



# City of Port Moody

## Minutes

### Youth Focus Committee

Minutes of the meeting of the Youth Focus Committee held on Wednesday, June 8, 2022 via Zoom.

#### **Present**

Eleanor Wang, Chair  
Arun Ghag, Vice-Chair  
Esme Harris  
Nathanael Ip  
Amber Leung  
Daniel Seo  
Leah Song  
Troy Tija  
Ryan Zhou

#### **Absent**

Clara Beckwith-Jamieson (Regrets)  
Jim LaCroix – Manager of Recreation  
Nicole Leng  
Mayor Rob Vagramov – Alternate Council Representative

#### **In Attendance**

Esin Gozukara – Committee Coordinator  
Corina Lefebvre – Recreation Coordinator  
Councillor Steve Milani – Council Representative

#### **1. Call to Order**

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#### **Call to Order**

1.1 The Chair called the meeting to order at 5:04pm.

#### **Acknowledgement of Unceded Territories**

1.2 The Committee acknowledged the traditional territories of the Coast Salish First Nations.

#### **2. Adoption of Minutes**

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#### **Minutes**

##### **2.1 YFC22/010**

Moved, seconded, and CARRIED

**THAT the minutes of the Youth Focus Committee meeting held Wednesday, May 11, 2022 be adopted.**

#### **3. Unfinished Business**

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#### 4. New Business

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##### Youth Scholarship Award Recipient 90(1)(b)

##### 4.1 YFC22/011

Moved, seconded, and CARRIED

**THAT, pursuant to section 90 of the *Community Charter*, this portion of the Regular Meeting of the Youth Focus Committee be closed to the public as the subject matter being considered relates to the following:**

- **90(1)(b) – personal information about an identifiable individual who is being considered for a municipal award or honour, or who has offered to provide a gift to the municipality on condition of anonymity.**

The Regular meeting of the Youth Focus Committee recessed at 5:05pm and reconvened at 5:09pm.

##### 2021-2022 Annual Report

##### 4.2 The Recreation Coordinator provided an overview of the 2021-2022 Youth Focus Committee Annual Report and requested Committee members' feedback.

##### YFC22/012

Moved, seconded, and CARRIED

**THAT the 2021-2022 Youth Focus Committee Annual Report be approved.**

##### Orange Shirt Day

##### 4.3 The Committee noted the following:

- an in-person event, including a roundtable with Indigenous speakers in the community and educational activities, was initially considered in 2021 but a social media post with educational resources was prepared instead;
- for 2022, a more impactful activity that bring the community together could be planned;
- a collaboration with the hatcheries in Port Moody could be considered;
- a memorial board could be created using submissions from participants that share what Orange Shirt Day means to them on index cards;
- the index cards could be placed at different areas throughout the city, and the cards could be used to create a mural;
- the Galleria at City Hall could be the most suitable spot to place the index cards for residents to fill out, as the board could be monitored by staff and the foot traffic is high;
- the Committee could create a social media post for participants who are unable to comment in-person to share their submission;

- educational resources could be provided with the index cards;
- the index cards could be orange shirt cut outs of paper, and a token of support could be created for residents to show support; and
- these ideas could be presented to the Committee for next term.

**Applications for Next Term**

- 4.4 The Recreation Coordinator expressed gratitude to Committee members' for their work in the 2021-2022 Youth Focus Committee term. The Recreation Coordinator advised that some Committee members' terms are expiring at the end of August 2022 and encouraged eligible Committee members to reapply for the 2022-2023 term.

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5. Information

**Staff Updates**

- 5.1 The Recreation Coordinator noted that the nomination period for Youth Sports Award is open, and the deadline to submit nominations is Monday, August 8, 2022.

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6. Adjournment

The Chair adjourned the meeting at 5:30pm.