

Public Forum on Homelessness

January 14, 2009 (Wednesday)

9:00am - 12:00pm

Vancouver Japanese Language School Auditorium

487 Alexander St., Vancouver.

Schedule

9am-10am	Opening Address by Libby Davies MC: Don Davies Presentations The Effects of Federal Policy Dr. Michael Byers Housing and Human Rights Laura Track Discussion with Public Participation
10am-11am	Presentations Homelessness in Vancouver Judy Graves Community Action Wendy Pederson Preventing Homelessness Jaimie McEvoy Discussion with Public Participation
11am-12pm	Discussion/Working Groups Closing Address by Hon. Hedy Fry

Speakers



Dr. Michel Byers
Professor
UBC Political Science



Laura Track
Lawyer
Pivot Legal Society



Wendy Pederson
Community Organizer,
Carnegie Community Action
Project



Jaimie McEvoy
Director
Hospitality Project



Judy Graves
Tenant Assistance
City of Vancouver

The goal of this forum is to send a strong message to the federal government to implement a national housing strategy and to step up their plan to address homelessness. This is also an opportunity for various activists and organizations to get together and strengthen our collective voice.

Co-Hosted by:



Libby Davies
Member of Parliament for
Vancouver East



Hon. Hedy Fry
Member of Parliament for
Vancouver Centre



Don Davies
Member of Parliament for
Vancouver Kingsway