



### City Hall Contact Information...

Switchboard . . . . .	920-5600
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 . . . . .	920-5614
Planning and Development . . . . .	920-5614
Economic Development . . . . .	669-3422
Municipal Enforcement . . . . .	920-5630
After Hours - Municipal Enforcement . . . . .	920-2737
After Hours - Pumphouse . . . . .	920-5699
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### INVITATION TO TENDER

#### Kam Lake Road Reconstruction RFT #07-060PW & RFT #07-061PW

The City of Yellowknife is looking for invitations to tender for Kam Lake Road Reconstruction. This is comprised of two specialty tenders: (1) Construction of new road; and (2) Installation of new culvert.

Interested firms may obtain tender documents from the Department of Public Works at City Hall.

Sealed proposals marked in the bottom left hand corner "RFT 07-060PW" and "RFT 07-061PW" and addressed to Director 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, October 11, 2007**. Tenders received after the specified time will not be accepted. Other terms and conditions are outlined in the proposal documents.

Inquiries regarding this request for proposals should be directed to Director of Public Works at (867) 920-5653.

### FROM THE LIBRARY...

#### Winter Hours

Yellowknife Public Library is open on Sundays during the winter (October to April) from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

### VACANCIES

#### Community Energy Plan Implementation Advisory Committee

The City of Yellowknife is looking for citizens to sit on its Community Energy Plan Implementation Advisory Committee. The purpose of the CEP Implementation Advisory Committee is to report and make recommendations to City Council through the appropriate standing Committee of Council on the progress and direction of the CEP implementation; and ensure the Community Energy Plan evolves with advances in technology and best practices.

For more information, please contact the Energy Coordinator at 920-5697. The deadline for receipt of application is **Friday, October 12, 2007**.

#### Audit Committee

The City of Yellowknife is currently seeking volunteers to fill a vacancy for an accountant 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.

For further information, please contact the City's Financial Services Division at 920-5650. The deadline for receipt of application is **Friday, October 26, 2007**.

*Interested individuals should submit a Letter of Application, explaining their interest in serving on either committee, to the City Clerk, City of Yellowknife, City Hall, Yellowknife, NT, fax 920-5649; or email [cityclerk@yellowknife.ca](mailto:cityclerk@yellowknife.ca).*

### WATERWAY CLOSURE

#### McMeekan Causeway Bridge

The City of Yellowknife wishes to advise residents that on **October 9, 2007**, the City will be removing the public boat launch in Old Town and the floating curtain under the McMeekan Causeway Bridge to Latham Island will be installed to promote ice formation and thereby provide safe passage for both pedestrian and snow machines.

For more information, please contact the City at 920-5653.

### EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

#### Fieldhouse Development EOI #07-057

The City of Yellowknife is requesting Expressions of Interest from qualified proponents for the development of a Fieldhouse facility that meets the needs of the community and fits within the budget allocation of the City.

This request for Expressions of Interest is the first step of a process that may result in a Request for Proposals from those firms who respond to this request for EOI.

Submissions **MUST** be received at City Hall, 4807-52nd Street, Yellowknife, NT, **before 1:30 pm local time on Friday, October 12, 2007**.

Submissions should arrive in a sealed envelope, addressed to the attention Manager, Procurement Services and marked clearly in the bottom left hand corner: "Do not open - EOI 07-057"

EOI's received after the time and date noted may be rejected and returned to the proponent unopened.

### OPPORTUNITY FOR INPUT

#### Smart Growth Questionnaire

The Smart Growth Questionnaire has been mailed to all residents and businesses. The City would like your thoughts and feedback on many aspects of growth and development. Please fill out the survey and mail **no later than October 15, 2007**.

If you have not received a copy of the survey in your mailbox please contact the Planning & Lands Division at 920-5614.

### FUNDING OPPORTUNITY

#### Downtown Commercial Facade Improvement Program

The City of Yellowknife has 2007 funding available to provide assistance to improve, renovate or rehabilitate the facades of commercial buildings in the downtown core area. The City will grant 50% of eligible improvement costs to a maximum of \$15,000 to undertake a range of building facade improvements. Property owners may make an application to the Department of Planning and Development for review.

For further information on the assistance available, eligibility criteria and application procedures, please call 920-5614.

