

NEWS-CLIPS TITLE & LINKS FOR THE MONTH (Except *) ~ May 21 2025 to Jun 18 2025

(*) **Not in normal date range** (**) A difficult article to digest that has little local news impact but may be interesting to some

Disclaimer: It appears that news sources have increasingly become biased in their publications. So, although informative, the readers should do their own fact checks before making decisions based on the list below.

Port of Vancouver to dredge Burrard Inlet [May 21 2025]

<https://www.northshoredailypost.com/port-of-vancouver-to-dredge-burrard-inlet/>

Port of Vancouver seeks to dredge Burrard Inlet for oil tankers [May 23 2025]

https://www.nsnews.com/local-news/port-of-vancouver-seeks-to-dredge-burrard-inlet-for-oil-tankers-10704022#google_vignette

Editorial: The wildfire of our nightmares does not have to happen [May 21 2025]

<https://www.nsnews.com/opinion/editorial-the-wildfire-of-our-nightmares-does-not-have-to-happen-10684214>

Letter: The District of North Vancouver isn't taking wildfire risk seriously [May 21 2025]

<https://www.nsnews.com/opinion/letter-the-district-of-north-vancouver-isnt-taking-wildfire-risk-seriously-10690985>

B.C. leading Canada on methane reduction, says analysis [May 22 2025]

<https://www.nsnews.com/human-resources-education/bc-leading-canada-on-methane-reduction-says-analysis-10699310>

Input requested: Proposed changes to closed council and board meetings [May 21 2025]

<https://www.ubcm.ca/about-ubcm/latest-news/input-requested-proposed-changes-closed-council-and-board-meetings>

Thursday, June 12, 2025, 10:00 – 11:00 am PDT

Monday, June 23, 2025, 2:00 – 3:00 pm PDT

Kirk LaPointe: B.C. needs political backbone to fix Metro Vancouver governance [May 22 2025]

<https://www.nsnews.com/economy-law-politics/kirk-lapointe-bc-needs-political-backbone-to-fix-metro-vancouver-governance-10699014>

Metro Vancouver governance review released [May 21 2025]

<https://globalnews.ca/video/11191114/metro-vancouver-governance-review-released>

More professional, non-political oversight needed for Metro Vancouver, says review [May 21 2025]

<https://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/british-columbia/metro-vancouver-review-deloitte-recommendations-1.7540147>

The review did not consider questions related to Metro Vancouver's \$4-billion wastewater treatment plant,

<https://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/british-columbia/what-you-need-to-know-north-shore-wastewater-treatment-plant-1.7235368>

<https://globalnews.ca/video/11060948/multiple-reviews-of-metro-vancouver-underway>

Report defends Metro Vancouver board salaries, calls for appointed members [May 21 2025]

<https://www.nsnews.com/economy-law-politics/report-defends-metro-vancouver-board-salaries-calls-for-appointed-members-10692741>

Damning report calls for big changes to 'unwieldy' Metro Vancouver Regional District governance [Mar 21 2025]

<https://vancouver.citynews.ca/2025/05/21/metro-vancouver-regional-district-governance-analyst-report/>

Metro Vancouver slashes some pay perks, boosts oversight after scathing report [May 23 2025]

<https://vancouver.citynews.ca/2025/05/23/metro-vancouver-slashes-some-pay-perks-boosts-oversight-after-scathing-report/>

B.C. municipalities join First Nations in criticism of tariff bills [May 21 2025]

<https://www.castanet.net/news/BC/551694/B-C-municipalities-join-First-Nations-in-criticism-of-tariff-bills>

Province orders West Vancouver to expand community plans for more housing [May 22 2025]
<https://www.nsnews.com/local-news/province-orders-west-vancouver-to-expand-community-plans-for-more-housing-10697660>

B.C. First Nations, cities unite to oppose infrastructure bill [[May 22 2025]
<https://www.nsnews.com/economy-law-politics/bc-first-nations-cities-unite-to-oppose-infrastructure-bill-10698070>

