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**COMMUNITY HERITAGE COMMISSION**

*HIS WORSHIP, THE MAYOR  
AND COUNCILLORS*

**SUBJECT: HERITAGE SOCIETY OF BC ANNUAL CONFERENCE,  
2007 MAY 31 – JUNE 03**

**RECOMMENDATION:**

1. THAT Council authorize up to four (4) Community Heritage Commission members to attend the Heritage Society of BC Annual Conference to be held at the Lonsdale Quay Hotel, North Vancouver on 2007 May 31 – June 03 at an approximate cost of \$3,000.

**REPORT**

The Community Heritage Commission, at its meeting held on 2007 April 05, received information from the Heritage Society of BC regarding upcoming Annual Conference. The Commission members expressed an interest in attending the Conference, which is to be held at the Lonsdale Quay Hotel in North Vancouver, B.C. on 2007 May 31 – June 03.

The 2007 Heritage BC Annual Conference will focus on the transformation of heritage waterfronts, and the challenges in balancing heritage values with cultural tourism and contemporary uses. Using three historic BC waterfronts as case studies, it will help to explore ideas and strategies for the management of heritage resources – in any setting.

Thursday's workshop will explore the benefits and opportunities a collaborative approach to packaging can provide to diverse sites, museums, heritage agencies and businesses.

Friday's program will feature sessions exploring waterfront history and developments, and Quay Walking Tour. Other Friday program highlights include Annual General Meeting, and Awards Banquet and Ceremony.

Saturday morning will include touring the City of Richmond's Tera Nova – a 63 acre City Park at the northwest tip of Lulu Island. The City of Richmond is committed to blending recreational reuse with foreshore conservation and rigorous reclamation of the remaining built infrastructure.

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*To: His Worship, the Mayor and Councillors*  
*From: Community Heritage Commission*  
*Re: Heritage Society of BC Annual Conference,*  
*2007 May 31 – June 03*  
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Arising from discussion, the Community Heritage Commission requested that Council authorize up to four (4) Community Heritage Commission members to attend the Heritage Society of BC 2007 Annual Conference at an approximate cost of \$3,000. The funds will be allocated from the Committees, Boards and Commissions budget.

Respectfully submitted,

Councillor Colleen Jordan  
Chair

Councillor Gary Begin  
Vice Chair