

# Upcoming GPC Topics and Initiatives

May 12, 2025 – GPC Meeting		
1 pm	Social Issues Initiatives	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Provide update on heating, cooling and feeding centres and shelter spaces. Invite representatives from Island Health, Vancouver Island Regional Library and the Nanaimo Systems Planning Organization to participate in discussion.</li> <li><b>Note:</b> to be a stand-alone GPC topic (2024-NOV-4 Council &amp; 2024-NOV-25 GPC motion)</li> </ul>
June 23, 2025 – GPC Meeting		
1 pm	Parking Review and Bylaw Update (Several IAP Priority Actions Items)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Coordinated project between Current Planning and Transportation (presentation by consultant) (2024-DEC-16 Council motion)</li> </ul>
	Urban Tree Canopy Management Strategy (IAP Priority Action #16)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Provide an update to Council on the strategy (2024-JUL-8 Council motion)</li> </ul>
	Development Cost Charge and Amenity Cost Charge Bylaw Review (IAP Priority Action #203)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Discussion took place at the 2024-NOV-25 GPC regarding DCC and ACC Programs. Staff noted that a draft bylaw with updated DCC rates would be brought forward in 2025</li> <li><b>Note:</b> staff are required to conduct public consultation and seek minister's approval of the bylaw</li> </ul>
July 14, 2025 – GPC Meeting		
1 pm	Zoning Bylaw Review (IAP Priority Action #195)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Review options and themes for updating the City's Zoning Bylaw</li> </ul>
	Officer Designation and Delegation of Authority Bylaw Update (IAP Priority Action #70)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Includes review conducted of the Development Approval Process Review (endorsed through 2024-JUL-22 Council motion)</li> </ul>
	Demolition and Deconstruction Bylaw (IAP Priority Action #33)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Report on existing deconstruction bylaws, key elements of a draft bylaw and the challenges and opportunities for regulating deconstruction in Nanaimo.</li> <li>Report to include options for Council to consider for proceeding with drafting a bylaw</li> <li>Presentation by industry representatives</li> <li><b>Note:</b> To be brought forward before the end of the second quarter of 2025 (2024-DEC-09 GPC motion)</li> </ul>
	City Plan Review Project	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Presenting the status of the project. There may be decision points for Council to consider</li> <li><b>Note:</b> it is a Provincial requirement that the City review and amend its OCP by 2025-DEC-31 to address housing needed. Bylaw readings and a public hearing is required</li> </ul>

October 27, 2025 – GPC Meeting		
1 pm	Controlling Sale of Invasive Species	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Report on options to prohibit the sale and spread of invasive species and options for the recovery of the cost abatement of such species (2025-MAR-3 Council motion)</li> </ul>
	Incentives that support City Plan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(2024-NOV-4 Council motion)</li> </ul>
	Tenant Relocation Protection Project (IAP Priority Action #73)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Creation of a policy to support tenants impacted by redevelopment and displacement</li> </ul>

Legend	
	Council/GPC requested topics
	Staff initiatives
	Integrated Action Plan (IAP) program

## 2025 GPC Dates

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No GPC meetings scheduled for August/September		
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