

THE CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF SAANICH



**2026 Appointments**

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**2026 ACTING MAYOR SCHEDULE**

January	Councillor Karen Harper
February	Councillor Teale Phelps Bondaroff
March	Councillor Susan Brice
April	Councillor Colin Plant
May	Councillor Zac de Vries
June	Councillor Judy Brownoff
July	Councillor Mena Westhaver
August	Councillor Nathalie Chambers
September	Councillor Karen Harper
October	Councillor Teale Phelps Bondaroff

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<b>SAANICH ADVISORY COMMITTEES, BOARD AND FOUNDATION</b>			
<b>ADVISORY DESIGN PANEL – Two Year Term (Except Where Noted)</b>			
Will King (Alternate Architect)	Nov 2025		Dec 2026
Mackenzie Sinclair (Architect)	Nov 2025		Dec 2027
Justin Gammon (Specialist)	Nov 2024		Dec 2026
Xeniya Vins (Architect)	Nov 2024		Dec 2026
Sean Partlow (Landscape Architect)	Mar 2025	Nov 2025	Dec 2027
Katharine Walker (Landscape Architect)	Mar 2026		Dec 2026
Greg Gillespie (Building Industry Rep)	Dec 2019	Nov 2025	Dec 2027
Chris Gower (Specialist)	Nov 2023	Nov 2025	Dec 2027
Brian Fraser (Community Representative)	Nov 2024		Dec 2026
Jacy Lee (Community Representative)	Oct 2020	Nov 2024	Dec 2026
<b>ARTS, CULTURE &amp; COMMUNITY WELLBEING ADVISORY COMMITTEE - One Year Term</b>			
Chair: Councillor Plant	Nov 2025		Dec 2026
Pamela Carroll	Nov 2023	Nov 2025	Dec 2026
James Hesser	Apr 2023	Nov 2025	Dec 2026
Kristen Kay	Nov 2024	Nov 2025	Dec 2026
Sabina McCollum Singh	Nov 2025		Dec 2026
Colin Newell (SHF Rep)	Nov 2024	Nov 2025	Dec 2026
Susan Mader	Nov 2025		Dec 2026
Caroline Quan	Nov 2025		Dec 2026
Peter Quinn (SCAN Rep)	Mar 2024	Nov 2025	Dec 2026
Robert Randall	Jan 2026		Dec 2026
Kaden Calleberg (Youth)	Nov 2025		Dec 2026
<b>BOARD OF VARIANCE - Three Year Term</b>			
Amandeep Gill	Nov 2021	Nov 2024	Dec 2027
Catharine Schlenker	Nov 2023		Dec 2026
John Uliana	Nov 2020	Nov 2023	Dec 2026
Elise Cote	Mar 2026		Mar 2028
Kevin Zirul	Nov 2020	Nov 2023	Dec 2026
<b>ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE – One Year Term</b>			
Chair: Councillor Harper	Nov 2024	Nov 2025	Dec 2026
Jason Arruda	Nov 2023	Nov 2025	Dec 2026
Russ Benwell	Nov 2024	Nov 2025	Dec 2026
Raymond Chan	Apr 2023	Nov 2025	Dec 2026
Amber Hockin	Apr 2023	Nov 2025	Dec 2026
David Lewis	Nov 2024	Nov 2025	Dec 2026
Richard Michaels	Apr 2023	Nov 2025	Dec 2026
Rachid Ouache	Nov 2023	Nov 2025	Dec 2026
Tim Petropoulos	Apr 2023	Nov 2025	Dec 2026
Ingrid Strauss	Nov 2024	Nov 2025	Dec 2026
Rob Wickson	Apr 2023	Nov 2025	Dec 2026
Nathan Papps (Youth)	Nov 2025		Dec 2026

