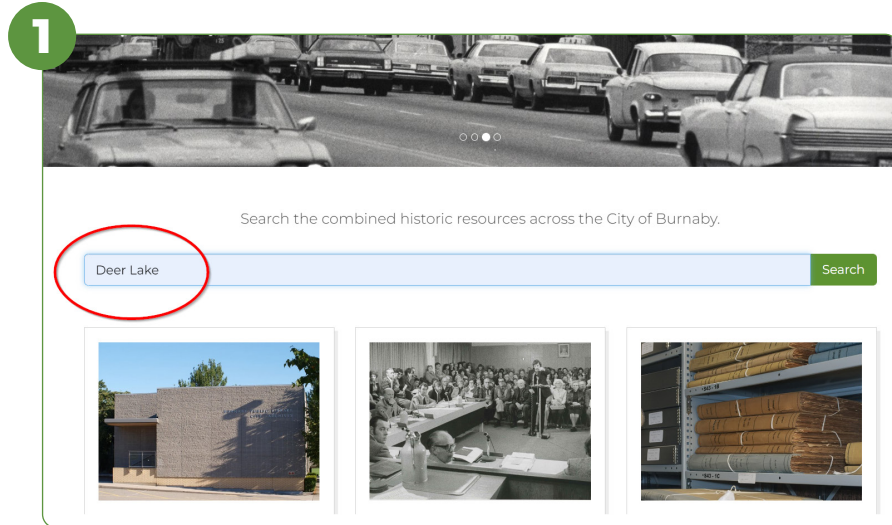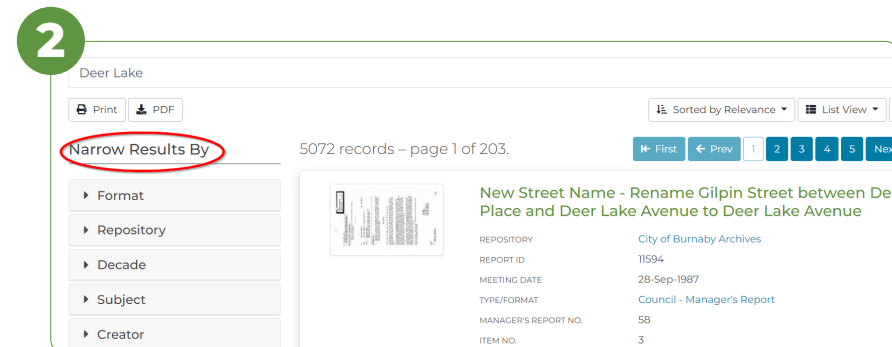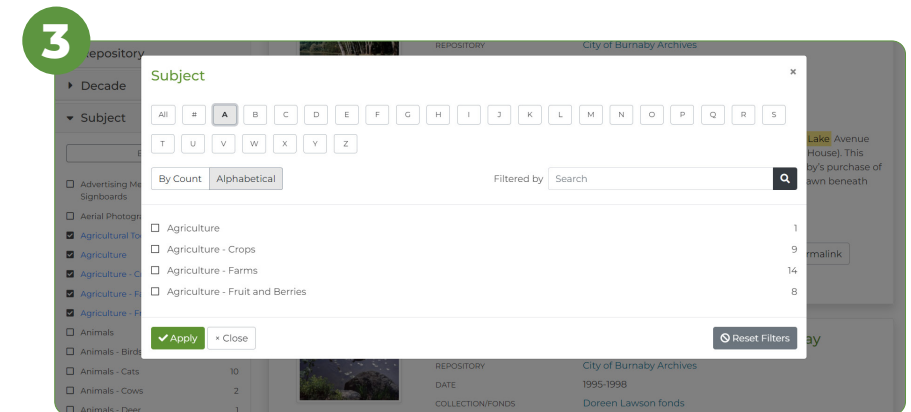1. Begin at the homepage and type in your keyword(s). In this example, we'll type in "Deer Lake" as our keyword search. Click Search.

Search the combined historic resources across the City of Burnaby.

| Deer Lake | Search |

2. The results come back with more than 5000, so use the "Narrow Results By" filters along the left-hand side to refine the results. Choose only the filters that are applicable to your search, and none are required.

Deer Lake

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Narrow Results By   5072 records – page 1 of 203.   ⏮ First   ← Prev   1 2 3 4 5 Next

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New Street Name - Rename Gilpin Street between Deer Place and Deer Lake Avenue to Deer Lake Avenue

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- **Format:** Narrows the search by the type of asset it is, such as artifact, photograph, audio or video file, etc. Select as many as are applicable.

- **Repository:** Narrows the search by which City Department holds the record. This assumes a high level of knowledge of the City's holdings.

- **Decade:** Narrows the search by date. Choose as many date ranges as necessary.

- **Subject:** Narrows the search based on the content shown or described in a record, or the use of an artifact for example. Most often, there are hundreds to choose from, so click "Explore" to browse by letter.

- **Creator:** Narrows the search based upon who created the item. This includes names such as book authors, photographers, videographers, etc. Most often, there are hundreds to choose from, so click "Explore" to browse by letter.

- **Person/Organization:** Narrows the search based upon the person or organization shown or described in a record, or a person connected with an artifact for example. Most often, there are hundreds to choose from, so click "Explore" to browse by letter.

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- **Place:** Narrows the search based upon the place shown or described in a record, or connected with an artifact for example. Most often, there are hundreds to choose from, so click "Explore" to browse by letter.

- **Description Level:** Narrows based upon the formal "Rules for Archival Description". These are different levels of detail about a record. Some researchers like to know the context of where a record came from, as it tells more than the record would on its own. For example, an "Item" is a photograph, but may belong to a "Series" that is a collection of three photo albums that relate to the same family or person.

- **Available Online:** Narrows by whether we have a digital version of the record, or just a description of the record.

FURTHER SEARCH TIPS:

Heritage Burnaby allows users to combine keywords with operators such as AND, OR, and NOT, to produce more relevant results. These terms must be in capital letters.

- Entering animal control AND dog should return all bylaws that contain both of these words in the record.

- Entering animal control OR dog should return records that contain one or both of the words. This list would be much larger than using the AND operator.

- Entering animal control NOT dog should return records that contain animal control but not dog.

For more tips on effective searching like these, please see Advanced Search Tips on the Help Page.