

FW: REQUESTED- Confirmation re \$11M City of Vancouver payment

From: Kirby, Michelle MCF:EX <Michelle.Kirby@gov.bc.ca>
To: Barry, Jonathan MCF:EX <Jonathan.Barry@gov.bc.ca>, Cronin, Clare MCF:EX <Clare.Cronin@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: April 4, 2022 at 3:29:38 PM Pacific Daylight Time
Attachments: image004.png, image005.png, image006.png, image001.png
FYI, payment has been made to COV.

From: Locham, Balpreet MCF:EX <Balpreet.Locham@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: April 4, 2022 3:27 PM
To: Lenckowski, Susan MCF:EX <Susan.Lenckowski@gov.bc.ca>; Kirby, Michelle MCF:EX <Michelle.Kirby@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Barnard, Chris MCF:EX <Chris.Barnard@gov.bc.ca>; Johal, Kerisna MCF:EX <Kerisna.Johal@gov.bc.ca>; Sigurdson, Rebecca MCF:EX <Rebecca.Sigurdson@gov.bc.ca>; Singh, Rani K MCF:EX <Rani.Singh@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: REQUESTED- Confirmation re \$11M City of Vancouver payment

Hi Michelle,

Yes the payment has been made.

Operating Unit	Children & Family Development	Payee	
Number	s.17	Paid To Name	CITY OF VANCOUVER
Currency	CAD	Taxpayer ID	
Amount	11,000,000.00	Supplier Number	s.17
Date	30-MAR-2022	Site	002
Payment Process Request	432 GEN EFT-25-MAR-2022	Address	REVENUE SERVICES DIVISION 453 12TH AVE W PO BOX 7747 STN TERMINAL
Voucher		Bank	
Status	Negotiable	Name	Generic Bank
Cleared Amount		Account	432 EFT General Account
Cleared Date		Payment Document	432 GEN EFT
Void Date		Payment Method	Check
Maturity Date		Payment Process Profile	432 GEN EFT
Acknowledged Status			
Invoices			
Number	Amount Paid	GL Date	Description
COV02MAR22	11,000,000.00	30-MAR-2022	MOU - JOINT INITIATIVE FOR THE CREATION OF

Thanks,

Balpreet Locham

Financial Services Team Lead - Coast/North Shore, Provincial Office & SIYJ
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Sent: April 4, 2022 3:21 PM

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Michelle,

I see the invoice set up in the system. Unfortunately, due to the transition to EDUC, I am unable to check when the payment was made

Balpreet,

Can you confirm when the payment was made to the City of Vancouver.

12	Header Name	(All)	
13	PO Number	(All)	
14	Responsibility	18XWG Child Care Capital	Funding
15	SSS Vote	18E07 Child Care Capital	nd
16	STOB Major	EA03 Government Trans	s
17	Service Line And Desc	54060 Child Care Infrastructure	
18	STOB And Desc	8080 Capital Grants	
19	Periods	MAR-22	
20	Project And Desc	1800313 2019-20 New Sp	es Funding (NSF2 aka Intake 6)
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22	Sum of Actual Amount		
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Sent: April 4, 2022 3:07 PM
To: Lenckowski, Susan MCF:EX <Susan.Lenckowski@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Coding Block for the City of Vancouver...

Hi Susan,
Can I confirm that the second payment went to the City of Vancouver to support our MOU?

Thanks,
Michelle

From: Maul, Laila MCF:EX <Laila.Maul@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: March 4, 2022 9:48 AM
To: MCF Financial Operations Provincial Office & SIYJ MCF:EX <FinancialOperationsProvincialOffice.SIYJ@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Barry, Jonathan MCF:EX <Jonathan.Barry@gov.bc.ca>; Kirby, Michelle MCF:EX <Michelle.Kirby@gov.bc.ca>; Lenckowski, Susan MCF:EX <Susan.Lenckowski@gov.bc.ca>; Singh, Rani K MCF:EX <Rani.Singh@gov.bc.ca>; Barnard, Chris MCF:EX <Chris.Barnard@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Coding Block for the City of Vancouver...
Importance: High

Hello!

