

Request to Appear as a Delegation

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Name of Delegation: Burrard Inlet Fish Fest and Indigenous Canoe Race
Name of Primary Contact Person: Jay Peachy
Name(s) of Delegation Member(s) in Attendance: Stephen Armstrong Jay Peachy
Purpose of Delegation: 1) Thank you presentation to City of Port Moody Mayor and Council for support of Burrard Inlet Fish Fest and Indigenous Canoe Race. 2) Announce intent Fish Fest Creative Cafe. Seek council support for 2020 Season Series 3) Announce intent and seek support in principal for Fish Fest Canoe
Details of Request: On August 10, 2019 For this first time in over 100 years Indigenous Youth Canoe racing was held as part of the Burrard Inlet Fish Fest. The organizers behind Burrard Inlet Fish Fest would like to formally express gratitude to the City of Port Moody for their support and would like to present a gift to commemorate this historical event. The presentation of this gift will be led by Xem Tu Mus (Stephen Armstrong) a member of Kwikwetlem First Nation. For the 2020 season Fish Fest will seek support for Fish Fest Creative Cafe series which was derived from the 2019 Festival programming. Instead of a singular event day, there will be a monthly Wednesday evening community engaged cafe series that reflects ecological values and encourages local creative, maker and DIY culture. We will be working with City Staff and the Red Fox Healthy Living Society, a youth based non-profit on this application. For 2021 Fish Fest - Indigenous Canoe Race it is intended that a spring race event is better suited in the schedule that fits within the greater community of well established canoe races.
Additional Information in Support of Request: