

**Excerpt from draft November 6, 2025, Seniors Focus Committee meeting regarding the 2025 Annual Report:**

The following is an extract of dialogue included in the draft minutes of the November 6, 2025, Seniors Focus Committee meeting where the 2025 Annual Report was discussed. The Committee reflected on the outcomes of 2025 and near the end of the conversation, a desire was expressed that all committee meetings should be held in a hybrid manner with in-person/online options, regardless of how many members intend to attend the meeting in person.

**6.1 Annual Report - 2025 Wrap Up**

Committee discussion ensued regarding the following topics:

- developments in Port Moody that are nearing completion and providing opportunity for seniors to move into;
- if a position such as an Older Person's Strategic Lead could be shared between different cities such as Coquitlam and Port Coquitlam;
- for the 2026 work plan, items that the 2026 Seniors Focus Committee could discuss are:
  - inviting speakers such as Dan Levitt and another professional to speak to the community;
  - bringing more cultural diversity to the Committee and events;
  - assessing accessibility in moving from transit stops to recreation centres and trail networks;
  - touring municipal facilities outside Port Moody to see their programming;
  - additional intergenerational programming;
- engaging with housing projects that create seniors housing;
- potential crossovers between civic facility plans such as the Kyle Centre Redevelopment project and the newly proposed library branches;
  - the Chair noted these two projects are in significantly different stages of execution; and
- appreciation for having the final meeting of 2025 held in a hybrid manner, after all other 2025 Seniors Focus Committee meetings were held online.

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*THAT the Seniors Focus Committee recommend to Council:*

*THAT Council consider holding all advisory committee meetings in a hybrid format with both in-person and online options for participants.*

Moved, seconded, and CARRIED