Please see the attached coding block for the COV's second payment. I've also attached the updated and signed MOU as well as the signed DBN.

-Laila

Laila Maul

Assistant to Jonathan Barry | Office Manager

Pronouns: She/Her (*Curious why this is here?*)

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To: Barry, Jonathan MCF:EX <Jonathan.Barry@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Cronin, Clare MCF:EX <Clare.Cronin@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: May 11, 2022 at 9:42:08 AM Pacific Daylight Time
Hi Jon and Clare,
s.13; s.16

Thanks,
Michelle

From: Petersen, Marisol <Marisol.Petersen@vancouver.ca>
Sent: May 10, 2022 5:16 PM
To: Kirby, Michelle MCF:EX <Michelle.Kirby@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Pickersgill, Mark <Mark.Pickersgill@vancouver.ca>
Subject: YMCA school age care expansion in Vancouver

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Hi Michelle,

It was nice to meet with you briefly last week.

Following our meeting, I reread the Child Care Licensing Regulation and noticed that the requirement to provide 3.7sm per child is waived for licensees of the new School Age Care on School Grounds category. I thought you'd be interested because this change is what's making it possible for the YMCA to double their licensed capacity in school facilities without expanding the actual area their programs occupy (which the VSB likes).

https://www.bclaws.gov.bc.ca/civix/document/id/complete/statreg/332_2007 - see Section 14 (5)

Mark and I are meeting with the VSB and YMCA this Wednesday to discuss school age care expansion plans under the new licensing category. If you have any questions you'd like us to run by them, please let us know! The purpose of the meeting is to get a sense of the scale of expansion the YMCA is anticipating in the next year, and to discuss options for providing MOU funds to support the creation of new spaces.

Thank you,
Marisol

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FW: Estimates follow up questions

From: Cronin, Clare MCF:EX <Clare.Cronin@gov.bc.ca>
To: Kirby, Michelle MCF:EX <Michelle.Kirby@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: May 25, 2022 at 10:32:40 AM Pacific Daylight Time
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From: Barry, Jonathan MCF:EX <Jonathan.Barry@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: May 25, 2022 10:32 AM
To: Cronin, Clare MCF:EX <Clare.Cronin@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Estimates follow up questions

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Thanks
Jonathan Barry

From: Cronin, Clare MCF:EX <Clare.Cronin@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: May 25, 2022 10:10 AM
To: Barry, Jonathan MCF:EX <Jonathan.Barry@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Estimates follow up questions
Importance: High

Hi Jon – just asking a question on this – Michelle is reaching out to Mark to see if we can get the break down, but right after estimates, he did not have it. We have funded 2300,s.13; s.16

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Very short turn around Clare

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From: Kirby, Michelle MCF:EX <Michelle.Kirby@gov.bc.ca>
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From: Cronin, Clare MCF:EX <Clare.Cronin@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: May 25, 2022 11:28 AM
To: Kirby, Michelle MCF:EX <Michelle.Kirby@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Vancouver space request

Draft for Ragnar: s.13

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Sent: May 25, 2022 10:25 AM
To: Haagen, Ragnar MCF:EX <Ragnar.Haagen@gov.bc.ca>; Cronin, Clare MCF:EX <Clare.Cronin@gov.bc.ca>
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Cc: Kirby, Michelle MCF:EX <Michelle.Kirby@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: RE: Vancouver space request

Thanks for the update!

From: Cronin, Clare MCF:EX <Clare.Cronin@gov.bc.ca>
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To: Kirby, Michelle MCF:EX <Michelle.Kirby@gov.bc.ca>
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Does this match what you heard from Jon? I will send to Ragnar if so

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To: Cronin, Clare MCF:EX <Clare.Cronin@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Haagen, Ragnar MCF:EX <Ragnar.Haagen@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: May 25, 2022 at 5:24:04 PM Pacific Daylight Time
Hi Clare,

We're needing some data on the COV MOU for MLA bullets. See below:

- How many of the new 2300 spaces in Vancouver are built and operational

Thanks,
Sophia

SOPHIA BAKER-FRENCH

DIRECTOR | CHILD CARE POLICY (ACCESS, INCLUDING SPACE CREATION)

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Offering gratitude to the Lekwungen people, the Esquimalt and Songhees Nations, the traditional keepers of the land where I live, work and play, and recognizing the presence of Métis, Inuit and other First Nations peoples in my community.