Bill 15: this 'blank cheque' legislation could dramatically change how B.C. approves major projects [May 15]
<https://thenarwhal.ca/bc-bill-15-controversy-explained/>

7-Eleven ordered to pay nearly \$1M after rejecting injured Smithers woman's \$125K settlement offer [May 21 2025]
<https://www.interior-news.com/local-news/7-eleven-forced-to-pay-double-costs-to-smithers-woman-for-not-settling-out-of-court-8019491>

Mark Carney Promised Affordable Housing. Now Comes the Impossible Part [May 22 2025]
<https://thewalrus.ca/mark-carney-housing/>

Community rallies to support 41 evacuees after devastating Silverlynn Apartments fire [May 23 2025]
<https://www.nsnews.com/local-news/community-rallies-to-support-41-evacuees-after-devastating-silverlynn-apartments-fire-10705217>

(*) The Struggle for Democracy with Patrick Watson – Genesis [1989 10 part Canadian Documentary]
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FGjOnCtiHfs&list=PLQGnSDyhqjEfJF1zpD9zu5bCPNGue2Wdx&index=2>
https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/The_Struggle_for_Democracy

DNV staff recommends development permit for hydrogen liquefaction facility [May 25 2025]
<https://www.northshoredailypost.com/dnv-staff-recommends-development-permit-for-hydrogen-liquefaction-facility/>

District of North Vancouver to extend guest stays at short-term rentals, B&Bs [May 25 2025]
<https://www.northshoredailypost.com/district-of-north-vancouver-to-extend-guest-stays-at-short-term-rentals-bbs/>

Mandate Letter - Prime Minister of Canada [May 21 2025]
<https://www.pm.gc.ca/en/mandate-letters/2025/05/21/mandate-letter>

Metro Vancouver's 'damning' Deloitte report prompts differing opinions [May 23 2025]
<https://www.ctvnews.ca/vancouver/article/metro-vancouvers-damning-deloitte-report-prompts-differing-opinions/>

King Charles III's visit to Canada underscores its sovereignty to Trump [May 26 2025]
<https://apnews.com/article/king-charles-canada-carney-trump-parliament-speech-cfb17691de077f3a3677fe377666ace7>

Canada needs to boost productivity and housing affordability: OECD report [May 26 2025]
<https://www.nsnews.com/the-mix/canada-needs-to-boost-productivity-and-housing-affordability-oecd-report-10711370>

Metro Vancouver board trims pay, calls on province for governance changes [May 23 2025]
<https://www.nsnews.com/economy-law-politics/metro-vancouver-board-trims-pay-calls-on-province-for-governance-changes-10704985>

Former B.C. premier says Metro Vancouver should be merged to '6 to 8 municipalities' [May 26 2025]
<https://globalnews.ca/news/11197419/former-b-c-premier-says-metro-vancouver-should-be-merged-to-6-to-8-municipalities/>

Metro Vancouver's pledge for reforms insufficient, District of North Van councillor says [May 27 2025]
<https://www.nsnews.com/local-news/metro-vancouvers-pledge-for-reforms-insufficient-district-of-north-van-councillor-says-10716480>

NDP has broken a promise by failing to consult [May 27 2025]

<https://epaper.vancouversun.com/vancouver-sun/20250527/281569476652803/textview>

B.C. NDP fail to see value of auditor general at local level [May 23 2025]

<https://www.pressreader.com/canada/vancouver-sun/20250523/281483577299411>

Metro Vancouver needs streamlining, report says [May 22 2025]

<https://epaper.vancouversun.com/vancouver-sun/20250522/281595246446827/textview>

Upcoming panel aims to address new affordable housing needs across the North Shore [May 27 2025]

<https://www.nsnews.com/local-news/upcoming-panel-aims-to-address-new-affordable-housing-needs-across-the-north-shore-10722288>

Paramedics in limbo as West Vancouver ambulance building left to rot [May 28 2025]

<https://www.nsnews.com/local-news/paramedics-in-limbo-as-west-vancouver-ambulance-building-left-to-rot-10726381>

This One Stop provides North Shore seniors with all the information they need [May 30 2025]

