

**Press Release – February 22, 2021**

**THE CITIZENS ARE THE ELECTORATE – YOU CAN'T IGNORE ONE  
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**Source Documents References**

**Useful Links:**

**Initial Saanich Citizens Assembly Meeting (to set Terms of Reference) Agenda, held on Feb 20, 2019:**

<https://www.saanich.ca/assets/Local~Government/Documents/Committees~and~Boards/Citizens~Assembly~SC/2019~Agendas/2019-02-20-casc-agenda.pdf>

**Minutes of Saanich Council Meeting on Jan 28, 2020, when Saanich Council adopted Terms of Reference (page 11) – Victoria had previously adopted them:**

[https://saanich.ca.granicus.com/DocumentViewer.php?file=saanich\\_9c97e673b1fac9b9546c085c8ffa273.pdf&view=1](https://saanich.ca.granicus.com/DocumentViewer.php?file=saanich_9c97e673b1fac9b9546c085c8ffa273.pdf&view=1)

**Minutes of Saanich Council Meeting on April 20, 2020, where Mayor Haynes attempted to cancel the Citizens Assembly:**

[https://saanich.ca.granicus.com/DocumentViewer.php?file=saanich\\_b0ca6e016bf5459b46ea3f8c2829c01f.pdf&view=1](https://saanich.ca.granicus.com/DocumentViewer.php?file=saanich_b0ca6e016bf5459b46ea3f8c2829c01f.pdf&view=1)

**Link to Capital Integrated Services and Governance Initiative Report:**

[https://news.gov.bc.ca/files/CapitalIntegratedServicesandGovernanceInitiative\\_ExecutiveSummary.pdf](https://news.gov.bc.ca/files/CapitalIntegratedServicesandGovernanceInitiative_ExecutiveSummary.pdf)

[https://news.gov.bc.ca/files/CapitalIntegratedServicesandGovernanceInitiative\\_FinalReport.pdf](https://news.gov.bc.ca/files/CapitalIntegratedServicesandGovernanceInitiative_FinalReport.pdf)