



MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF COUNCIL HELD IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER AND ELECTRONICALLY (HYBRID) FROM CITY HALL, 141 WEST 14TH STREET, NORTH VANCOUVER, BC, ON MONDAY, MARCH 2, 2026

PRESENT: Mayor L. Buchanan
Councillor H. Back
Councillor D. Bell
Councillor A. Girard
Councillor J. McIlroy
Councillor S. Shahriari
Councillor T. Valente

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 pm.

Mayor Buchanan provided comments regarding the Iranian community in the City of North Vancouver and the hope for peace and freedom in Iran. Councillor Shahriari provided comments regarding the violence in Iran and the hope for peace.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Moved by Councillor Girard, seconded by Councillor Back

1. Regular Council Meeting Agenda, March 2, 2026

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY
R2026-03-02/1

ADOPTION OF MINUTES

Moved by Councillor Bell, seconded by Councillor Valente

2. Regular Council Meeting Minutes, February 23, 2026

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY
R2026-03-02/2

PUBLIC INPUT PERIOD

- Whalen Rozenek, North Vancouver, spoke regarding the dog park at East 8th Street and Lonsdale Avenue.

CONSENT AGENDA

Moved by Councillor Shahriari, seconded by Councillor Valente

THAT the recommendation listed within the "Consent Agenda" be approved.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

START OF CONSENT AGENDA

BYLAW – ADOPTION

3. “Zoning Bylaw, 1995, No. 6700, Amendment Bylaw, 2026, No. 9152” (Nuytco Research Ltd., 214 East Esplanade, M-4)

Moved by Councillor Shahriari, seconded by Councillor Valente

THAT “Zoning Bylaw, 1995, No. 6700, Amendment Bylaw, 2026, No. 9152” (Nuytco Research Ltd., 214 East Esplanade, M-4) be adopted, signed by the Mayor and Corporate Officer and affixed with the corporate seal.

(CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY BY CONSENT)

R2026-03-02/3

END OF CONSENT AGENDA

BYLAW – ADOPTION

4. “Official Community Plan Bylaw, 2014, No. 8400, Amendment Bylaw, 2025, No. 9141” (City Initiated Amendment to Update Regional Context Statement)

Moved by Councillor Girard, seconded by Councillor McIlroy

THAT “Official Community Plan Bylaw, 2014, No. 8400, Amendment Bylaw, 2025, No. 9141” (City Initiated Amendment to Update Regional Context Statement) be adopted, signed by the Mayor and Corporate Officer and affixed with the corporate seal.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

R2026-03-02/4

DELEGATION

Annwen Loverin, Executive Director, and Richard Gauntlett, President of the Board of Directors, Silver Harbour Seniors’ Activity Centre

Re: Silver Harbour Seniors’ Activity Centre

Annwen Loverin and Richard Gauntlett, Silver Harbour Seniors’ Activity Centre, provided a PowerPoint presentation regarding the “Silver Harbour Seniors’ Activity Centre” and responded to questions from Council.

CORRESPONDENCE

5. Annwen Loverin, Executive Director, Silver Harbour Seniors’ Activity Centre, January 5, 2026 – File: 01-0230-20-0054/2026

Re: Silver Harbour Seniors’ Activity Centre

Moved by Councillor Girard, seconded by Councillor Bell

THAT the correspondence from Annwen Loverin, Executive Director, Silver Harbour Seniors’ Activity Centre, dated January 5, 2026, regarding the “Silver Harbour Seniors’ Activity Centre”, be received for information with thanks.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

R2026-03-02/5

PRESENTATION

Harry Jerome Community Recreation Centre and Silver Harbour Seniors' Activity Centre Update – Deputy Chief Administrative Officer

The Deputy Chief Administrative Officer, along with Paul Fast, Principal, HCMA, and Greg Scott, Project Director, MAKE Projects, provided a PowerPoint presentation regarding the “Harry Jerome Community Recreation Centre and Silver Harbour Seniors' Activity Centre Update” and responded to questions from Council.

PUBLIC CLARIFICATION PERIOD

Nil.

COUNCIL INQUIRIES

Nil.

NEW ITEMS OF BUSINESS

Nil.

NOTICES OF MOTION

Nil.

RECESS TO CLOSED SESSION

Moved by Councillor Bell, seconded by Councillor Girard

THAT Council recess to the Committee of the Whole, Closed Session, pursuant to the *Community Charter*, Sections 90(1)(k) [contract negotiations/proposed service] and 90(2)(b) [intergovernmental relations].

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

The meeting recessed to the Committee of the Whole, Closed Session, at 7:54 pm and reconvened at 10:14 pm with all members of Council present.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE (CLOSED SESSION)

Moved by Councillor McIlroy, seconded by Councillor Girard

THAT the actions directed regarding the following items from the Committee of the Whole (Closed Session) of March 2, 2026, be ratified:

6. Intergovernmental Relations – File: 01-0110-10-0001/2026

Report: Chief Administrative Officer, March 1, 2026

PURSUANT to the report of the Chief Administrative Officer, dated March 1, 2026, regarding intergovernmental relations:

THAT the wording of the resolution and the report of the Chief Administrative Officer, dated March 1, 2026, remain in the Closed session.

R2026-03-02/6

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

ADJOURN

Moved by Councillor Bell, seconded by Councillor Back

THAT the meeting adjourn.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

The meeting adjourned at 10:15 pm.

“Certified Correct by the Corporate Officer”

CORPORATE OFFICER