

CITY OF BURNABY COUNCIL IN BRIEF

February 11, 2025

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» [6.1 Proposed 2025 LMLGA and UBCM Resolutions](#)

City Council approved three resolutions for submission to the 2025 Lower Mainland Local Government Association (LMLGA) Annual General Meeting and the Union of BC Municipalities (UBCM) Convention. The three resolutions are:

- Requesting the Province to enact controls over Wildlife Control (Capsaicin) Products (bear spray) in urban areas
- Requesting the Province to amend the Residential Tenancy Act and the Residential Tenancy Regulation to allow all property owners and operators of affordable inclusionary rental units, that are subject to tenant income eligibility requirements, to end tenancies if a tenant household ceases to qualify for the tenancy.
- Requesting that the Province re-establish a grant program in partnership with the UBCM to support communities in implementing local poverty reduction initiatives.

[Attachment 1 - Status of 2024 UBCM Resolutions](#)

» [7.2 Proposed Name for New Child Care Centre at 4838 Rowan Avenue](#)

City Council approved an amendment to the recommendation from staff, approving Rowan Avenue Child Care Centre as the name for the new child care facility on Rowan Avenue, which is set to open this year.

» [8.1 Growth of Events & Funding](#)

City Council received an update from staff regarding potential expansion plans for both Burnaby Blues + Roots festival and Car Free Days in Burnaby.

» [8.2 Food Sustainability and Grant Requests](#)

City Council directed staff to explore the feasibility of creating a community grant program to support food sustainability programs in Burnaby.

[Attachment 1 - Burnaby Food System Strategy \(2024\)](#)

» [11.1 Correspondence: Canadian Union of Postal Workers - Re: Industrial Inquiry Commission Reviewing Canada Post](#)

City Council endorsed a resolution presented by the Canadian Union of Postal Workers, calling on the federal government to make no changes to the Canada Post Corporation Act, Canada Post's mandate or the Canadian Postal Service Charter without a full, thorough, public review of Canada Post, including public hearings, with all key stakeholders, in every region of Canada.

[Attachment 1 - CUPW - Industrial Inquiry Commission seeking input](#)

[Attachment 2 - CUPW - Draft Resolution](#)

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