

Council highlights are a brief summary of meetings of Council. If you require an official record, minutes are posted to the website. Meetings held in the Forum may be viewed online, either [livestreamed or archived](#).

Highlights from Council Meeting on August 21, 2017

Mayor Lefebvre recognized the people of the Coast Salish Nations and their territory upon which we gather with gratitude.

Delegations

- Madeleine Neill-St Clair presented a proposal to erect a life-sized statue of "Flying Phil" St Luke at a location along the Canada Day parade route. Council directed staff to prepare a report outlining options for public recognition of significant contributions to the community.
- Peter Lefeaux and Novah Jestico of Grandview Shores, 255 Hirst Avenue presented concerns about parking near driveways. Council directed staff to include the costs of reinstating the curb-painting program in the 2018 budget and to paint the curbs as soon as possible in front of 255 Hirst Avenue to identify the three metre parking setback.

Reports

- Council received the report regarding an application for rezoning at 846 Island Highway West, Electoral Area G of the Regional District of Nanaimo which informed Council of a cash contribution of \$76,000 to the City for future construction within the Stanhope Road right-of-way.
- Council directed staff to proceed through either City staff or private contractor to undertake clean-up at an unsightly property at 608 Willow Street with expenses directed to the registered owner. If expenses are not paid by the end of the current year, the cost will be added to the property taxes pursuant to the *Community Charter*.
- A report from the Chief Administrative Officer provided Council with information and options for addressing illicit drug use in the City of Parksville. Council agreed the situation should be monitored over the next six months while continuing with current activities to determine if further action is considered appropriate.

New Business

- A motion brought forward regarding upland water storage and not voted on was referred to a future Council meeting to be addressed by the Manager of Water Resources.

**The next regular Council meeting will be held on Wednesday, September 6, 2017
Please refer to the City's website for details.**

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