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<b>NATURAL AREAS, PARKS &amp; TRAILS ADVISORY COMMITTEE – One Year Term</b>			
Chair: Councillor Westhaver	Nov 2025		Dec 2026
Julian Anderson	Nov 2023	Nov 2025	Dec 2026
Kathryn Bridge	Mar 2025	Nov 2025	Dec 2026
Natexa Verbrugge	Nov 2025		Dec 2026
Colleen Sparks	Nov 2025		Dec 2026
David Little	Apr 2023	Nov 2025	Dec 2026
Chloe Portal (Youth)	Nov 2025		Dec 2026
Michelle Watt	Mar 2025	Nov 2025	Dec 2026
Kathleen Woodruff	Nov 2023	Nov 2025	Dec 2026
<b>SUSTAINABILITY AND CLIMATE ACTION ADVISORY COMMITTEE – One Year Term</b>			
Chair: Councillor Brownoff	Nov 2024	Nov 2025	Dec 2026
Vacant			
Cyrus Farivar	Nov 2025		Dec 2026
Marcel Gaston Ramirez La Torre	Nov 2025		Dec 2026
Saeedeh Saghlataoun	Nov 2025		Dec 2026
Philip Warman	Nov 2025		Dec 2026
Emmett Samoil (Youth)	Nov 2025		Dec 2026
Spencer Graham	Nov 2024	Nov 2025	Dec 2026
Barb Sharpe	Nov 2024	Nov 2025	Dec 2026
<b>TRANSPORTATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE – One Year Term</b>			
Chair: Councillor de Vries	Nov 2024	Nov 2025	Dec 2026
Dominick Ali (Transportation Planning)	Nov 2024	Nov 2025	Dec 2026
Trevor Barry (Active Transportation User)	Apr 2023	Nov 2025	Dec 2026
James Coates (Transportation Policy)	Nov 2024	Nov 2025	Dec 2026
Rachel Corder	Apr 2023	Nov 2025	Dec 2026
Isabella Harmel	Mar 2025	Nov 2025	Dec 2026
Manjit Bains	Nov 2025		Dec 2026
Colin Stepney (Active Transportation User)	Apr 2023	Nov 2025	Dec 2026
Kelsea McLaughlin	Nov 2024	Nov 2025	Dec 2026
<b>SAANICH HERITAGE FOUNDATION – One Year Term</b>			
Council Liaison: Councillor Harper		Nov 2025	Oct 2026
Ryan Butler	Nov 2025		Dec 2026
Liam Hall (Construction Representative)	Apr 2023	Nov 2025	Dec 2026
Kerri Mitchell	Nov 2025		Dec 2026
Colin Newell (ACCW Representative)	Nov 2024	Nov 2025	Dec 2026
Aiden Watson (Youth)	Nov 2024	Nov 2025	Dec 2026
Genevieve Weber	Nov 2023	Nov 2025	Dec 2026
Joan Wenman	Nov 2024	Nov 2025	Dec 2026
Jennifer White	Jan 2023	Nov 2025	Dec 2026
Dasha Russell	Nov 2025		Dec 2026

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<b>CITIZEN APPOINTMENTS</b>			
<b>BOARD OF CEMETERY TRUSTEES OF GREATER VICTORIA – Three Year Term</b>			
David Obee	May 2019	Nov 2024	Dec 2027
Paul Taylor	Mar 2013	Nov 2025	Dec 2028
Jim Cambridge	Dec 2021	Nov 2023	Dec 2026
<b>GREATER VICTORIA PUBLIC LIBRARY BOARD TRUSTEE – Two Year Term</b>			
Krista Boehnert	Nov 2024		Dec 2026
Ryan Henderson	Nov 2024		Dec 2026
Rhiannon Stromberg	Nov 2024		Dec 2026
Nik White	Nov 2021	Nov 2025	Dec 2027
Council Liaison: Councillor Phelps Bondaroff	Nov 2024		Fall 2026
<b>SAANICH POLICE BOARD</b>			
Mayor Murdock	Nov 2022	Jun 25/24	Nov 2/26
Shelley Allan (Lt. Governor-in-Council appt), Vice-Chair	Jun 2024	Jun 27/25	Jun 30/27
Gurcharn Beckett (Lt. Governor-in-Council appt)	May 2023	Jun 2024	Jun 30/26
Chair: James Cambridge (Lt. Governor-in-Council appt), Chair	Apr 29/22	Jun 27/25	Apr 29/28
Sean Dhillon (Council appointee)	Mar 10/25	Nov 2025	Dec 31/27
Rajiv Gandhi (Lt. Governor-in-Council appt)	Jul 14/25		Jun 30/26
Craig Morton (Lt. Governor-in-Council appt)	Dec 5/23	Nov 24/25	Dec 31/27
Joanne Taylor (Lt. Governor-in-Council appt)	Jul 14/25		Jun 30/26
Janine Theobald (Lt. Governor-in-Council appt)	Jul 23/25		Jun 30/26
<b>VICTORIA AIRPORT AUTHORITY – Three Year Term</b>			
Allan Haynes	Oct 2018	Jun 2023	Dec 2026
<b>CAPITAL REGIONAL DISTRICT COUNCIL APPOINTMENTS</b>			
<b>CAPITAL REGIONAL DISTRICT ARTS COMMISSION – Two Year Term</b>			
Councillor Plant Alternate: Councillor Westhaver	Nov 2024		Fall 2026
<b>CAPITAL REGIONAL DISTRICT AND HOSPITAL BOARDS – Four Year Term</b>			
<b>Directors:</b>	<b>Alternates:</b>		
Mayor Murdock	Councillors Westhaver, Chambers, Harper, Phelps Bondaroff		
Councillor Brice	Councillors Westhaver, Chambers, Harper, Phelps Bondaroff		
Councillor Plant	Councillors Chambers, Harper, Phelps Bondaroff, Westhaver		
Councillor de Vries	Councillors Harper, Phelps Bondaroff, Westhaver, Chambers		
Councillor Brownoff	Councillors Phelps Bondaroff, Westhaver, Chambers, Harper		
<b>CLIMATE ACTION INTER-MUNICIPAL TASK FORCE – Four Year Term</b>			
Councillor Brownoff	Nov 2018	Nov 2022	Fall 2026
<b>REGIONAL HOUSING TRUST FUND COMMISSION – Two Year Term</b>			
Councillor de Vries	Nov 2018	Nov 2024	Fall 2026
<b>REGIONAL WATER SUPPLY COMMISSION – Four Year Term</b>			
<b>Directors:</b>	<b>Alternates:</b>		
Councillor Harper	Councillors Brice, Brownoff, Plant		
Councillor de Vries	Councillors Brownoff, Plant, Brice		
Councillor Chambers	Councillors Plant, Brice, Brownoff		
Councillor Westhaver	Councillors Brice, Brownoff, Plant		
Councillor Phelps Bondaroff	Councillors Brownoff, Plant, Brice		

