November 12, 2019

To: Mayor and Council

City of Richmond, BC

Attention: Clerk's Office, City of Richmond

Subject: Petition Requesting Improved Hours of Access at Steveston Pool

The Steveston Pool is referred to by many as 'Richmond's Best Kept Secret'. Many people who use or would like to use this pool believe that the days and hours that the pool is actually open are too restrictive and not the best utilization of such a valuable civic resource.

The people that we contacted who swim at the Steveston Pool are in favor of extending the days and hours that the pool is open. Currently, some Steveston Pool swimmers can only swim weekends, some can only swim during the week. Others will no longer swim once the Steveston Pool is closed for the season and some will go to Ladner to swim.

Specifically, we would ask that this pool:

- 1. Be open to the Public from the beginning of May until the end of September, 7 days a week beginning in 2020. This should continue beyond 2020;
- 2. Have Length Swimming Hours protected and continued for the duration of the Pool opening; and
- 3. The new hours of operation should be:
 - Weekends and Statutory Holidays: Length swim from 10am to noon. Public swim from noon to 7pm.
 - Weekdays: Length swim from noon to 2pm. Public swim from 2pm to 7pm.

This Petition has been signed by 109 individuals who swim at Steveston Pool or otherwise support the request for longer hours and more days of pool availability. Petition signatures were collected throughout the month of September, 2019 when length swimming was limited to a 2 hour daily window Monday to Friday.

The following documents are attached in support of this request to the City of Richmond:

- 1. The Petition request; and
- 2. Petition signatures (on 15 pages).

We ask that the City of Richmond acknowledge receipt of this Petition and associated documents <u>and</u> advise what and when action will be taken to address the concerns and requests that are outlined in the Petition.

We are scheduled to present this petition and rationale to the November 26, 2019 Parks, Recreation and Cultural Services Committee meeting and would also be available to meet other City representatives, as required.

Please contact the following in regard to this Petition:

Jim McGrath

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Thank you for acting on the concerns documented in this Petition.

The Steveston Pool Petition Action Team

Petition to the City of Richmond Requesting Increased Hours of Operation at the Steveston Pool

Many people have informally asked The City of Richmond to increase the hours and days of operation for the Steveston Pool. This pool is referred to by many people as "Richmond's best kept secret".

Many swimmers want to have increased opportunities to use the Steveston pool.

Currently, some Steveston Pool swimmers can only swim weekends, some can only swim during the week. Some will no longer swim once the Steveston Pool closes for the season and some will go to Ladner to swim.

We would like to see the Steveston Pool used to its full potential.

We, the undersigned, use the Steveston Pool or otherwise support improved hours and days of operation for this pool. Specifically, we ask that:

- The Steveston Pool be opened at the beginning of May, 2020 and remain open 7 days a week until September 30, 2020. This should continue beyond 2020.
- 2. Length Swimming should continue daily for the duration of the Pool opening.
- 3. The new hours of operation should be:
 - Weekends and Statutory Holidays: Length swim from 10am to noon.
 Public swim from noon to 7pm.
 - Weekdays: Length swim from noon to 2pm. Public swim from 2pm to 7pm.

In summary, we ask that the City of Richmond <u>increase the hours and days of operation at</u> the Steveston Pool.

Please give serious consideration to the concerns of the Richmond City taxpayers and advocates for the Steveston Pool.

The full list of Petition signatures is attached.

Thank you.

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Name(s) (please print)	Ann Bermack

**Please Note:

serious family emergency. Ann insisted that her name and contact information be added to this Petition and, if contacted by City Hall, she will The above individual, Ann Bermack, is a regular swimmer for many years at Steveston Pool. She was unable to sign this Petition due to a verify her support of this Petition.