## 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: September 25, 2007

#07-4705 Lot 5, Block 39 (5110 – 51 Street)  
Proposed Use: Addition

**Last Date of Appeal: October 9, 2007 at 4:30 p.m.**

### Date of Decision: September 28, 2007

#07-4534 Lot 23, Block 133 (15 Ptarmigan Road)  
Proposed Use: Deck  
#07-4767 Lot 3, Block 68A (4504 – 49 Avenue)  
Proposed Use: Home Based Business  
#07-4769 Lot 3, Block 67 (4906 – 46 Street)  
Proposed Use: New Building

**Last Date of Appeal: October 12, 2007 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 October, 2007  
Planning & Lands Division

## DID YOU KNOW...

### Prevention of Electrical Fires

The biggest issue in office settings from extension cords is that they are to be used as a temporary power supply only where a plugin is not available, they are not for permanent power supply use. Exposing or using an extension cord as a permanent power supply will eventually break down the insulation that surrounds the wiring causing it to heat up, this can and has resulted in serious fires.

A good solution to this problem is the installation of power bars, these are designed for permanent use and also have the added benefit of an overload circuit that will shut off the power should there be too much draw.

## REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

### Engineering Support Services for Monitoring and Controls System RFP #07-012PW

The City of Yellowknife is requesting proposals for Engineering Support Services for Monitoring and Control Systems for the City of Yellowknife.

Sealed proposals marked in the bottom left hand corner "RFP 07-012PW" and addressed to Manager Public Works and Engineering, City of Yellowknife, P.O. Box 580, Yellowknife, NT, X1A 2N4 will be received before **3:30 p.m. local time Friday, October 12, 2007.**

Inquiries regarding this request for proposals should be directed to Manager of Public Works at (867) 920-5639.

### Planning & Engineering Services RFP #07-058 PW

On behalf of Condominium Corporation No. 8, the City of Yellowknife is requesting proposals for Planning and Engineering Services.

Sealed proposals marked in the bottom left hand corner RFP 07-058PW and addressed to Director, Public Works and Engineering, City of Yellowknife, P.O. Box 580, Yellowknife, NT, X1A 2N4 will be received before **3:30 p.m. local time Friday, October 19, 2007.**

Inquiries regarding this request for proposals should be directed to the Director of Public Works at (867) 920-5653.

*Interested firms may obtain proposal documents from the Department of Public Works at City Hall. Documents can also be viewed online at [www.yellowknife.ca](http://www.yellowknife.ca) on the Bidding Opportunities page.*

## REMINDER!!!

### Winter Preparation

With winter fast approaching it is time to turn on your circulating pumps and to get your furnace serviced. If you have a programmable thermostat remember to change the batteries.

### Vehicle Winterization

Winterizing your vehicle will potentially reduce your green house gas emissions. At the same time check your tires and brakes to make sure you have good brakes for the winter season and proper tires to handle our winter roads.

## TENTATIVE AGENDAS

### Priorities, Policies and Budget Committee Meeting

**Tuesday, October 9, 2007 at 10:00 a.m. in the Lower Boardroom. Items for discussion include:**

- A presentation from a representative of the Yellowknife Shooting Club regarding the renewal of their lease for the Yellowknife Shooting Range.

### Council Meeting

**Tuesday, October 9, 2007 at 7:00 p.m. in the Council Chamber. Items for discussion include:**

- A request to proclaim October 15 to 21, 2007 as "Citizenship Week".
- Whether to appoint a member to serve on the City of Yellowknife Development Appeal Board.
- Whether to appoint a member of the public at large to serve on the Yellowknife Area Policing Advisory Committee.
- Whether to appoint a member to serve on the City of Yellowknife Boxing and Wrestling Commission.
- By-law No. 4461, a by-law to acquire a portion of unsurveyed Commissioner's Land for the Somba K'e Civic Plaza waterfront.
- A motion regarding Anti-Idling.
- A presentation from a representative of the Yellowknife Shooting Club regarding the renewal of their lease for the Yellowknife Shooting Range.

*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](http://www.yellowknife.ca) for finalized agendas, or contact the City Clerk at 920-5602.*

## RECREATION PROGRAMS

### Children's Programs

Oct 20 Fall Fun  
Oct 28 Creation Station - Halloween

### Adult Programs

Oct 14 Introduction to Fencing  
Oct 14 Introduction to Knitting  
Oct 20 Scrapbooking - Chip Board  
Oct 25 Card Making  
Oct 30 Beyond the Basics of Photography

*For more information or to register, please call 920-5676 or visit [www.yellowknife.ca](http://www.yellowknife.ca).*