



SOUTH VANCOUVER NEIGHBOURHOOD HOUSE

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Neighbourhood Advisory Committee (NAC)

Reframing South Vancouver Initiative

Posting period: August 2, 2022

Geographical Scope: South Vancouver Catchment (Main St to Boundary Rd; E41st to Marine Dr)

Time: 4 training sessions (2 hours each), committee meeting once per month

Commitment: 6 months or more

Start Date: October 2022 and on a rolling basis afterwards

About Reframing South Vancouver

South Vancouver Neighbourhood House (SVNH) is a community-based organization, located on the unceded territories of the Coast Salish people, that focuses on connecting people and strengthening the neighborhoods in South Vancouver. Our previous research with SFU shows that the whole of South Vancouver has been treated as one single neighbourhood by decision-makers and resourced as such, and is underserved in terms of social infrastructure and community assets e.g., early years programming, park amenities etc. Therefore, as part of SVNH's 3-year strategic goals, we are working to reframe how decision-makers at the municipal, provincial, and federal levels of government view South Vancouver, in the hope of driving improvements in our neighbourhood.

About Neighbourhood Advisory Committee (NAC)

We are looking for South Vancouver residents with the following passion and qualities to join the Committee:

- Interested to learn about South Vancouver community assets, gaps and potential solutions
- Has the language abilities that reflect the diverse population of South Van (e.g. Chinese, Punjabi, Hindi, Spanish, Vietnamese, Tagalog, Korean, Japanese, Farsi, Arabic, etc.)
- Team player and interested to develop new skills (e.g. leadership, facilitation, etc.)
- Likes to connect with neighbours and discuss different ways and ideas to increase social infrastructure and identify placemaking opportunities
- Wants to make change in the neighbourhood
- Can commit to attending 4 core training workshops (See <https://tinyurl.com/y5cus3kx> for more details)
- Can maintain safe boundaries when working with vulnerable populations (e.g. youth, seniors, etc.)
- Can commit 3-4 hours per month to learn about the community needs and discuss opportunities for enhancement
- Must complete a criminal background check

Duties and Responsibilities

- Connect and listen to their community's needs and brainstorm solutions

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- Provide feedback to SVNH, stakeholders, funders and decision makers
- Liaise with the SVNH Reframing team for necessary tools and resources needed for neighbourhood engagement (e.g. grants, space, administrative, social media posts, etc.)

Please email Liza Bautista at liza.bautista@southvan.org or text/call at 778-990-6365 if you are interested.

South Vancouver Neighbourhood House is located on the unceded, occupied, ancestral and traditional homelands of the x^wməθkwəy̓əm (Musqueam), Skwxwú7mesh (Squamish) and Səl̓ílwətaʔ/Selilwitulh (Tsleil-Waututh) Nations.

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