From: Haagen, Ragnar MCF:EX <Ragnar.Haagen@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: May 25, 2022 9:56 AM
To: Butler, Teresa MCF:EX <Teresa.Butler@gov.bc.ca>; Cotie, Kate L MCF:EX <Kate.Cotie@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Baker-French, Sophia MCF:EX <Sophia.BakerFrench@gov.bc.ca>
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Yes, we've seen similar questions^{s.13}
s.13

From: Butler, Teresa MCF:EX <Teresa.Butler@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: May 25, 2022 9:51 AM
To: Haagen, Ragnar MCF:EX <Ragnar.Haagen@gov.bc.ca>; Cotie, Kate L MCF:EX <Kate.Cotie@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Baker-French, Sophia MCF:EX <Sophia.BakerFrench@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Estimates follow up questions

Hi Ragnar,

I'll defer to Sophia (Director for Access) on the Vancouver spaces.^{s.13}
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Teresa

From: Haagen, Ragnar MCF:EX <Ragnar.Haagen@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: May 25, 2022 9:29 AM
To: Cotie, Kate L MCF:EX <Kate.Cotie@gov.bc.ca>; Butler, Teresa MCF:EX <Teresa.Butler@gov.bc.ca>
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Importance: High

Hi Kate, Teresa,

I'm looking into a follow up Estimates request from the child care critic. Can either of you speak to the highlighted below on if we have received feedback from providers with concerns/questions about the future of child care?

I can pull some general stuff from the CCBC inbox too.

Thanks!

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Sent: May 26, 2022 at 8:23:15 AM Pacific Daylight Time
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Thank you for the additional context, Clare.

From: Cronin, Clare MCF:EX <Clare.Cronin@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: May 26, 2022 7:53 AM
To: Haagen, Ragnar MCF:EX <Ragnar.Haagen@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Kirby, Michelle MCF:EX <Michelle.Kirby@gov.bc.ca>; Baker-French, Sophia MCF:EX <Sophia.BakerFrench@gov.bc.ca>
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Good morning everyone – looping in Sophia as the question was asked in another stream as well. s.13; s.16
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Clare

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Thanks for this Clare,

Do we not know the number of spaces? More frequently, I've been hearing direction to answer specific questions with specific answers, wherever possible.

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RE: Project addresses

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To: Pickersgill, Mark <Mark.Pickersgill@vancouver.ca>
Sent: April 5, 2022 9:52:57 AM PDT
Hi Mark,
Thanks so much for the quick turnaround on this information. Really appreciate it!

Michelle

From: Pickersgill, Mark <Mark.Pickersgill@vancouver.ca>
Sent: April 5, 2022 9:51 AM
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Hope this helps. We are in the thick of our Capital Planning, so this is all a moving target.

Mark

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Sent: Monday, April 4, 2022 5:01 PM
To: Pickersgill, Mark <Mark.Pickersgill@vancouver.ca>
Subject: [EXT] Project addresses

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Hi Mark,
I'm working on something with another Ministry, and need to confirm that we don't have funding allocated to these addresses through the MOU. I checked the project plan, but not all of the projects listed have an address associated with the description. If we can easily get the addresses, that would be helpful for me to have to monitor where we're already funding projects in the future.

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Thanks,
Michelle

FW: SIGNED: Provincial Childcare MOU Revised (267267 / 9213)

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Sent: April 6, 2022 2:09:28 PM PDT

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Staff met a couple months ago and plan to again s.13; s.16
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Next

meeting will include education capital as well.

