

All 10 city councillors to play role at city and regional government, commits Mayor-elect Sullivan

Vancouver, B.C. – November 30, 2005 – Ahead of his December 5th inauguration, Mayor-elect Sam Sullivan is recommending that all 10 city councillors play a role in both city and regional government.

"All of Vancouver's city councillors have an important role to play in the running of our city and that is reflected in the way I have recommended them all to these additional positions," says Mayor-elect Sullivan.

During their three years in city government, Mayor Larry Campbell and his COPE colleagues chose to block out opposition councillors from involvement in any significant city or regional appointments.

The number of opposition council recommendations also adds to Mayor-elect Sullivan's recent statements regarding collaboration and working together.

"I am committed to ensuring that council functions as a complete working group, in a spirit of cooperation and with as little infighting as possible," says Mayor-elect Sullivan. "It's time to end the bickering at City Hall."

Among the most prominent recommendations to the one-year appointments are Suzanne Anton, Elizabeth Ball, Kim Capri, Peter Ladner, BC Lee and Tim Stevenson to the GVRD. In addition to serving as the Chair of the Police Board, Mayor-elect Sullivan plans to sit on the Translink Board of Directors along with Suzanne Anton and Peter Ladner.

See additional list below for a complete list of the recommended appointments.



Standing Committees of Council Requiring Naming of Chair/Vice-Chair

Standing Committee	Chair	Vice-Chair
Standing Committee on Transportation and Traffic	BC Lee	Elizabeth Ball
Standing Committee on City Services and Budgets	Peter Ladner	Raymond Louie
Standing Committee on Planning and Environment	Suzanne Anton	Kim Capri

Regional Bodies/Municipal Associations Requiring Director Appointments

Organization	No. of Directors	Alternate
Greater Vancouver Regional District (GVRD) * 28 votes total – to be divided by Council amongst 6 directors (currently 4 directors have 5 votes and 2 directors have 4 votes)	Elizabeth Ball BC Lee Peter Ladner Suzanne Anton Tim Stevenson Kim Capri	Sam Sullivan Sam Sullivan Raymond Louie Sam Sullivan Sam Sullivan David Cadman
GVRD Labour Relations Bureau	Elizabeth Ball	Suzanne Anton
Lower Mainland Municipal Association	BC Lee	0
Lower Mainland Treaty Advisory Committee	George Chow	0
Federation of Canadian Municipalities	Suzanne Anton	Tim Stevenson*
Union of British Columbia Municipalities Executive	Kim Capri	0

Non-Profit Boards and Statutory Committees

Organization	No. of Appointments	Alternate
Hastings Institute Inc. Board	Sam Sullivan Heather Deal Tim Stevenson Raymond Louie Suzanne Anton	0
Vancouver Economic Development Commission	Peter Ladner Kim Capri	0
Vancouver Public Library Board	Elizabeth Ball	0
Parking Corporation of Vancouver	BC Lee	0
Vancouver Heritage Foundation Board	Elizabeth Ball	0
Family Court Youth Justice Committee	Kim Capri	0
City of Vancouver Public Housing Corporation	BC Lee Raymond Louie	0
Vancouver Civic Development Corporation	Sam Sullivan Peter Ladner Suzanne Anton	0
Harbour Park Developments Ltd.	Sam Sullivan	

Translink

Suzanne Anton
Peter Ladner
Sam Sullivan



*Non-voting delegate

