

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

Highlights from Council Meeting on January 16, 2023

Acting Mayor Beil recognized the Coast Salish peoples and their traditional territory upon which we gather with gratitude.

COUNCIL RECEIVED THE FOLLOWING DELEGATIONS

- Risebridge Society formally introduced program plans and service offerings for the community and provided an update on the warming shelter and daytime service supports.

COUNCIL RECEIVED THE FOLLOWING CORRESPONDENCE

- Report from the Englishman River Water Service Management Board Chair regarding the 2023 - 2027 ERWS Financial Plan; Council adopted the City's portion and included it in the City's financial plan.
- Report from the Arrowsmith Water Service Management Board Chair regarding the 2023 - 2027 AWS Financial Plan; Council adopted the City's portion and included it in the City's financial plan.

COUNCIL RECEIVED THE FOLLOWING REPORTS

- Development variance permit application to facilitate an accessory building at 123 Shelly Road; staff were authorized to proceed with notice of Council consideration.
- Development permit was re-issued for a three-storey mixed use building at 155 Hirst Avenue East.
- Development permit was issued for a single-family dwelling and detached garage at 541 Martindale Road.
- Contract for playground surfacing at the Community Park Lions Venture Land playground was awarded.
- Consideration of a contract for security guard and patrol services was deferred.
- Contract for refuse container services was awarded.
- Contract for a Water Utility Master Plan was awarded.
- Follow-up report on group benefits for elected officials; Council chose not to advance the associated bylaw to the statutory process.
- Appointment of a bylaw compliance officer.
- Unsightly property at 1460 Seaway Drive; Council declared the condition of the property to be in hazardous condition and a nuisance and the registered owners directed to undertake remedial action.

BYLAWS

- Final adoption
 - "Council Procedure Amendment Bylaw, 2022, No. 1541.3"
 - "Five Year Financial Plan Amendment Bylaw, 2022-2026, No. 1577.1"

NOTICE OF MOTION

- Councillor Fras provided notice of a motion for a statue in memoriam of "Flying Phil" St. Luke.

LIAISON REPORTS

- Councillor Gaur provided updates on the Access Oceanside Association.
- Councillor Martin provided an update on the Oceanside Task Force on Homelessness.

The next regular meeting of Council will be held on Monday, February 6, 2023, at 10 am in the Forum.

Please refer to the City's website for details. For more information, contact administration@parksville.ca; 250 954-3060