

## NEWS RELEASE

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### **Support local arts: Volunteer opportunity now open for Arts Guild**

*Deadline to apply is June 6*

#### **Summary**

The City of Nanaimo is seeking one volunteer to serve on the Nanaimo Performing Arts Guild (the Guild), an advisory committee that works cooperatively with the City of Nanaimo towards maintaining the Old Victoria Arts Centre and oversees administrative and operational matters.

Residents who have a passion for the performing arts and are looking for a way to give back to the community are encouraged to apply. The term for this position will run until December 2026.

Those interested in applying are encouraged to visit the City website to review the terms of reference before submitting an application. Residents of Nanaimo who have performing arts experience and wish to make a difference in their community are encouraged to apply. Application forms can be [found online](#).

Completed applications must be received by 4 p.m. on Friday, June 6, 2025. Submissions can be mailed or dropped off to:

Legislative Services, 455 Wallace Street, Nanaimo, B.C. V9R 5J6

Applications may also be submitted by email to: [legislative.servicesoffice@nanaimo.ca](mailto:legislative.servicesoffice@nanaimo.ca)

Please note that individuals may only serve on one committee at a time and must be residents of the City of Nanaimo unless otherwise stated in the committee's Terms of Reference.

*Strategic Link:* Establishing the Nanaimo Performing Arts Guild supports City Plan's Empowered Nanaimo goals.

#### **Key Points**

- The City of Nanaimo is accepting applications for one volunteer member-at-large for the Nanaimo Performing Arts Guild.
- Guild members will work cooperatively with the City toward maintaining the Old Victoria Arts Centre at 25 Victoria Road as an accessible, inclusive and sustainable venue for the Nanaimo performing arts community.
- Applications will be accepted until 4 pm on Friday, June 6, 2025.
- The term for this position will end December 2026.

#### **Quotes**

"Whether you're an artist or an arts supporter, serving on the Guild is a valuable opportunity to make a lasting impact. Volunteers provide insight, guidance and energy that help ensure the OV Arts Centre remains a welcoming and vibrant place for performers and audiences alike."

Leonard Krog  
Mayor  
City of Nanaimo

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