<https://www.nsnews.com/in-the-community/this-one-stop-provides-north-shore-seniors-with-all-the-information-they-need-10741459>

Metro Vancouver loses bid to delay sewage plant court case as millions of documents strain legal team [

<https://vancouversun.com/news/local-news/metro-vancouver-loses-bid-to-delay-sewage-plant-court-case-as-millions-of-documents-strain-legal-team>

Why the Hydrogen Dream Remains Unfulfilled [June 2 2025]

<https://oilprice.com/Energy/Energy-General/Why-the-Hydrogen-Dream-Remains-Unfulfilled.html>

Trump's 'beautiful' bill would eliminate hydrogen production credit [May 27 2025]

<https://www.businessreport.com/article/trumps-beautiful-bill-would-eliminate-hydrogen-production-credit>
https://www.thecentersquare.com/louisiana/article_bd79fa60-247e-4dbc-a81f-1a2490daf70d.html

B.C. Supreme Court judge rejects Metro Vancouver's request to delay sewage plant lawsuit [June 9 2025]

<https://www.nsnews.com/local-news/bc-supreme-court-judge-rejects-metro-vancouvers-request-to-delay-sewage-plant-lawsuit-10783439>

Judge rejects Metro Vancouver bid to delay \$250-million North Shore Wastewater Trial [June 5 2025]

<https://www.northshoredailypost.com/judge-rejects-metro-vancouver-bid-to-delay-250-million-north-shore-wastewater-trial/>

(*) The 20 most livable Canadian cities for retirement in 2024 [Dec 12 2024]

https://www.theglobeandmail.com/investing/article-livable-cities-canada-retirement-2024/?utm_source=reg-email&utm_medium=FacebookAd&utm_campaign=reginactive&kwp_0=2496720&kwp_4=6934475&kwp_1=2946560&fbclid=IwZXh0bgNhZW0BMABhZGkAasiVaFTruwBHhLe48Lvhd_v0iacU4rNY0Xz1CSZBRL33APWH74C1O3y8IOcGOzub00IiZhr_aem_96Ma-eAVyKzdk71G-Svi1g&utm_id=120227566187620700&utm_content=120227566195290700&utm_term=120227566189780700&sfnsn=mo

What is this strange ship in the Vancouver harbour? [Jun 5 2025]

<https://www.nsnews.com/local-news/what-is-this-strange-ship-in-the-vancouver-harbour-10769444>

Man arrested after stabbing at North Vancouver construction site [June 5 2025]

<https://www.nsnews.com/local-news/man-arrested-after-stabbing-at-north-vancouver-construction-site-10769550>

Explosives experts detonate another bomb near North Vancouver trail network [May 29 2025]

<https://www.nsnews.com/local-news/explosives-experts-detonate-another-bomb-near-north-vancouver-trail-network-10734201>

B.C. tribunal orders payment for medical bills in dog attack [June 6 2025]

<https://www.nsnews.com/highlights/bc-tribunal-orders-payment-for-medical-bills-in-dog-attack-10769085>

Site of North Vancouver's iconic Tomahawk Restaurant for sale [June 3 2025]

<https://www.nsnews.com/local-business/site-of-north-vancouvers-iconic-tomahawk-restaurant-for-sale-10753547>

Kirk LaPointe: The big tax reckoning is coming for Canada [June 5 2025]

<https://www.nsnews.com/economy-law-politics/kirk-lapointe-the-big-tax-reckoning-is-coming-for-canada-10766667>

(*) Annual municipal report details and requirements [Dec 1 2022]

<https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/governments/local-governments/finance/financial-reporting/financial-statements-annual-reports/annual-municipal-report>

2024 Annual Report – District of North Vancouver [June 5 2025]

<https://www.dnv.org/government-administration/annual-report>

<https://docs.dnv.org/documents/annual-report-2024.pdf>

District Council will consider the Annual Report at a hybrid meeting on Monday, June 23 at 5pm

'Tragic incident': One person dead after two boaters collide in North Vancouver [June 7 2025]

<https://www.nsnews.com/highlights/serious-boat-crash-near-cates-park-police-responding-10777961>

