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MOTION ON NOTICE

1. Completion of the City of Vancouver's Seawall - Kitsilano to Jericho

MOVER: Councillor George Affleck

SECONDER: Councillor Adriane Carr

WHEREAS

1. The seawall defines the City of Vancouver and distinguishes Vancouver from all other cities;
2. The seawall is about 22 km long and encompasses most of the waterfront of Vancouver, excluding industrial zones and the Fraser River;
3. The seawall is the most heavily used of all Vancouver Park Board facilities;
4. The only remaining major area of the city not included in the seawall network is in Kitsilano near Point Grey Road;
5. The Transportation Plan is considering options to improve cycling facilities along Point Grey Road;
6. The 2040 Transportation Plan does not incorporate the option of extending the seawall along the foreshore in this area;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT staff report back on the public process, cost, options, and potential funding partners related to building a seawall for cyclists and pedestrians along the foreshore area adjacent to Point Grey Road, in order to complete the seawall network from Kitsilano Pool to Jericho Park. The report should also address concerns related to the environment, residential security, and rising seawater levels and potential erosion.

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