Council Priorities & Achievements

2018-2022 COUNCIL STRATEGIC PLAN UPDATE

MARCH 2022

Council’s vision is for the City of North Vancouver to be The Healthiest Small City in the World.

Council’s Strategic Plan supports Council’s decision-making for future initiatives, projects and plans and guides staff, partners and our community during Council’s four year term (2018-2022). Learn more at cnv.org/councilpriorities.

**Council Priorities**

These five priorities support Council’s vision and guide our work. For each priority, the plan identifies where we’re going, how we get there and what guides us.

- **A CITY FOR PEOPLE** is welcoming, inclusive, safe, accessible and supports the health and well-being of all.
- **A LIVEABLE CITY** leads the way in climate action and acts as a steward of the environment for future generations.
- **A PROSPEROUS CITY** supports a diverse economy by creating an environment where new and existing businesses can grow and thrive.
- **A CONNECTED CITY** provides active and sustainable ways for people and goods to move to, from and within the City safely and efficiently.
- **A VIBRANT CITY** is where dynamic public spaces and places provide opportunities for connection and enable residents to engage with their community and celebrate their culture and history.

**Current projects and initiatives**

- Harry Jerome Community Recreation Centre and Silver Harbour construction
- St. Andrew's Park improvements
- Dog Strategy
- Esplanade Complete Street
- Climate and Environment Strategy
- Mobility Strategy
- Community Wellbeing Strategy
- Shipyards infrastructure improvements
- Open Streets in the City
- Economic Investment Strategy

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## A CITY FOR PEOPLE
- Community Wellbeing Strategy development
- Balanced Housing Lab report completed fall 2021
- Final Child Care Action Plan delivered in 2020
- Delivered 19 mid-market rental units in 2020
- Completed Housing Needs Report, secured provincial funding in 2021 to diversify housing options
- Community Recreation Strategy Phase 1

## A LIVEABLE CITY
- New Climate and Environment Strategy scope adopted 2019
- Climate & Environment Task Force launched 2020
- Planted over 4,700 trees and shrubs
- Hosted 44 Park Stewardship Events, with 4000+ volunteer hours
- Launched Electric Vehicle Strategy
- Transitioning LEC to low-carbon energy sources
- Sidewalk improvements to improve safety and access
- Lime e-bike share system launched in 2021
- Undertook several park improvement projects

## A VIBRANT CITY
- Opened Shipyards skating plaza and splash park in 2019
- Expanded Parklet Program through Open Streets initiative
- Built 8 parklets
- Configured parklet pods to support businesses through COVID-19
- Opened Museum of North Vancouver in December 2021
- Hosted several City events including Studio in the Streets and Youth Week

## A CONNECTED CITY
- Launched RapidBus service (east-west BLine) in 2021
- Completed Burrard Inlet Rapid Transit Technical Feasibility Study in 2021
- Completed safety improvements (traffic calming, painted crosswalks, etc.) on school routes
- Built 3.5 kms of protected mobility lanes since 2019
- Secured funding for Upper Levels Greenway and Casano-Loutet Overpass in 2021
- Completed draft Mobility Strategy in 2021

## A PROSPEROUS CITY
- Created Lower Lonsdale Brewery District
- Supported businesses during COVID-19 through Open Streets Action Plan
- Received $1M provincial infrastructure grant in 2021 for Shipyards
- Fostered expansion of Business Improvement Association (BIA); renewed Lower Lonsdale BIA for 8 years
- Business Licensing Services Review to streamline processes for local businesses