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Mayor's Office	920-5693
City Administrator's Office	920-5624
City Clerk's Office	920-5602
Corporate Services (Finance)	920-5685
Community Services (Recreation)	920-5634
Public Works & Engineering	920-5653
Public Safety & Development	920-5614
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YELLOWKNIFE TRANSIT

Transit Fare Increases

Yellowknife Transit fares will increase **May 1, 2005**, at which time the following rates will come into effect:

Adults	\$2.50 per ride
Students, Seniors and Persons with Disabilities	\$1.50 per ride
Children (5 years and younger)	Free
Adult Monthly Passes (unlimited rides)	\$62
Aurora College Students and Elementary Students Monthly Pass (with a Student Bus Pass)	\$40
Seniors and Persons with Disabilities Monthly Pass (unlimited rides)	\$40
Adult Punch Pass (11 rides for the price of 10)	\$25
Seniors and Persons with Disabilities Punch Pass (11 rides for the price of 10)	\$15
Summer Monthly Pass (all riders 6 years and older)	\$40

For further information, please call the City at 920-5653.

COMMITTEE VACANCIES

Yellowknife Area Policing Advisory Committee

The City of Yellowknife is currently seeking volunteers to fill four (4) vacancies on its Yellowknife Area Policing Advisory Committee: one (1) for a downtown merchant, one (1) for an Old Airport Road merchant, one (1) for a Kam Lake Industrial Park property owner, and one (1) for a member of the public at large.

The purpose of the committee is to assist the Yellowknife RCMP in an advisory capacity by considering and making recommendations to the RCMP on concerns of enforcement issues within the municipal boundaries of the City of Yellowknife. This committee will make recommendations to the RCMP representative, with the full understanding that it is the role of the Yellowknife RCMP to make operational decisions.

Individuals should submit a Letter of Application, explaining your interest in serving on the committee, to the City Clerk at Yellowknife City Hall, P.O. Box 580, Yellowknife, NT, X1A 2N4; email cityclerk@yellowknife.ca; or fax 920-5649.

For further information, please contact the City Clerk at 920-5602. The deadline for receipt of applications is **Tuesday, May 3, 2005**.

Yellowknife Heritage Committee

The City of Yellowknife is seeking volunteers to serve on its Heritage Committee – a body which makes recommendations on the orderly planning, development and management of acquisitions and restorations of Yellowknife heritage sites. The committee meets at 12:00 noon on the third Wednesday of the month. Committee members will become involved in a range of heritage projects with varying commitments of personal time.

Applicants should submit a Letter of Interest by **Tuesday, May 10, 2005** to the City Clerk, Yellowknife City Hall, P.O. Box 580, Yellowknife, NT, X1A 2N4; fax 920-5649; or email cityclerk@yellowknife.ca.

For further information, please call the City at 920-5614.

REQUESTS FOR PROPOSALS

Consulting Services for a Review of the Planning & Lands Division RFP #05-014

The City of Yellowknife is issuing a request for proposals from qualified and experienced consultants to conduct a review of the City's Planning and Lands Division.

Proposal packages containing information on the requirements for the requested services can be picked up from the City's Receptionist located at City Hall. Documents can also be viewed online on the Bidding Opportunities page.

All proposal submissions must be received at the City Hall reception desk before the closing of bids at **1:30 p.m. Friday, May 6, 2005**.

Enquiries with regard to this request for proposals should be directed to the City's Director of Public Safety and Development at (867) 920-5614.

Yellowknife Accessible Transit RFP #05-015

The City of Yellowknife is requesting proposals for professional services to implement and operate an accessible transit service for the City of Yellowknife. With a growing population, City Administration is working to meet the needs of Yellowknife's citizens.

Interested firms may obtain proposal documents from the Department of Public Works at City Hall. Documents can also be viewed online on the Bidding Opportunities page.

Sealed proposals marked in the bottom lefthand corner "RFP 05-015" and addressed to the Manager of Public Works and Engineering, City of Yellowknife, P.O. Box 580, Yellowknife, NT, X1A 2N4 will be received before **1:30 p.m. local time Thursday, May 12, 2005**. Proposals received after the specified time will not be accepted. Other terms and conditions are outlined in the proposal documents.

Enquiries regarding this request for proposals should be directed to the Municipal Works Engineer at (867) 920-5637.

NAOSH WEEK

Occupational Safety & Health

May 1 to 7, 2005 is North American Occupational Safety & Health Week. Throughout the week, the City's employees will participate in a number of activities relating to workplace safety. Safety in the workplace is everyone's responsibility, so **DO YOUR PART!**

NOTICE

Development Approval

The following development permit applications have been approved by the Development Officer. Any persons claiming to be affected by the development may appeal to the Development Appeal Board, c/o City Clerk's Office, Tel 920-5602, City of Yellowknife, Box 580, Yellowknife, NT, X1A 2N4.

Please provide the grounds for appeal as well as your contact information.

