



Municipal Scan of Scheduled Public Hearing* Meeting Times

MUNICIPALITY	PUBLIC HEARING TIMES/DAYS/FREQUENCY* Source: e-mail response from municipality or publicly available information
Calgary	Combined Council Meetings, which include Public Hearings, are scheduled throughout the year, on Tuesdays. By practice, the Public Hearing begins at 1:15 p.m. and may not continue past 9:30 p.m., unless Council resolves to extend the hearing.
Edmonton	Public Hearings are held approximately every 2 weeks, typically on Tuesdays starting at 1:30 p.m. and ending at 9:30 p.m.
Toronto	Toronto City Council has delegated the public meeting requirements of the Ontario Planning Act to its Committees. Their Planning and Housing Committee and 4 Community Councils meet as part of a legislative cycle (culminating with a meeting of City Council) over a span of 5-6 weeks. They typically have 8-9 cycles per year. Public Hearings start at 9:30 a.m. and end at 10 p.m. or when all agenda items have been resolved.
Vancouver	Public Hearings are held 2 to 3 times per month, with 2 Public Hearings in the same week, Tuesday and Thursday. A third Public Hearing, if needed, would fall on a different Tuesday that same month, starting at 6 p.m. and ending at 10 p.m., unless Council resolves to extend the hearing.
Victoria	Public Hearings are held on the second and fourth Thursday of every month starting at 6:30 p.m. and there is no scheduled end time.
Winnipeg	Pre-pandemic - most public hearings were held in the evenings Monday to Friday (start times between 5:00 and 6:00), but since the beginning of the pandemic, hearings are conducted Monday to Friday at 10:30 a.m. There is no scheduled end time. The Committee will continue the meeting until all registered participants have been heard and until they've made their decision/recommendation on the matter. Hearings are held approximately 5 times per month. Each Community Committee (five in total) meets once/month and there are usually additional hearings at one or two other Standing Committees at least once/month.

*Public Hearing Meetings related to Land Use