



## Meeting Notes

City of Victoria Seniors Task Force  
Meeting #4  
January 20, 2020  
Ante Chamber, City Hall

1. Call to Order and Lekwungen Land Acknowledgement – thank you Lisa for your words and song
2. The majority of the meeting was spent reviewing topic areas for clarity, duplications and addition of any new items. Updates were made to the Draft Action Plan (*attached*). The draft recommendations will be used to create information boards that the public can read and provide comments. Further wordsmithing will take place after the engagement is complete.
3. Public Engagement Update
  - a. Engagement materials are being developed. Sample boards for the open houses were on display. Posters have been created and were distributed to task force members. Updates to the website ([www.victoria.ca/seniors](http://www.victoria.ca/seniors)) are underway. A communications plan has also been developed. For people wishing to comment, but unable to make it to any of the events, an opportunity to submit feedback by email has been created through the City's website.
  - b. Task Force members were asked to sign up for shifts at engagement events. Kimberley will work with all the seniors centres to fill open spots with their volunteers and staff. A reminder email will come out to volunteers the day before the event.

### **At this point we still need**

- Jan 28, 1:30 – 4pm, James Bay New Horizons – **2 volunteers**
- Jan 31, 9:30 – noon, Victoria Silver Threads – **4 volunteers**
- Feb 4, 2pm – 3pm, City Hall Town Hall – **3 volunteers**
- Feb 7, 1:30 – 4pm, Cook St Village Activity Centre – **5 volunteers**

If anyone not already on the list wants to help out at one of the events, please email Kimberley.

- c. The Town Hall has been set for February 4 in the afternoon. We will host an open house from 2 p.m. – 3 p.m.; the town hall portion will begin at 3 p.m. and go until everyone has had a chance to address Council.

Next meeting date will take place after all the engagement events and feedback has been received. We will communicate the date via email.

Attendees:

Christine Paisley	regrets
Darlene Strandlund	
Natasha Van Bentum	regrets
Henry Au	
Kate Day	
Carol Turnbull	
Kim Dixon	
Anne Logie	regrets
Kaye Kennish	
Mavis DeGirolamo	
Don Monsour	
Lynn Mullally	
Tracy Ryan	
Gail Snider	regrets
Ron George	
Judy Elk	
Lisa Mercure	
Bat-Ami Hensen	
Denise Cloutier	
Wendy Young	regrets
Megan Klammer	
Jo Ann Miller	
Jade Yehia	

Councillor Ben Isitt  
Councillor Geoff Young  
Kimberley Stratford