

DELEGATION

APPLICATION TO APPEAR AS A DELEGATION BEFORE COUNCIL

An individual or a delegation may address Council at a Committee of the Whole meeting, on any issue, projects, or programs that fall within the jurisdiction of Council, each limited to **5 minutes**. The Committee of the Whole schedule can be found on our website at <https://www.esquimalt.ca/government-by-laws/council-meetings/meeting-schedule>

Please submit the completed application at least **two weeks prior to the preferred Committee of the Whole meeting**, by: (1) email to corporate.services@esquimalt.ca, or (2), mail or hand deliver to Municipal Hall, address as above. For further information, contact the Corporate Officer at 250-414-7135 or corporate.services@esquimalt.ca.

Name(s): Katie Open

Organization (if applicable): _____

Daytime Phone No.: _____ Email: _____

Requested Date of Committee of the Whole meeting: July 21/2025
(Staff will confirm the meeting date once scheduled.)

Reasons for Wishing to Appear as a Delegation (Please Specify):

To introduce and propose a new idea for how commercial and residential property tax rates are set. Property taxes could be indexed, like income tax, so that higher value properties pay a higher rate of taxes. This could significantly improve the municipality's ability to increase revenue to meet on-going and growing budgetary challenges.

July 6, 2025

Date of Application

PowerPoint presentation? ☐ YES ☒ NO

If YES, please email your PowerPoint presentation to corporate.services@esquimalt.ca by 12 p.m. (noon) 10 days prior to the Committee of the Whole meeting. Please note presentations are required to be 20 slides or less.

Date Received:

July 7, 2025

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Date Presented to Council:

September 15, 2025

APPLICANT CONTACTED



Date: July 11, 2025

Initials: SH

PRESENTATION RECEIVED



Date: _____

Initials: _____