

COMMISSIONER ENQUIRIES – SUMMARY REPORT

Date Received	Topic	Submitted By	Summary of request	Board Update
February 5, 2024	Co-Management of Vancouver Parklands with MST Motion - Status Update	Commissioner Jensen	Following a motion carried on January 24, 2022 titled "Co-Management of Vancouver Parklands with the Musqueam, Squamish and Tseil-Waututh Nations" which directed staff to explore opportunities with MST for co-management of parklands within their respective meetings and to seek a joint meeting among the three Nations and Park Board staff to identify locations of parklands, can staff advise if these recommendations can be shared, or if is this work still in progress?	Answer in progress
March 11, 2024	City of Vancouver Official Celebrations and Observances - Vaisakhi	Commissioner Jensen	On the City of Vancouver website, there is a page titled Official Celebrations and Observances; however, there is no official or formal mention of Vaisakhi. In fact, the only celebration listed for April is Eid al-Fitr. I'd like to ask the General Manager to reach out to the City Manager and request Vaisakhi be added in April. Can staff advise how long it will take to reach out to City Staff with this request and correction?	As outlined on the related page, Official Celebrations and Observances are determined by Council. As such, a member of Council would need to bring forward a motion requesting the celebration be added to the official observances calendar.