



MINUTES - VICTORIA CITY COUNCIL

January 26, 2023, 6:30 P.M.

Council Chambers, City Hall, 1 Centennial Square

The City of Victoria is located on the homelands of the Songhees and Esquimalt People

PRESENT: Mayor Alto in the Chair, Councillor Coleman, Councillor Dell, Councillor Hammond, Councillor Kim, Councillor Loughton, Councillor Thompson

PRESENT ELECTRONICALLY: Councillor Caradonna, Councillor Gardiner

STAFF PRESENT: J. Jenkyns - City Manager, P. Bellefontaine - Director of Engineering & Public Works, C. Kingsley - City Clerk, C. Mycroft - Manager of Executive Operations, C. Anderson - Deputy City Clerk, M. Heiser - Council Secretary

A. MUSIC

Music Performance by the Satie Duo from the Victoria Conservatory of Music.

B. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

The City Clerk outlined amendments to the agenda.

Moved By Councillor Coleman
Seconded By Councillor Hammond

That the agenda be approved as amended.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

D. REQUESTS TO ADDRESS COUNCIL

Councillor Gardiner joined the meeting at 6:33 p.m.

Moved By Councillor Coleman
Seconded By Councillor Dell

That the following speakers be permitted to address Council.

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D.1 Lihan Adam: Helping the Elderly

Outlined reasons Council should consider supporting the advancement of accessible taxi vans with upgraded wheelchair accessibility to aid people with mobility issues.

D.2 Michael P. Doherty: Recycling - Proposed Amendment to Bylaw No. 12-086

Outlined reasons Council should consider amendments to the Solid Waste Bylaw to include recycling regulations that address buildings with more than 3 residences to ensure recyclable materials are not misplaced in garbage collection.

D.3 Maria Varem: Greater Victoria Green Team Volunteer Program

Outlined to Council the Greater Victoria Green Team volunteer program and activities including and its history, goals, and objectives.

D.4 Kaitlin Warren: Green Teams of Canada's Partnership Model

Outlined to Council the Green Teams of Canada's Community Investment Partnership model, highlighted its development, and shared the potential benefits such partnership with the City of Victoria could enable.

D.5 Sally Chaster, Vancouver Island Voices for Eating Disorders: Eating Disorders Awareness Week

Outlined reasons Council should endorse the proclamation for Eating Disorders Awareness Week and highlighted the need for support and improved services for adults with eating disorders.

D.6 Sara Maksymowicz: Eating Disorder Awareness Week 2023

Outlined to Council personal experiences in the medical system and the desperate need for services and medical treatment for adults with eating disorders on Vancouver Island.

N. ADJOURNMENT

Moved By Councillor Coleman

Seconded By Councillor Loughton

That the Council meeting be adjourned at 7:01 p.m.

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CITY CLERK

MAYOR