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Mayor's Office	920-5693
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City Clerk's Office	920-5602
Corporate Services	920-5685
Community Services	920-5634
Public Works & Engineering	920-5653
Public Safety & Development	920-5614
Economic Development	669-3422
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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Fire Fighter Probationer

The City of Yellowknife is currently seeking an individual with fire fighting/emergency medical experience to join the Fire Division.

The applicant will possess International Fire Fighter Certification in accordance with National Fire Protection Association standards: 1001 Level II (Fire Fighter), and 1002 (Fire Apparatus Driver/Operator), an EMT-A certificate from an accredited Canadian Medical Association training institution, and current Basic Trauma Life Support and CPR Level "C" certification. The candidate must hold a Class III Driver's Licence with airbrake endorsement.

Applicants will be required to undergo written, practical and physical competency examinations, and a medical certifying their ability to perform the duties of this position.

Submit resumes in confidence no later than **5:00 p.m on December 15, 2003**, quoting competition #220-143F/CRM to: Human Resources Division, City of Yellowknife, P.O. Box 580, YK, NT, X1A 2N4; fax to: (867) 669-3471; or email: cityhr@city.yellowknife.nt.ca.

We thank all applicants, but advise that only those to be interviewed will be contacted.

Personal information submitted will be used for the purpose of this competition only.

VACANCY

Audit Committee

The City is currently seeking volunteers to fill a vacancy for a lawyer on its Audit Committee.

The Audit Committee makes recommendations to City Council in all matters pertaining to the financial reporting process. The Audit Committee meets on a quarterly basis.

Applicants should submit a Letter of Application explaining their interest in serving on the Audit Committee to the City Clerk, City of Yellowknife, City Hall, Yellowknife, NT; fax 920-5649; or email cityclerk@city.yellowknife.nt.ca.

For further information, please contact the City's Financial Services Division at 920-5685. The deadline for receipt of applications is December 19, 2003.

PUBLIC MEETINGS

General Plan 2003

The City of Yellowknife invites residents to Public Meetings on December 11 and 16 from 7:00 to 9:30 p.m. in the library meeting room (repeated over the two evenings).

Building on input received from the public, the General Plan consulting team will lead participants through a workshop on developing a Vision and Guiding Principles. For background information, visit www.city.yellowknife.nt.ca.

For further information on the meeting, please contact Terriplan Consultants at 873-4490, or email margaret.ferguson@dpra.com.

Solid Waste Management

The City of Yellowknife invites residents to attend a solid waste management information night on Wednesday, December 10 from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. in the library meeting room. Issues to be discussed include the City's recycling program and salvaging at the landfill.

For more information, please contact the Public Works Department at 920-5689.

CHRISTMAS FESTIVITIES

Celebration of Lights Contest

Prizes for:

- Best Residential Display (includes apartment balconies)
- Best Commercial Interior Display
- Best Commercial Exterior Display

Certificates for:

- Best Decorated Street and/or Neighborhood
- Best Decorations Using an Alternative to Electricity

Judging will take place December 8 to 15, 2003. For entry information, call 920-5676.

WIMPS Santa Skate

You're invited to a Free Skate with Santa and his elves on Thursday, December 18 from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m. at the Multiplex Arena.

Pool Flexi-Pass Sale!

A great holiday gift idea...

From December 1 to 14, 2003, all 3-month passes are 20% off. Passes can be purchased at Ruth Inch Memorial Pool.

Free Downtown Parking

The City of Yellowknife would like to extend its warmest wishes to you and your family during this holiday season. To ease the hustle and bustle of last minute running around, the City will not be enforcing parking meters in the Central Business District throughout the holiday season, from December 15, 2003 until January 4, 2004.

All other parking regulations will be enforced (i.e. fire lanes, loading zones, etc.), including parking restrictions on Franklin Avenue from 3:00 to 9:00 a.m. and 4:30 to 6:00 p.m.

LIBRARY EVENTS

Be Read to at Lunch!

Author Fred Stenson

Tuesday, December 9 from 12:00 noon to 12:45 p.m. in the library meeting room.

Laugh and Learn at Lunch!

Rooney and Punyi's Louis Riel

Thursday, December 11 from 12:00 noon to 12:45 p.m. in the library meeting room.

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 contact information.

Date of Decision: November 25, 2003

#03-391 Lot 26, Block 308 (328 Niven Drive)
Proposed Use: Detached Dwelling

Last Date of Appeal: December 9, 2003 at 4:30 p.m.

