

COUNCIL MEMBERS' MOTION

2. Anti-racism and Decolonization Education

Submitted by: Councillor Fry

WHEREAS

1. The City of Vancouver is open with its commitment to anti-racism, decolonization, reconciliation, and dismantling white supremacy.
2. On March 12, 2024, City Council passed a motion directing "THAT Mayor and Councillors receive updated human rights training as part of their regular education sessions with the Integrity Commissioner's Office."

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED

- A. THAT Council affirm the importance of ongoing education for City leadership in anti-racism, decolonization, reconciliation, and dismantling white supremacy.
- B. THAT Council recommend that human rights training provided to Mayor and Council by the Integrity Commissioner's Office contain specific anti-racism training, including:
 - The role of anti-racism in dismantling systems of oppression;
 - The distinctions between Decolonization and Reconciliation; and
 - Mayor and Council acknowledging their settler Land Acknowledgement/Colonial Stories on how they came to this land dating back to the first settler from their family history.

FURTHER THAT the source of funding for said extra human rights training is to be Councillors' Travel and Training Expense Budget.

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