City Knocks Down Building on Napier Lane to Fulfill Standing Commitment to Replace Greenspace

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VICTORIA, BC — When the Burnside Gorge Community Centre was built in 2007, the City of Victoria committed to replace any lost green space. The City purchased the building at 3130 Napier Lane as an offset to the need for additional green space. Since the purchase, the building has been rented to three, small businesses to offset the purchase price of the building.

Demolition of the building is underway.

The additional green space is now included in the Cecelia Ravine Park Management Plan, currently being finalized in consultation with the community. This spring, park improvements will commence and could include a community garden, native plant restoration, a bike skills park, and a multi-use sports court for youth.

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