

GENERAL MANAGER'S REPORT

Regular Park Board Meeting Monday, April 24, 2023



BC Fairs, Festivals, and Events (BCFFE) Fund 2023 grants



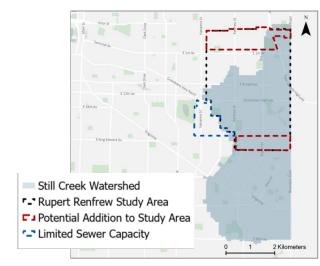
- Park Board Business Services division received provincial funding for 2023 special events:
 - Symphony at Sunset \$30,000
 - Polar Bear Swim \$16,100
 - Harvest Days at VanDusen Garden -\$8,200
 - Stanley Park Halloween Ghost Train -\$33,700
- The funds will be used to cover a range of operational expenses

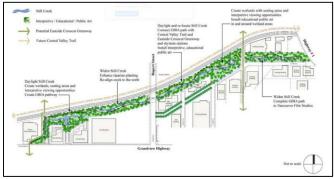


Still Creek Enhancement Opportunities Study (SCEOS)



- Update to 2002 Board approved study
- In March 2022, Rupert and Renfrew Station Area Planning initiation was approved by Council: SCEOS is closely linked with this planning area and will be included in a Council update planned for Q3-2023.
- SCEOS will guide future creek daylighting to enhance the ecological, social and cultural health of Still Creek corridor between Renfrew Street and Boundary Road.

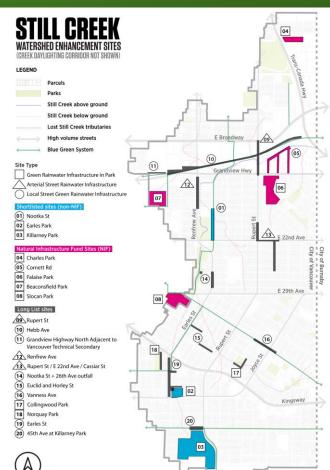




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- SCEOS expands into the watershed identifying opportunities for green rainwater infrastructure (GRI) in the public realm.
- SCEOS identifies Parks and Park's adjacencies opportunities to connect residents with the creek through circulation, view points, space for public art, and infrastructure that supports environmental stewardship activities.



Council Items related to Parks & Recreation



- Council to receive a report on April 25, 2023 on the Accessibility Strategy Implementation Update and Council Motion Report Back, which recommends that council approve the Accessibility Committee and receive an update on the Accessibility Strategy presented by staff.
- Council to vote on a Member's Motion on April 25, 2023 called 'Protecting People on Cornwall Avenue'. This motion directs staff to extend the school zone speed limit on Cornwall and implement other traffic calming measures by July 2023 to improve safety for Kitsilano Park, pool, and beach users.

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- Council to receive a report on Kerrisdale Park/Point Grey Secondary School Track and Field Licence Agreement and Custody, Care, and Management of Land wherein Council is recommended to approve the Licence agreement between the School Board and Park Board. This agreement with authorize the Park Board to complete track and field upgrades at these Kerrisdale Park and Point Grey Secondary School.
- Council to receive a report Oak Park Permanent Park Designation recommending that Council approve the updated land designation for this park. Currently, all public parks in the City of Vancouver is under the care, custody and management of the Park Board.

Board Briefing Memos and Emails: February 14 to 27, 2023



Topic
Enquiries to Staff
Orientation and Briefing Attendance
Update on the 2023 Reopening of Kitsilano Pool
Parks Procurement Efficiency Program – Construction (PPEP-C)
Kerrisdale Park/Point Grey Secondary School Track and Field – Licence Agreement and Custody, Care and Management of Land
Stanley Park Temporary Bike Lane Removal – Update
420 Protest Event at Sunset Beach Park
Park Water Features Conditions and Compliance

