

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 October 1, 2018**

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

#### **Delegations**

- The Parksville Community Centre Society presented the 2019 facility budget and five-year financial plan. Council deferred approval of the budget until November 19, but approved a two-year renewal of the facility operating agreement.

#### **Reports**

- The Emergency Program Coordinator gave an update on current initiatives and projects.
- Council received a report on the new local emergency plan format for the mid-Island region.
- Council issued a development variance permit and approved an easement agreement for 1 Trill Drive to facilitate increased fence heights.
- Staff were directed to proceed with the Rath Trevor greenway project as presented by the Director of Engineering and Operations.
- Staff were authorized to award the construction contract for intersection signals at Shelly Road and Highway 19A.
- Staff were authorized to award a contract for the design of the Pym Street and Forsyth Street capital upgrades.
- Council received a report on the proposed bylaw to reduce single-use plastic bags. The bylaw was approved in principle with the amendment that fines will come into effect in March 2020.
- Fall 2018 grant-in-aid allocations were approved.

#### **Bylaws**

- The amended Bylaw No. 1549, to implement a single-use plastic bag reduction program, was read three times.
- Bylaw No. 2000.117, to amend the zoning at 161 and 173 Moilliet Street North, received third reading.
- Two bylaws were adopted:
  - Bylaw No. 1544.1, to amend the 2018 - 2022 final financial plan.
  - Bylaw No. 1548, to authorize 2019 permissive tax exemptions.

**The next regular meeting of Council will be held on Monday, November 5, 2018.  
Please refer to the City's website for details.**

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