Date of Decision: November 26, 2003

#03-392 Lot 15, Block 551 (132 DeMelt Crescent)
Proposed Use: Single Wide Manufactured Home

#03-393 Lot 27, Block 567 (155 DeMelt Crescent)
Proposed Use: Single Wide Manufactured Home

#03-394 Lot 6, Block 543 (22 Horton Crescent)
Proposed Use: Home Based Business (Maintenance Service)

#03-395 Lot 56, Block 562 (141 Jeske Crescent)
Proposed Use: Home Based Business (Mail Order)

#03-396 Lot 1, Block 135 (J117-900 Lanky Court)
Proposed Use: Home Based Business (Mail Order)

#03-397 Lot 28, Block 149 (5453 - 52 Street)
Proposed Use: Home Based Business (Wall and Cleaning Services)

Last Date of Appeal: December 10, 2003 at 4:30 p.m.

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

Dated this 5th day of December, 2003
Planning & Lands Division

REMINDER

Temporary Pool Closure

Ruth Inch Memorial Pool will be closed for maintenance December 22 and 23, 2003.

FUNDING OPPORTUNITY

Special Grants

The City of Yellowknife is now accepting funding applications for 2004 projects, events and/or programs from non-profit organizations. Applications **must** be submitted to the Community Services Department by **5:00 p.m., Monday, January 12, 2004.**

Criteria information and applications for funding are available at City Hall, or by calling the Community Services Department at 920-5647.

REMINDER

Outstanding Utility Balances

The City of Yellowknife wishes to remind residents that unpaid utility charges will be transferred to property owners' tax accounts on December 15, 2003. If you are a new owner or a landlord, the City recommends that you check all utility accounts associated with your property.

Call 920-5600 if you do not have a user name and password to access your account online.

TENTATIVE AGENDAS

Priorities, Policies and Budget Committee Meeting

Monday, December 8, 2003 at 10:00 a.m. in the Lower Boardroom. Items for discussion include:

- A memorandum regarding whether to adopt the rulings on representations heard at a Public Hearing held November 24, 2003 concerning By-law Nos. 4286 and 4287, by-laws amending General Plan (1996) By-law No. 3898 and Zoning By-law No. 4024 respectively.
- A memorandum regarding whether to authorize the Mayor and Members of Council to attend various conferences in 2004.
- A memorandum regarding whether to approve recommendations prepared by VECO Construction Ltd. with respect to their evaluation of the construction of the Multiplex.

In Camera

- A memorandum regarding whether to appoint two members to the City of Yellowknife Heritage Committee.
- Two legal matters.
- A land matter.

TENTATIVE AGENDAS (CONT.)

Council Meeting

Monday, December 8, 2003 at 7:00 p.m. in the Council Chamber. Items for discussion include:

- A presentation to Heather Potter and James Wong in recognition of their service on the Audit Committee.
- A presentation by Mr. John Dalton, a representative of YK Cabs, regarding the Livery Licence By-law.
- A presentation by Mr. Fadi Memedi, a representative of City Cabs, regarding the Livery Licence By-law.
- A petition from City Cabs and Diamond Cabs regarding the Livery Licence By-law.
- Whether to approve a process for acquiring land within Lease 8660-T (Con).
- Minutes of meetings of the Heritage Committee for September 24, October 15/16, and November 12, 2003.
- By-law No. 4291, a by-law to acquire a leasehold interest in land described as Lease 1550T (Shooting Club).
- By-law No. 4292, a by-law to dispose of a leasehold interest in land described as Lease 1550T (Shooting Club).
- By-law No. 4293, a by-law to dispose of a freehold interest in land described as Lot 11, Block 553, Plan 3016, Kam Lake.
- By-law No. 4285, a by-law to amend Livery Licence By-law No. 3653.
- By-law No. 4280, a by-law to authorize the City to borrow on the surety of debentures, the sum of \$1,930,000 for the purpose of financing the 2004 Road Rehabilitation and Paving Program.
- Whether to approve recommendations to amend the Smoking By-law.
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- A memorandum regarding whether to approve recommendations prepared by VECO Construction Ltd. with respect to their evaluation of the construction of the Multiplex.
- A memorandum regarding whether to appoint two members to the City of Yellowknife Heritage Committee.

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 city.yellowknife.nt.ca for finalized agendas, or contact the City Clerk at 920-5602.