

Dear Councillor Bravo and Members of the Economic and Community Development Committee,

Please attach this submission to Item 2026.EC29.12 and cross-post it to any new business item on The AIDS Memorial or *Echoes* that is introduced at the June 9 meeting of the Economic and Community Development Committee.

I am writing in support of The AIDS Memorial Project's *Echoes* proposal.

I ask the Committee to:

1. Support a new and separate business item on The AIDS Memorial and Echoes, introduced by a councillor other than Councillor Moise.
2. Recognize The AIDS Memorial as a civic memorial of national significance.
3. Endorse Echoes as the principal framework for the restoration, expansion, interpretation, and long-term recognition of The AIDS Memorial.
4. Direct Parks staff to continue working with the community to integrate Echoes into the final design for The AIDS Memorial at Barbara Hall Park.
5. Delete Recommendation 1 from EC29.12 so The AIDS Memorial is no longer tied to Councillor Moise's proposed fencing or nighttime closure of Barbara Hall Park.
6. Reject the proposed fencing or nighttime closure of Barbara Hall Park.

Councillor Chris Moise created this problem by attaching The AIDS Memorial and *Echoes* to his widely opposed fence proposal. The memorial should not be used as political cover for park closure, enforcement, or displacement.

The Committee should separate The AIDS Memorial from Councillor Moise's fence debate, support *Echoes*, and give the memorial the recognition it deserves.

Sincerely,

Adele Lukusa

Arlene Cardoso

Cathy Hunt

Alex Curley

Barry Shecter

Charlotte Graham

Alphonso King Jr

Beauty Mvumba

Chris Little

Amy Brown

Bjorn Chan

Courtney Lake

Anthony Castaneda

Brian Futter

David Ivey

David McIntosh	Caroline Hollway	Ashley Abbott
Dean Hennings	Gilbert Drapeau	Brian Lloyd
Duncan Broom	Jen Coghill	Christian Baines
Eleanor Johnston	Maddie Cape	Damaris Nyamweya
Hugo Rempel	Marc Lombardo	Dave Johnson
Madeleine St-Pierre	Marlene Pfaff	Eric Cashmore
Jeff Crawford	Peter Zorzi	Erica Laugalys
Julian Morello	Randy Davis	James Ward
Jeff Sobil	Renee Vroom	Javier Davila
James Cao	Stephen Andrews	Katherine Gilmour
Kain Petlak	Tim McCaskell	Mike Dalla-Giustina
Khalid Mohammed	Tucker T. Stone	Madeleine Foote
Lee Billinger	Will Richards	Oliver Webb Wilkinson
Marlene Longdon	Alexis Campbell	Brad Bauder
Meg Stewart	Antonia Swann	Jodh Singh
Michael Finley	Cheryl Bill Stenson	Randy Langlois
Nishit Shah	Espie Kremmentsova	Rhys Alden
Olivia Auriat	Greg Bedford	TK Keslick
Paul Breckenridge	Jade Coyote	William Hicks
Petra Totten	Kylem Marshall	Brian Palić
Rebecca Holzman	Matthew Allard	Diane-Clayton Hatheway
Roisin Gaffney	Paul Tempany	Gwyneth Fatemi
Sarah Bradbury	Sam Brennen	Natalie Whaley
Sheila Pruden	Shayna Linds	Natasha Lemire-Blair
Suraj Mistry	Zvika Weidenfeld	Nigel Wynne
Trevor Covelli	Allen Rex	Liz Vanderkleyn
Bruce Novakowski	Amelie Jurgens	