District of North Vancouver fire department seeks vital intel from residents [June 8 2025]

<https://www.nsnews.com/local-news/district-of-north-vancouver-fire-department-seeks-vital-intel-from-residents-10775011>

North Vancouver district weighs options to curb RV, large vehicle parking on local streets [June 9 2025]

<https://www.northshoredailypost.com/north-vancouver-district-weighs-options-to-curb-rv-large-vehicle-parking-on-local-streets/>

Letter: West Vancouver needs to stop letting the comfortably housed block our future [June 10 2025]

<https://www.nsnews.com/opinion/letter-west-vancouver-needs-to-stop-letting-the-comfortably-housed-block-our-future-10790544>

Radically Sustainable Development [An interesting website about re-development]

<https://www.renewaldevelopment.ca>

10-year-old killed in North Vancouver boating crash identified; GoFundMe launched for family [June 11 2025]

<https://www.northshoredailypost.com/10-year-old-killed-in-north-vancouver-boating-crash-identified-gofundme-launched-for-family/>

Editorial: If we're going to talk amalgamation, the North Shore is where to start [June 11 2025]

<https://www.nsnews.com/opinion/editorial-if-were-going-to-talk-amalgamation-the-north-shore-is-where-to-start-10783662>

Cates Park boat crash: North Van RCMP urge witnesses to come forward [June 12 2025]

<https://www.northshoredailypost.com/cates-park-boat-crash-north-van-rcmp-urge-witnesses-to-come-forward/>

Sellers 'aren't budging' as inventory builds up in tariff-saddled B.C. real estate market [June 13 2025]

<https://globalnews.ca/news/11240361/bc-real-estate-tariffs/>

Opinion: Government needs to act, as B.C. developers can't build rental housing if the numbers don't work [June 13 2025]

<https://dailyhive.com/vancouver/bc-rental-housing-bold-action-opinion>

City of North Van plans homes on City-owned lands, gentle infill in other areas [June 16 2025]

<https://www.northshoredailypost.com/city-of-north-van-plans-homes-on-city-owned-lands-gentle-infill-in-other-areas/>

North Van may allow new restaurant in long-vacant Lynn Creek space [June 12 2025]

<https://www.nsnews.com/local-news/north-van-may-allow-new-restaurant-in-long-vacant-lynn-creek-space-10797746>

Here's how much it cost to rent a one-bedroom apartment in Metro Vancouver in June [June 12 2025]

<https://www.nsnews.com/highlights/vancouver-canada-rent-prices-report-june-2025-10795970>

Just 35 City of North Vancouver lots eligible for small-scale multiplexes under new rules [June 11 2025]

<https://www.nsnews.com/local-news/just-35-city-of-north-vancouver-lots-eligible-for-small-scale-multiplexes-under-new-rules-10796276>

West Vancouver called out for leaving Capilano Pacific Trail severed [June 3 2025]

<https://www.nsnews.com/local-news/west-vancouver-called-out-for-leaving-capilano-pacific-trail-severed-10754140>

Most Canadian grocers flunk seafood transparency test, finds report [June 18 2025]

<https://www.nsnews.com/retail-manufacturing/most-canadian-grocers-flunk-seafood-transparency-test-finds-report-10829402>

District of North Vancouver to crack down on parked RVs [June 17 2025]

<https://www.nsnews.com/local-news/district-of-north-vancouver-to-crack-down-on-parked-rvs-10822882>

Rob Shaw: B.C. eyes new rules to rein in municipal mayhem [June 17 2025]

<https://www.nsnews.com/real-estate/rob-shaw-bc-eyes-new-rules-to-rein-in-municipal-mayhem-10821112>

North Vancouver's newest affordable housing now open [June 13 2025]

<https://www.nsnews.com/local-news/north-vancouvers-newest-affordable-housing-now-open-10809948>

Community calls for more boating enforcement following fatal North Vancouver crash [June 14 2025]

<https://www.nsnews.com/local-news/community-calls-for-more-boating-enforcement-following-fatal-north-vancouver-crash-10809959>