



Lisa Spitale

Lisa Spitale is a senior municipal executive and Registered Professional Planner with nearly 40 years of experience; with 26 years in senior management in local government. Lisa served 13 years as Chief Administrative Officer (CAO) for the City of New Westminster, overseeing a 1,400 employee corporation and delivering award winning major civic facilities, community services, public amenities, transformative urban revitalization, and nationally recognized housing and social policy innovation.

Lisa retired as CAO in January 2026 and is now consulting. As Principal of Lisa Spitale Consulting Inc., Lisa provides expert guidance to CAOs, Councils, and public sector organizations on governance, organizational restructuring, development approvals, affordable housing, homelessness response and downtown revitalization. She is recognized for advancing women's leadership, promoting innovative public policy, modernizing complex systems and leading transformative urban initiatives.