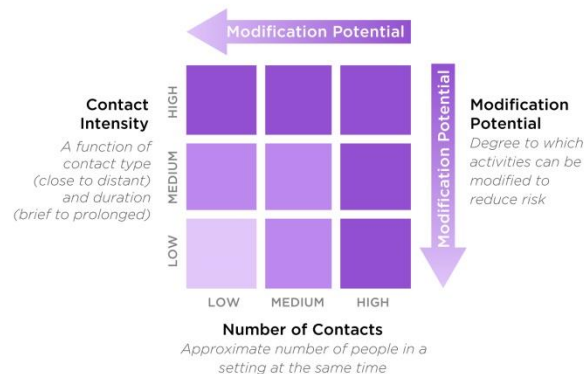


The Park Board's principles of decolonization asks us to be **transparent**, **equitable**, and to centre community **health & wellness** and **non-colonial perspectives**. These principles and current Park Board and City strategies inform the development of the guiding principles and phased reopening and recovery plan.

Reopening Process



Risk-based Decision-making



Reopening and Recovery: Roadmap

PHASE 1

-  VanDusen
-  Tennis
-  Golf
-  Off-Leash Areas

PHASE 2

-  Parking
-  Bike Park
-  Outdoor Fitness
-  Lacrosse
-  Disc Golf
-  Synthetic Turf
-  Roller Hockey
-  Volleyball
-  Skate Park
-  Basketball
-  Playgrounds
-  Pitch & Putt
-  Special Events & Film (<50)
-  Sports Field Permits
-  Swimming Beaches
-  Spray Parks
-  Stanley Park Road Reallocation

PHASE 3

-  Outdoor Pools
-  Summer Day Camps
-  Bloedel Conservatory
-  Concessions
-  Golf Clubhouses
-  Third Party Programming

-  Community Centre Programming
-  Fitness Centres
-  Arenas
-  Indoor Pools
-  Permitted Events & Facility Rentals
-  Stanley Park Train

PHASE 4

-  Large Sporting Events
-  Large Community Centre Programs
-  Large Special Events

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Reopening & Recovery: Reopening Services



Reopening Services – Overview



Day Camps



Bloedel
Conservatory



Concessions



Clubhouses



Support for Third
Party Programming

Reopening Services – Summer Day Camps



- Day camps and summer camps run in partnerships with Community Centres Associations, Vancouver School Board and the Vancouver Botanical Garden Association.
- Outdoor programs will run for through July and August 2020.
- These camps offer kids inclusive social and recreational opportunities, while providing parents with affordable, reliable child care that is close to home.



Reopening Services – Bloedel Conservatory



- The Vancouver Park Board is reopening Bloedel Conservatory on Monday, July 13.
- New physical distancing and operational procedures include:
 - Visitors and members will be required to book a 45-minute time slot in advance
 - Visitors are reminded to keep two meters apart
 - The path in the conservatory will be one way
 - The gift shop will remain closed
 - Washrooms and other high-touch areas will be sanitized regularly throughout the day



Reopening Services – Concessions



- 13 Concession stands located along beaches and in destination parks will reopen in phases from July 7 to 15.
- Located from Spanish Banks to New Brighton pool, including 5 in Stanley Park.
- Contracted third party operators are responsible for the daily operations.
- Food services will resume with some changes:
 - High-touch areas will be removed
 - Cashless forms of payment will be accepted
 - Signage will be added



Reopened Services – Clubhouses

- Clubhouses at Fraserview, Langara and McCleery golf courses opened July 3, with initial hours from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.
- Food services resumed with some changes:
 - High-touch areas removed
 - Dine-in guests will be required to place their order with the cashier
 - Full-service dining will not be offered
 - Catering services and large group reservations will not be accepted
 - Interior seating will be at 50% capacity and patios will be expanded.



Reopened Services – Support for Third Party Programming

- Various 3rd party groups have been approved to restart
- Groups have completed or are in-process developing restart plans, including safety protocols
- Staff review these plans and ensure agreements, waivers and insurance are up to date, examples include:
 - Licensed Childcare
 - Licensed Artists in Parks
 - Fieldhouse Activation Program
 - Environmental Stewardship and Education



Accepting Cash Payments



- In accordance with public health guidelines and in order to limit contact on site with high touch surfaces, the Park Board initiated cashless payment at many of the reopened services.
- In an effort to ensure equitable access to services the Park Board is looking at implementing cash transactions where possible:
 - Outdoor Pools - accepting cash by opening day
 - Pitch and Putts - by next week
 - Other reopened services to be evaluated





Stanley Park Road Reallocation

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Stanley Park opened to vehicles on June 22nd (two weeks ago)



