

NORTH SHORE STANDING COMMITTEE ON SUBSTANCE USE

MISSION STATEMENT

The North Shore Standing Committee on Substance Use will support community organizations to reduce the impact and incidence of substance abuse on the North Shore through advocacy, collaboration and leadership.

AGENDA

Wednesday, February 7, 2024 5:00 – 6:30 pm

In Person – District Hall, 355 West Queens

Members:

Cllr James Hanson, Councillor, DNV
Cllr Christine Cassidy, Councillor, DWV
Cllr Alison Morse, Councillor, Bowen Island
Cllr Jaime Cunliffe, Lions Bay
Chief Jen Thomas, Tsleil-Waututh Nation
Khelsilem, Council Chairperson, Squamish Nation
Sgt. Chris Bigland, West Vancouver Police Department
Inspector Vaz Kassam, North Vancouver RCMP
George Tsiakos, School Trustee, NV School District
Dave Stevenson, School Trustee, WV School District
Dr. Alexandra Choi, VCH North Shore Medical Health Officer

Guests: Dr. Michelle Brousson

Staff:

Eirikka Brandson, DNV Staff Liaison
Alison Gelz, DWV Staff Liaison
Heather Evans, CNV Staff Liaison
Mary Jukich, Committee Clerk

1.	Welcome & Introductions	5:00
2.	Election of Chair and Vice-Chair	5:05
3.	Adoption of Agenda (<i>Decision</i>)	5:10
4.	Adoption of December 6, 2023, Minutes (<i>Decision</i>)	5:12
5.	Financial Report – City of North Vancouver (<i>Update</i>)	5:15
6.	Education and Awareness Campaign updates (<i>Discussion</i>)	5:20
7.	Vancouver Coastal Health Updates (<i>Presentation & Discussion</i>)	5:30
8.	Short term care in custody project (<i>Presentation & Discussion</i>)	6:00
9.	UBCM Advisors needed for Harm Reduction Community Guide (<i>Discussion</i>)	6:15
	Advisors needed for Harm Reduction Community Guide update Union of BC Municipalities (ubcm.ca)	
10.	Discussion Topics for Next Meeting	6:25
11.	Next Meeting Date	6:28
12.	Adjournment	6:30