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<b>ROYAL &amp; MCPHERSON THEATRES SOCIETY BOARD – One Year Term</b>			
Councillor Phelps Bondaroff	Nov 2022	Nov 2025	Oct 2026
<b>ROYAL &amp; MCPHERSON THEATRES SERVICES ADVISORY COMMITTEE – One Year Term</b>			
Councillors Brice and Plant	Nov 2018	Nov 2025	Oct 2026
<b>VICTORIA FAMILY COURT AND YOUTH JUSTICE COMMITTEE</b>			
John Crawford	Nov 2025		Dec 2026
Council Liaison: Councillor Westhaver	Nov 2024		Fall 2026
<b>COUNCIL APPOINTMENTS – SAANICH COMMITTEES</b>			
<b>ACCESSIBILITY ADMINISTRATIVE TECHNICAL COMMITTEE – One Year Term</b>			
Liaison: Councillor Phelps Bondaroff	Nov 2025		Oct 2026
<b>ADMINISTRATIVE TRAFFIC COMMITTEE – One Year Term</b>			
Liaison: Councillor Chambers	Nov 2025		Oct 2026
<b>FINANCE &amp; GOVERNANCE STANDING COMMITTEE</b>			
Councillor Brice (Chair), Councillors Chambers, de Vries and Westhaver			
<b>HOUSING AFFORDABILITY STANDING COMMITTEE</b>			
Mayor Murdock (Chair), Councillors Brownoff, Harper and Phelps Bondaroff Virginia Holden (non-profit rep), John Bourcet (industry rep) and Vera Wynn-Williams (community rep)			
<b>PUBLIC SAFETY &amp; EMERGENCY PLANNING COMMITTEE – Four Year Team</b>			
Mayor Murdock (Chair) and Councillors Chambers & Harper	Nov 2022		Fall 2026
<b>COUNCIL LIAISON APPOINTMENTS – EXTERNAL ORGANIZATIONS</b>			
<b>CAPITAL REGION EMERGENCY SERVICES TELECOMMUNICATIONS (CREST) – One Year Term</b>			
Councillor Harper	Nov 2018	Nov 2025	Oct 2026
<b>GORGE-COLQUITZ SPECIAL MANAGEMENT AREA COLLABORATIVE – Two Year Term</b>			
Councillor Westhaver	Nov 2022	Nov 2024	Fall 2026
<b>PENINSULA AND AREA AGRICULTURAL COMMISSION – Two Year Term</b>			
Councillor de Vries	Mar 2020	Nov 2024	Fall 2026
<b>SOUTH ISLAND PROSPERITY PARTNERSHIP – Two Year Term</b>			
Councillor de Vries & Councillor Harper (alternate)	Nov 2022	Nov 2024	Fall 2026
<b>SOUTH ISLAND RECONCILIATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE – One Year Term</b>			
Councillor Chambers	Nov 2018	Nov 2025	Oct 2026
<b>DESTINATION VICTORIA BOARD OF DIRECTORS – One Year Term</b>			
Councillor Brice	Dec 2019	Nov 2025	Oct 2026
<b>UNIVERSITY-MUNICIPAL COUNCIL LIAISON GROUP – Two Year Term</b>			
Councillor de Vries	Nov 2018	Nov 2024	Fall 2026