

August 26, 2025

MEMO TO: Park Board Commissioners

FROM : Director, Recreation Services

SUBJECT : Extension of Kitsilano Pool Operating Season – Board Briefing Memo

Dear Commissioners,

The purpose of this memo is to update you on the Kitsilano Pool 2025 operating season. Park Board staff and the Facilities Management and Operational Excellence (FMOE) department have made the necessary staffing and operational adjustments to extend the Kitsilano Pool season until September 7, 2025.

Park Board's other outdoor pools, Second Beach, New Brighton, and Maple Grove will close as planned on September 2, 2025. Many staff at these sites will return to their regular full-time jobs or educational studies. Those staff that remain will be reallocated to Kitsilano Pool to ensure effective operations until September 7, 2025.

Following the closure on September 7, 2025, FMOE will perform year-end routine maintenance work, as well as continue with off-season repairs.

This week staff will be communicating the extension of the Kitsilano Pool to media on our social media channels and via Vancouver.ca.

Regards,

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