**MINISTRY OF CHILDREN AND FAMILY DEVELOPMENT
DECISION NOTE**

DATE: January 6, 2022

CLIFF#: 267276

PREPARED FOR: Kevena Hall, Assistant Deputy Minister, Child Care Division

ISSUE: City of Vancouver Child Care Space Creation Memorandum of Understanding – decision to approve Project Delivery Plan and release second \$11M payment installment

BACKGROUND:

In July 2019, the Ministry of Children and Family Development (Ministry) and the City of Vancouver (City) signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) to jointly fund the creation of a total of 2,300 new licensed child care spaces. The City had previously funded 1,000 child care spaces through their *Healthy City Strategy* and 2015-2018 Capital Plan and had recently committed to a further 1,000 child care spaces as part of their 2019-22 capital plan. Building on the City's commitment, the Province approved \$33M to fund the creation of an additional 1,300 new non-profit and/or publicly operated licensed group child care spaces. Upon Ministry approval of a Project Delivery Plan (the Plan), the MOU commits provincial funding to the City through three equal installments of \$11M over three fiscal years (2019/20-2022/23), with all funding allocated to ministry approved projects by March 31, 2024.

The MOU encourages the City to work with the Vancouver Board of Education, the British Columbia Housing Management Commission, the Ministry of Education, the Vancouver Board of Parks and Recreation, and non-profit societies to identify sites, buildings and additional funding for projects.

Before the City begins work on any project or spends any of the Provincial funding contribution, the City and the Ministry must jointly sign off on the annual Plan, in writing, including agreement on the costs to administer the Plan. The projects proposed in the Plan must be licensable and must create new spaces for Group Child Care Under 36 Months, Group Child Care 30 Months to School Age and/or Group Child Care School Age spaces. The projects must also be operated by public or non-profit child care and must be on publicly owned or leased lands.

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Ministry staff will join City of Vancouver and Vancouver School Board representatives on Friday, January 28, 2022 to discuss school age child care opportunities within the district.

DISCUSSION:

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s.14 The Ministry and the City will continue to endeavour to achieve the ministry's commitment of 1,300 funded spaces by 2024 through the attached Project Delivery Plan.

OPTIONS:

Option 1: Approve the proposed Project Delivery Plan and authorize the second \$11M payment to the City of Vancouver for 2021/22. **(Recommended)**

Implications:

- Supports the Province's multi-year commitment to fund new spaces in partnership with the City of Vancouver
- Allows the City of Vancouver to continue their ongoing efforts to encourage and support the development of new child care spaces with non-profit organizations and their public sector partners
- Accepts that progress has been made despite the challenging circumstances imposed by the pandemic that have impacted development opportunities since the MOU was signed in 2019
- Puts pressure on the remaining funds and requires the City of Vancouver to find lower cost projects with its partners at a time when market conditions are creating cost pressures and sector capacity is low.

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RECOMMENDATION:

Option 1: Approve the Project Delivery Plan and authorize the second \$11M payment to the City for 2021/22.

Approved option 1



January 28, 2022

DECISION and SIGNATURE

Kevena Hall

Assistant Deputy Minister, Child Care Division

DATE SIGNED

Attachments:

- A. Project Delivery Plan & Profile of Provincial Child Care Contribution
- B. s.14
- C. Updated and signed MOU

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Attachment A: Project Delivery Plan & Profile of Provincial Child Care Contribution

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FW: [UPDATED VERSION] RE: Budget Estimates

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Sent: May 25, 2022 10:16:04 AM PDT

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Hi Clare,
See attached update on the Complete projects funded through the MOU.

Thanks,
Michelle

From: Pickersgill, Mark <Mark.Pickersgill@vancouver.ca>
Sent: May 25, 2022 10:13 AM
To: Kirby, Michelle MCF:EX <Michelle.Kirby@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: [UPDATED VERSION] RE: Budget Estimates

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Hi Michelle,

Here you go.

I hope this is sufficient. We checked in with the project managers/planners with each of these projects to get a current estimate of timing for completion and a basic description of status.

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Please let me know if you need any more info.

Mark

From: Kirby, Michelle MCF:EX <Michelle.Kirby@gov.bc.ca>
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Subject: [EXT] Budget Estimates

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Hi Mark,
As you may be aware, we're in Budget Estimates Debate right now, and the Critic asked how many of the funded spaces with the City of Vancouver are completed and operating? Do you have that information? Can you add it to the attached Delivery Plan? We will need to have the answers back in the next few weeks.

Thanks,
Michelle

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