



GENERAL MANAGER'S REPORT

Regular Park Board Meeting
Monday, October 21, 2024



Vancouver CitySkate – China Creek Skatepark Upgrades

- Upgrades to the historic China Creek Skatepark are complete and open to the public
- Opening event held on October 11 with Commissioners in attendance
- A priority recommendation in the Skateboard Amenities Strategy (CitySkate)
- Upgrades enhance rider experience, cater to a broad range of use abilities and better serve the city's growing and diverse skateboard and small wheels communities.



- Council to receive a report on October 22, 2024, titled “[Villages Planning Program – Scope of Work](#)”, which would approve the scope of work for the Villages Planning Program, including identifying opportunities for public space improvements and amenities.
- Council to receive a report on October 22, 2024, titled “[Municipal Grants Jurisdictional Review and Arts, Culture and Social Grant Program Refinement](#)”, which directs staff to engage Council in setting annual priorities for the Social and Cultural Grants, as well as establish a grant stream to respond to emerging priorities beyond those addressed as part of ongoing grant programs.
- Council to consider a motion on October 23, 2024, titled “[Protecting and Enhancing Greenspace for the East End, Chinatown, Hogan’s Alley and Strathcona](#)”, which would direct staff to report back with recommendations of park designation of the city-owned sites inclusive of 722 Gore and adjoining right of way to Keefer Street.



Date	Topic
October 9	Sports Fields Update
October 11	Venue Specific Training Sites for FIFA World Cup 26 Vancouver™ Update

