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MEMORANDUM

November 28, 2005

TO: Vancouver City Council

FROM: Syd Baxter, City Clerk

SUBJECT: 2006 Council Meetings Schedule

The following schedule of Council meetings for 2006 is recommended:

1:30 p.m. Monday	Council Briefing (or workshop). Briefings/workshops are held to provide background information and an understanding of significant issues before a relevant report is publicized or is before Council for a decision.
9:30 a.m., Tuesday	Standing Committee on Transportation & Traffic (T&T) and Regular Council meeting to adopt the recommendations of the Committee.
9:30 a.m., Tuesday or Wednesday; or 7:30 p.m. Thursday	Business License Hearing
2:00 p.m., Tuesday	Regular Council Meeting
7:30 p.m., Tuesday or Thursday	Public Hearing; Court of Revision (Crt of Revision - Eng. {Engineering - for approval of Local Improvements} or BIA {for approval of Business Improvement Area boundaries and levies})
9:30 a.m., Thursday	Standing Committee on City Services & Budgets (CS&B) and Regular Council meeting to adopt the recommendations of the Committee.
2:00 p.m., Thursday	Standing Committee on Planning & Environment (P&E) and Regular Council meeting to adopt the recommendations of the Committee.

Additional Tuesday or Thursday evenings on Council meeting weeks have been reserved for Special Council meetings to be held on single-issue items, if required.

2006 COUNCIL MEETINGS SCHEDULE

JANUARY	<u> </u>	
Skip	3	
Skip	10	
-	17	T&T Regular Council
	19	CS&B and P&E Committees; Business License Hearing (7:30 pm)
	24	Public Hearing (7:30 pm)
	31	Business License Hearing (9:30 am); Regular Council; Public Hearing (7:30 pm)
FEBRUAR	Υ	
	2	CS&B and P&E Committees
	8	Business License Hearing (9:30 am)
	14	T&T Committee; Regular Council; Business License Hearing (7:30 pm)
	16	CS&B and P&E Committees; Court of Revision - BIA (7:30 pm)
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	28	Business License Hearing (9:30 am); Regular Council; Public Hearing
		(7:30 pm)
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	2	CS&B and P&E Committees
	7	Business License Hearing (9:30 am); Regular Council
	9	CS&B and P&E Committees; Business License Hearing (7:30 pm)
Skip	14	Spring Break, March 13-17
	21	T&T Committee; Regular Council; Public Hearing (7:30 pm)
	22	Business License Hearing (9:30 am)
	23	CS&B and P&E Committees
Skip	28	
APRIL		
	4	Business License Hearing (9:30 am); Regular Council
	6	CS&B and P&E Committees; Business License Hearing (7:30 pm)
	12	Business License Hearing (9:30 am)
	18	T&T Committee; Regular Council; Public Hearing (7:30 pm)
	20	CS&B and P&E Committees
Skip	25	
MAY		
	2	Business License Hearing (9:30 am); Regular Council
	4	CS&B and P&E Committees; Court of Revision - Engineering (7:30 pm)
Skip	9	
	16	T&T Committee; Regular Council; Public Hearing (7:30 pm)
	18	CS&B and P&E Committees; Business License Hearing (7:30 pm)
	23	No Council Meeting
	25	CS&B and P&E Committees
	30	Business License Hearing; Regular Council

JUNE		
	1	No CS&B or P&E Meetings
Skip	6	FCM in Montreal, June 2-5
omp	13	T&T Committee; Regular Council; Public Hearing (7:30 pm)
	15	CS&B and P&E Committees; Business License Hearing (7:30 pm)
	21	Business License Hearing (9:30 am)
	27	Business License Hearing (7:30 am); Regular Council
	29	CS&B and P&E Committees
JULY		GOOD WIN FOLL COMMITTEESS
Skip	4	Canada Day, July 1
	11	Business License Hearing (9:30 am); Regular Council
	13	CS&B and P&E Committees; Business License Hearing (7:30 pm)
	18	T&T Committee; Regular Council; Public Hearing (7:30 pm)
	19	Business License Hearing (9:30 am)
	20	CS&B and P&E Committees
	25	No meetings scheduled
AUGUST	I	
	1-31	Summer Recess (BC Day, August 7)
SEPTEMB	ER	, , ,
Skip	5	Labour Day: September 4
	12	T&T Committee; Regular Council
	14	CS&B and P&E Committees; Business License Hearing (7:30 pm)
	20	Business License Hearing (9:30 am)
	26	Business License Hearing (9:30 am); Regular Council; Public Hearing
		(7:30 pm)
	28	CS&B and P&E Committees
OCTOBER		
	3	Business License Hearing (9:30 am); Regular Council
	5	CS&B and P&E Committees; Business License Hearing (7:30 pm)
	11	Special Council (Court of Revision - Land Averaging) (2:00 pm)
	17	T&T Committee; Regular Council; Public Hearing (7:30 pm)
	18	Business License Hearing (9:30 am)
	19	CS&B and P&E Committees;
Skip	24	UBCM in Victoria, October 23-27
	31	Regular Council (1:00 p.m.)
NOVEMBE		
	2	CS&B and P&E Committees; Business License Hearing (7:30 pm)
	7	Court of Revision - Eng (7:30 pm)
	9	Business License Hearing (9:30 am)
	14	T&T Committee; Regular Council; Public Hearing (7:30 pm)
	16	CS&B and P&E Committees
Skip	21	
	28	Business License Hearing (9:30 am); Regular Council
	30	CS&B and P&E Committees; Business License Hearing (7:30 pm)

DECEMBER		
	12	T&T Committee; Regular Council; Public Hearing (7:30 pm)
	14	CS&B and P&E Committees
Skip	19/26	Christmas

In addition to the foregoing schedule, Council members are requested to reserve all Tuesday and Thursday evenings, during the weeks of Regular Council meetings, for the scheduling of Special Council meetings and additional Public Hearings as may be required.

Council members are also requested to reserve all Monday afternoons (1:30 to 3:30 pm), during the weeks of Regular Council meetings, for the scheduling of Staff/Council briefings.

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