

Attachment 1

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Community and Individual Wellbeing is one of 12 goals in the Official Community Plan (OCP), which states: New Westminster is an equitable, inclusive, safe and welcoming place where all community members have opportunities to contribute, while feeling connected and accepted.

The OCP contains the following policies related to Community and Individual Wellbeing:

- *Create a community that is welcoming, inclusive and accepting of people with different backgrounds, cultures and lifestyles.*
- *Create a safe community for residents, students, visitors and workers.*

The City of New Westminster 2019 – 2022 Strategic Plan contains the following vision and core value:

- *Vision – A vibrant, compassionate, sustainable city that includes everyone.*
- *Core Value – Inclusion: We place high value on the principles of equality and equity and strive to build an environment where everyone is included, valued, and treated with dignity and respect.*