



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
website	www.yellowknife.ca

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

Monitors 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.

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 on the Bidding Opportunities page.

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**. Proposals 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 Manager of Public Works at (867) 920-5639.

INVITATION TO TENDER

2007/2008 Street Sand Requirements Project No. 07-051

The City of Yellowknife invites Tenders for the crushing, hauling and stockpiling of granular material for the 2006/2007 street sanding program. An estimated four thousand (4,000) m3 of crushed aggregate will be required. However, the City reserves the right to vary the quantities to meet snowfall conditions and budget constraints.

Tender documents may be obtained from the City of Yellowknife Public Works Department at City Hall. Documents can also be viewed online at www.yellowknife.ca, on the Bidding Opportunities page.

Prices are to include all labour, materials, supplies and incidentals associated with crushing and hauling of 4,000 m3 F.O.B. to the City's Public Works Garage Compound and stockpiling therein (GST included).

Sealed tenders should be marked *Tender 07-051 - 2007/2008 Street Sand* and addressed to: Manager, Public Works and Engineering, City of Yellowknife, P.O. Box 580, 4807 - 52nd Street, Yellowknife, NT X1A 2N4

Tenders will be received **until 1:30 p.m., local time, on Thursday, September 27, 2007**, at which time the tenders will be opened in public. Tenders received after the specified closing will not be accepted. The work must be completed no later than December 31, 2007.

Arrangements for viewing and inquires regarding this tender should be directed to Municipal Works Engineer, Department of Public Works and Engineering, City of Yellowknife at (867) 920-5637.

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..

PUBLIC TRANSIT

Express Transit Routes

Beginning September 4, 2007, the City of Yellowknife will be running two express transit routes during weekday peak times. The Borden/Northlands route begins at 7:50 a.m., picks up at the designated express stops on Borden, Magrum and Norseman and drops off downtown at the Northwestel Tower, A&W and the high schools. The Frame Lake South route begins at 7:55 a.m., picks up at the designated express stops on Finlayson, Woolgar and Byrne Road and drops off downtown at the Northwestel Tower, A&W and the high schools. The afternoon routes begin at the high schools at 3:45 p.m. and drop off in the Borden/Northlands or Frame Lake South areas.

For more information about these routes, visit the City of Yellowknife website at www.yellowknife.ca, or phone the City at 920-5653.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Payment of Fines

Effective **September 4, 2007** the City of Yellowknife will no longer accept cheques for payment of fines issued by the Municipal Enforcement Division. As of this date, payments for fines must be made by cash, debit, money order, credit card or certified cheque. Payment for fines can be made in person at City Hall during regular business hours or online at www.yellowknife.ca, the interactive voice response system 920-CITY (920-2489), or the night drop box.

For further information contact the City at 920-5600.

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.

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 13, 2007

- #07-252 Lot 1-1, Block 152 (86C Morrison Drive)
Proposed Use: Addition to dwelling & deck replacement
- #07-253 Lot 17, Block 533 (19 Ellesmere Drive)
Proposed Use: Two moveable sheds
- #07-254 Lot 34, Block 502 (3 Coronation Drive)
Proposed Use: Addition to warehouse

Last Date of Appeal: September 27, 2007 at 4:30 p.m.

Date of Decision: September 14, 2007

- #07-255 Unit 7, Block 169 (13 Trails End Crescent)
Proposed Use: (Addition to manufactured dwelling)
- #07-256 Lot 38, Block 502 (17 Coronation Drive)
Proposed Use: Industrial Use (warehouse)
- #07-257 Lot 15, Block 305 (134 deWeerd Drive)
Proposed Use: Detached Dwelling

Last Date of Appeal: September 28, 2007 at 4:30 p.m.

Additional information may be obtained by contacting the Planning and Lands Division at 920-5614. Dated this 21st day of September, 2007
Planning & Lands Division

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.

RECREATION PROGRAMS

Children's Programs

- Sept. 24 - Tae Kwon Do - Youth (6-9 & 10-14 yrs)
Sept. 24 - Tae Kwon Do - Advanced (6-9 & 10-14 yrs)
Sept. 25 - Cartooning for Kids (7-10 yrs)
Sept. 29 - Children's Ballroom Dancing (6-14 yrs)

Adult Programs

- Sept. 24 - Teen/ Adult Tae Kwon Do
Sept. 24 - Book Illustration
Sept. 25 - Beginner Spanish
Sept. 25 - Teen/ Adult Judo
Sept. 25 - Flamenco for Fun
Sept. 26 - Cardmaking - Christmas Cards
Sept. 26 - Yamuna Body Rolling Level 2
Sept. 25 - Morning Intermediate to Advanced Yoga
Sept. 27 - Beginner Yoga
Sept. 27 - Intermediate to Advanced Yoga
Sept. 27 - Solar Energy - House Design
Sept. 27 - How to Buy Your First Home

NOTICE: Yoga classes that were to commence on September 25, have been postponed until September 27.

For more information or to register for the above programs, please call 920-5676 or visit www.yellowknife.ca.

STREET LIGHTING

In case of Lamp Burnouts

Street lighting makes life safer for everyone. If you see a streetlight that needs repair, contact Northland Utilities. If possible, please provide the streetlight pole number or the street address of the lamp needing repair.

Please contact Northland at 873-4865.

ONLINE SERVICES...

Tax Payment

Navigate to www.yellowknife.ca then follow the *Online Services* link to *Pay City Taxes*. You will need a user name and password (if you do not already have one, follow the link to request one) and your credit card number.

For more information, please contact the City at 920-5600.

TENTATIVE AGENDAS

Priorities, Policies and Budget Committee Meeting

Monday, September 24, 2007 at 10:00 a.m. in the Lower Boardroom. Items for discussion include:

- A presentation from Mr. Richard Lafferty, a representative of Flash Point Facilitators, regarding their proposal to bring a natural gas pipeline to the north.

In Camera

- A memorandum regarding whether to appoint a member to serve on the City of Yellowknife Development Appeal Board.
- A memorandum regarding whether to appoint a member of the public at large to serve on the Yellowknife Area Policing Advisory Committee.
- A memorandum regarding whether to appoint a member to serve on the City of Yellowknife Boxing and Wrestling Commission.
- A legal matter.

Council Meeting

Monday, September 24, 2007 at 7:00 p.m. in the Council Chamber. Items for discussion include:

- A request to proclaim October as "Breast Cancer Awareness Month".
- Whether to advertise an Expression of Interest for development of a fieldhouse facility.
- Whether to award the Niven Lake Booster Station contract to Nahanni Construction.
- Whether to accept for information the Ecological Resource Inventory Report, as prepared by Jacques Whitford Environmental Services.
- A motion with regard to requesting the Federal Government to increase the Northern Residents Deduction in the next Federal Budget.

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.

FACILITY OPENING

Ruth Inch Memorial Pool

The Ruth Inch Memorial Pool will be reopening on Monday, September 24, 2007. For further information please contact the pool at 920-5683.