

CITY OF BURNABY COUNCIL IN BRIEF

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» [6.1 Confederation Park Community Centre Project](#)

City Council voted to abandon the Confederation Park Community Centre redevelopment project and cancel the existing contracts awarded through the public bid process, due to rising costs and funding challenges. Council further directed staff to return with a report on the scope and possible timing of taking on a different project to address the Confederation Park Community Centre needs in the future. The City will move forward with the Brentwood Community Centre project to meet the recreation needs of residents in Burnaby's northwest quadrant.

» [6.2 Mintara atop Burnaby Mountain Patio Expansion](#)

City Council considered the report recommendation to abandon the project due to costs and funding challenges but voted to continue with the patio expansion project at Mintara atop Burnaby Mountain due to the amount already invested in the project. The new, glass-enclosed patio area will add an additional 2,000 sq. ft. of dining space and 50 seats. The design also includes a complete bar, a barbecue section and basement storage space.

» [8.3 Building Permit Tabulation Report - From December 1 - December 31, 2024](#)

City Council received a report outlining the number of building permits issued from December 1 to December 31 of 2024. The City issued 92 total permits during this period and issued a total of 986 permits in 2024, representing a value of \$1.7 billion.

[Attachment 1 - Building Permit Tabulation Report No. 12](#)

» [12.1 Councillor Gu - Proposed Motion: Bike Playground](#)

City Council direct staff to explore the establishment of a bike playground in Burnaby. Bike playgrounds are designed to be safe places for children to learn to safely ride a bike, play on a bike and gain confidence in navigating infrastructure typically found in an urban environment.

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