CITY OF PORT MOODY

Explore this guide for ways to engage in local government and help shape your city.



Public Delegations

- You may request to appear as a delegation, meaning to present to council, if you wish to speak at a live council meeting. See the Council Meetings webpage for information.
- Individuals or groups must submit a Delegation Request Form to City Hall by 9:30 am at least 8 days before the meeting they wish to speak at.
- Council will hear 1 delegation per meeting. Speakers have 5 minutes to present.



Speaking on a Member Motion

There are no instructions specific to addressing a member motion at a council meeting currently available. Refer to appearing as a delegate or speaking to council during public input periods.



Community Advisory Committees

- There are committees, commissions, and boards with different combinations of community members, council members, and city staff. See the Committees, Commissions and Boards webpage for information.
- List of committees, commissions, and boards: Advisory Design Panel; Arts, Culture, and Heritage Committee; Board of Variance; City Initiatives Planning Committee; Climate Action Committee; Economic Development and Tourism Committee; Finance Committee; Governance and Legislation Committee; Inclusion, Diversity, Equity, and Accessibility (IDEA) Committee; Land Use Committee; Library Board; Mayor's Arts and Business Coalition Task Force; Parks and Environment Committee; Seniors Focus Committee; Strategic Priorities Committee; Transportation Committee; Youth Focus Committee.
- Most committees have a 2-year term with a 2-term limit. Terms of reference may vary from committee to committee.
- Visit the Committees, Commissions and Boards webpage to view vacancies by committee.



- If you believe you will be affected by a proposed zoning bylaw, you may present your views to council. Visit the <u>Public Hearings webpage</u> for information.
- You may submit written comments ahead of the meeting or present in person or via Zoom.

Engagement Opportunities

- <u>Engage Port Moody</u>: Port Moody's online engagement hub. Provide feedback on city projects and register to be notified of upcoming engagements and project updates.
- Feedback for Council: Online feedback form.
- News Subscription: Register for news on city and council matters.
- Speak to Council: There is a public input period to speak to council at regular council meetings and standing committee meetings. Speakers have 2 minutes to provide input. See the public input section on the Delegation Request Form for more information.
- Citizen Advisory Group: Volunteer to provide input on city issues.



Official Community Plan (OCP)

- City of Port Moody has an Official Community Plan that lays out strategic objectives and visions for the city.
- Visit the <u>Official Community Plan webpage</u> for information and learn their priorities for the coming years.

Please note that all the information in this resource is subject to change as each city updates their plans, processes, and strategies. The information provided is up to date as of March 2024.

