

CITY OF NANAIMO
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Mayor's Leaders' Table Work thus far


March 8, 2023

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June 8, 2023

- Inaugural meeting
 - Nanaimo Regional General Hospital patient tower
 - Equitable housing
 - Community fibre optic network
 - NRGH Cancer Centre
 - South End Community Centre



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Opening Roundtable

- Vancouver Island is home to nearly a million people and Nanaimo plays a critical role in providing services as a central hub for the entire Island.
- Making partnerships tangible and changing the conversation with other levels of government to leverage our requests and ensure Nanaimo is the place where investment is happening.
- Finding ways to integrate VIU into the broader community and taking advantage of the ways that VIU could support the labour market, medical fields, and our aging demographic.
- Strong motivation for collaboration and opportunities to build across various interests and needs and “get things done.”
- Focusing on very specific needs for investment.
- Support the Nanaimo Prosperity Corporation to get up and running and give it the independence it requires to tackle key projects associated with economic development and growth.
- Snuneymuxw’s collaboration and partnership on many of the priority projects identified as a priority.

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July 27, 2023

- Donna Hais’ update Nanaimo Regional General Hospital - public relations campaign.
 - Motion that the Mayor’s Leaders’ Table provide a letter of support to the Province for a Catheterization Lab and Patient Tower at Nanaimo Regional General hospital.
 - Motion that the Mayor’s Leaders’ Table recommend that Council:
 - Provide a letter of support to the Province for a Catheterization Lab and Patient Tower at Nanaimo Regional General Hospital;
 - Direct Staff to assist with the promotion of a media campaign for both the Catheterization Lab and Patient Tower;
 - Send letters to surrounding municipalities asking for their support by writing to the Province requesting a Catheterization Lab and Patient Tower at Nanaimo Regional General Hospital; and,
 - Advocate whenever possible for the building of a Catheterization Lab and Patient Tower at Nanaimo Regional General Hospital.

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July 27, 2023 cont'd

- Community Fibre Optic Network
 - Motion that the Mayor's Leaders' Table recommend that Council direct Staff to prepare a report that provides options for expanding and integrating the City's fibre network.
- South End Community Centre
 - Motion that the Mayor's Leaders' Table support the creation of a South End Community Centre.
- Advocacy Strategy Development



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September 14, 2023

- Report re: Donna Hais' Presentation to Council 2023-AUG-28
- Equitable Housing – Housing First Plus (Dave Witty)
- Staff Presentations on Housing
 - Housing Needs Report 2023
 - Infill Housing and Secondary Suite Regulations
 - Increasing Adaptable Housing in Nanaimo
 - Increasing Family-Friendly Housing in Nanaimo
 - Motion that the Mayor's Leaders' Table support Staff's proposed amendments to City of Nanaimo Zoning Bylaw related to above.
 - Motion that the Mayor's Leaders' Table recommend that Council direct Staff to prepare an information package for the Mayor's Leaders' Table that outlines steps the City has taken to provide a coordinated approach to health and housing.

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December 15, 2023

- Coordinated Health and Housing Completion (Kasia Beigun)
 - Downstream, midstream, upstream programs
 - Affordable housing, pre-zoning, tenant relocation, land acquisition for housing
 - BC Housing MOU, UBCM/Provincial advocacy
 - Implications of Housing Bills (44, 46, 47)
 - Level of homeless in Nanaimo vs Vancouver



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December 15, 2023 cont'd

- City Fibre Strategy (Kerry Ing)
 - Motion that the Mayor's Leaders' Table recommend that Council direct Staff to prepare a report with options and costs for expanding the City's fibre network
- Verbal Update re: Nanaimo Regional General Hospital Advocacy (Donna Hais)
- Verbal Update re: South End Community Centre (Richard Harding)



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