



**CITY OF RICHMOND**

**REPORT TO COUNCIL**

**TO:** Richmond City Council  
**FROM:** Greg Halsey-Brandt  
Mayor  
**RE: Committee Appointments**

**DATE:** March 8, 2001

**FILE:** -

**RECOMMENDATION**

1. That a Community Safety Committee be established and responsible for the areas of Police Services, Fire/Rescue, Emergency and Environmental Programs and Community Bylaws.
2. That members of the Committee be Bill McNulty (Chair), Councillor Ken Johnston (Vice Chair), Councillors Derek Dang, Kiichi Kumagai, Malcolm Brodie, and Linda Barnes.
3. That the Chair of the Community Safety Committee be designated as Council's appointee to the Citizens' Advisory Committee on Policing.
4. That the Community Services Committee be renamed the Parks, Recreation and Cultural Services Committee.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Greg Halsey-Brandt".

Greg Halsey-Brandt  
Mayor

REPORT

With the creation of a new Community Safety Division under the direction of Chuck Gale as General Manager, it would seem consistent to create a new Committee of Council to work with that Division and deal with reports that pertain to that Division's responsibility. This new Community Safety Committee will deal with Fire/Rescue, Police Services, Emergency and Environmental Programs and Community Bylaws. As the Citizens' Advisory Committee on Policing will be reporting through the new Safety Committee, the Chair of the Community Safety Committee should be the Council representative on the Police Advisory Committee.

As Fire/Rescue and the Police will no longer be reporting through the Community Services Committee, the name of this Committee should be changed to the Parks, Recreation and Cultural Services Committee to better reflect its responsibilities. In addition to Parks, Recreation and Cultural Services, this Committee is responsible for liaison to the Library and the School Board.

Greg Halsey-Brandt  
Mayor