Park Drive - Tuesday, June 30th, 10:00am



Prospect Point - Saturday, June 27th, 2:15pm



Rowing Club - Saturday, July 4th, 11:00am

Stanley Park Road Reallocation



Ongoing Engagement with all key partners and stakeholders

Commercial Stakeholders

- Sequoia Group
- Capilano Group
- AAA Horse & Carriage
- Vancouver Aquarium

Engineering & Emergency Services

- COV Transportation Planning
- VPD
- Fire & Rescue
- MOTI

Committees of Council

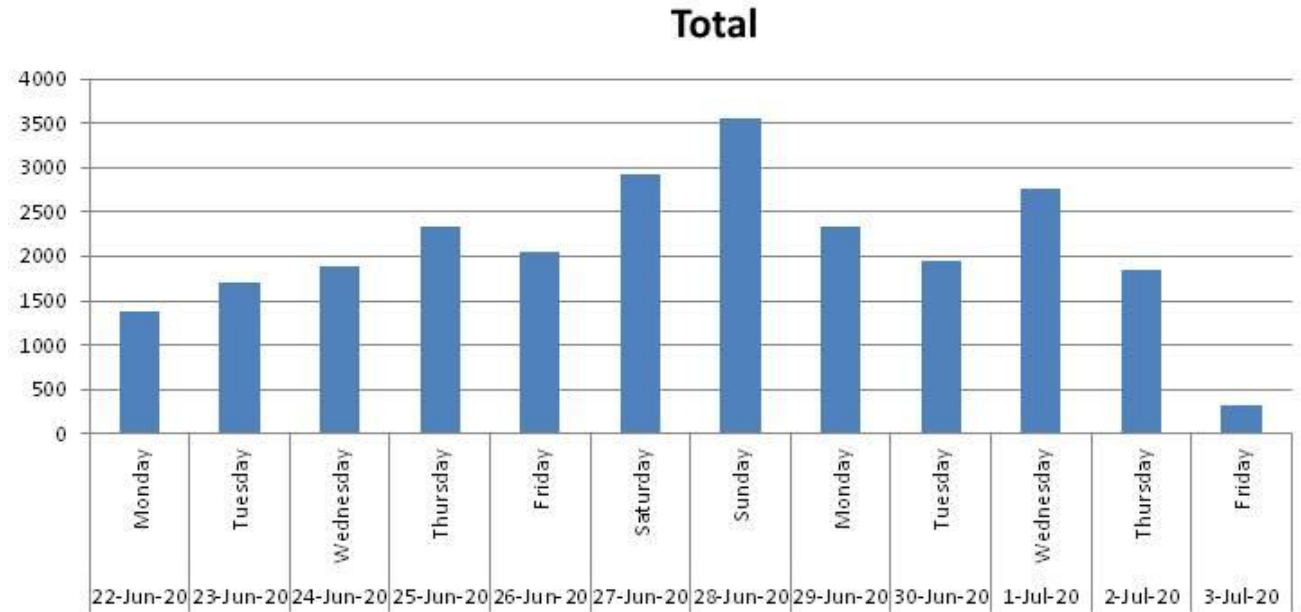
- Persons with Disabilities Advisory Committee
- Seniors Advisory Committee



Stanley Park Road Reallocation

Currently Collecting Data:

- Traffic & Vehicle Volumes
- Seawall Pedestrian Volume



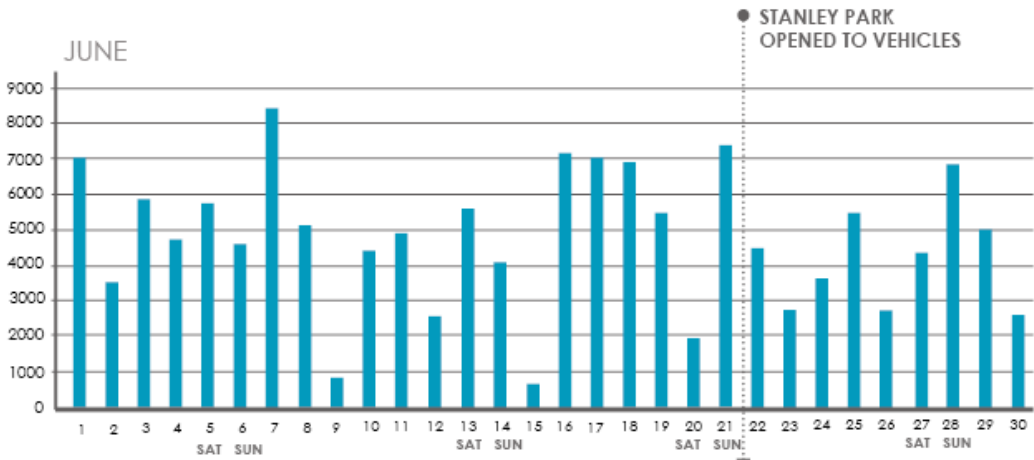
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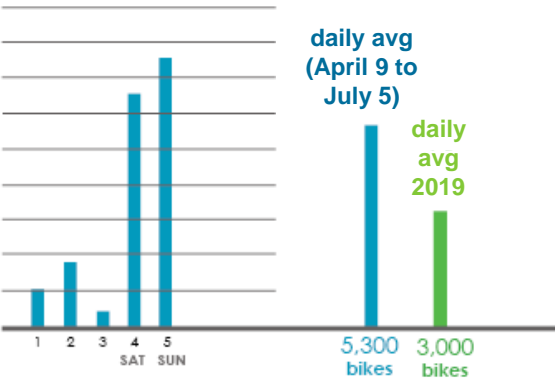
CYCLISTS IN STANLEY PARK

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Reopening & Recovery: Next Steps



Reopening Services – Next Steps

- Community Centre reopening plan
- Currently assessing:
 - Financial viability
 - Equitable access to services
 - Operational/program modifications
 - Facility start up requirements
 - Health and safety requirements
 - Human Resource requirements
- Next Board update July 20th





Q&A