Date of Decision: April 19, 2005

#05-076 Lot 45, Block 516 (929 Bigelow Crescent)
Proposed Use: Accessory Building

#05-077 Lot 21, Block 132 (5036 Forrest Drive)
Proposed Use: Home Based Business (Office Use)

Last Date of Appeal: May 3, 2005 at 4:30 p.m.

Date of Decision: April 22, 2005

#05-078 Lot 36, Block 503 (183 Curry Drive)
Proposed Use: Temporary Accommodation Facility

Last Date of Appeal: May 6, 2005 at 4:30 p.m.

Date of Decision: April 25, 2005

#05-079 Lot 12, Block 524 (156 Dagenais Drive)
Proposed Use: Addition over Attached Garage

Last Date of Appeal: May 9, 2005 at 4:30 p.m.

Date of Decision: April 26, 2005

#05-080 Lot 10, Block 307 & Lot 39, Block 308 (Bayview Estates)
Proposed Use: 92 Multi-attached Dwelling Units

Last Date of Appeal: May 10, 2005 at 4:30 p.m.

Additional information may be obtained by contacting the Planning and Lands Division at 920-5614.

Dated this 29th day of April, 2005
Planning & Lands Division

ANIMAL WASTE

Deposit at Fiddler's Lagoon

Please do not put any animal waste in your regular garbage. It is unhealthy and unpleasant for the garbage men, and it is unacceptable to be compacted in the City's baler. All animal waste should be taken to **Fiddler's Lagoon** (located 5km past the airport on Highway #3) for deposit into the honeybag pit.

GRAVEL & DEBRIS

Time to Sweep Your Sidewalk

It's springtime and most of the snow has melted. Unfortunately, as a result, all that winter gravel that keeps drivers and pedestrians safe in the winter is now becoming an unsightly nuisance!

The *Sidewalk Cleaning By-law* states that every owner or occupier of a property with a public sidewalk is required to clear it of any dirt, sand and gravel accumulated during the winter **by May 15th**.

Do your part to help keep Yellowknife clean! Sweep your sidewalks and pick up any garbage from the adjacent curb. Community pride is contagious!

SOLID WASTE LANDFILL

Summer Hours

The City landfill summer hours will commence **Monday, May 2, 2005**. Summer hours are as follows:

Monday and Friday	3:45 p.m. to 5:45 p.m.
Tuesday to Thursday	8:00 a.m. to 5:45 p.m.
Saturday and Sunday	10:00 a.m. to 5:45 p.m.

For public convenience, if a Statutory Holiday falls on a Monday or Friday, restricted hours will move to the respective Tuesday or Thursday.

Access to the domestic garbage drop off bin and to the recycle bins will be available during restricted hours and until 6:00 p.m. each day.

For further information, please contact City Hall at 920-5653.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR INPUT

Integrated Parks, Trails and Open Spaces Study

The Integrated Parks, Trails and Open Spaces Study is available for review on the City website at www.yellowknife.ca.

Please provide your feedback to Council during one of the following sessions: the Municipal Services Committee meeting on **Monday, May 16, 2005 at 12:00 noon** in the Lower Boardroom of City Hall; or the Council Meeting on **Tuesday, May 24, 2005 at 7:00 p.m.** in the Council Chamber.

To obtain more information, please contact Community Services at 920-5634 or email gwhite@yellowknife.ca; or Dillon Consulting at 920-4555 or email nnaidoo@dillon.ca.

TENTATIVE AGENDAS

Priorities, Policies and Budget Committee Meeting

Monday, May 2, 2005 at 10:00 a.m. in the Lower Boardroom. Items for discussion include:

- A presentation from Ipsos Reid regarding the Citizen Survey results.
- A memorandum regarding whether to award the 2005 Water and Sewer Upgrading Project, Contract "A" and Contract "B", Project No. 05-005.

In Camera

- A personnel matter.

Municipal Services Committee Meeting

Monday, May 2, 2005 at 12:05 p.m. in the Lower Boardroom. Items for discussion include:

- Minutes of the meetings of the Zoning By-law Review Committee of April 4 and 18, 2005.
- Minutes of the meeting of the Heritage Committee of April 20, 2005.

Please note that agendas are subject to change up to noon on the Thursday before the meeting.

Please refer to the City's website at www.yellowknife.ca for finalized agendas, or contact the City Clerk at 920-5602.

GET YK CLEAN!

Adopt A Street Program

The City of Yellowknife values the goal of reducing litter in Yellowknife. To help achieve this goal, the City has introduced the "Adopt A Street Program." This is a cooperative program between the City of Yellowknife and its residents. The benefits of the program include:

- increased community involvement surrounding litter control;
- shared stewardship of the community;
- pride in Yellowknife and the environment; and
- giving back to the community so all citizens can benefit.

Any individual or group may adopt a street, block, park, trail or subdivision and be responsible for the cleanliness of the area.

For more information or to get involved, call 920-5647.