



CAPITAL UPDATE

YOUR WEEKLY MUNICIPAL NEWSLETTER

ENUMERATION UNDERWAY FOR 2022 MUNICIPAL ELECTION

The City of Yellowknife has begun preparations for the 2022 Municipal General Election which will take place on **October 17, 2022**. Enumeration cards have now been mailed to all Yellowknife households. Complete it to ensure you are on the Voters List and that your information is correct.

The election is being conducted via Vote by Mail. Residents must complete their enumeration by **September 22, 2022** to ensure that a Vote by Mail ballot kit is automatically mailed to their residence. If that information is not accurate, or residents are not on the Voters List, they will not get a ballot kit but may vote in person at a Voter Assistance Location on **October 17, 2022**.

You are eligible to vote if you are a Canadian citizen; have attained 18 years of age; and have resided in Yellowknife for 12 consecutive months immediately preceding the day you vote.

You can enumerate your household by one of the following methods:

- Online at www.yellowknife.ca/elections;
- Completing and returning the enumeration card to the City of Yellowknife;
- Calling 920-5602.

The City of Yellowknife is also enumerating voters on behalf of Yellowknife Education District No. 1 (Public) and Yellowknife Catholic Schools (Separate). Voters must clearly identify their School Board preference at the time of enumeration to be eligible to vote for the board of their choice on Election Day. Where a resident supports both school boards, the *Education Act* states the resident may vote for either school board, but may not vote for both.

For more information on the 2022 Municipal Election please visit www.yellowknife.ca/elections.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

The City of Yellowknife is currently offering exciting opportunities for the right people to join and work alongside our dedicated and community focused team of City employees in the following positions:

Yellowknife Visitors Center - Customer Service Representative I
Full Time Casual Position - Approximately 4 months
Closing Date of July 29, 2022

Yellowknife Visitors Center - Receptionist
Full Time Casual Position - Approximately 4 months
Closing Date of July 29, 2022

Water & Sewer Maintainer I
1 full-time permanent and 1 six-month term
Closing Date of August 3, 2022

Library Assistant
Closing Date of August 5, 2022

Please visit the City of Yellowknife website at: www.yellowknife.ca for more information and to submit your application.

ROAD CONDITION ASSESSMENT

The City of Yellowknife would like to inform residents it will be collecting 360 video imagery to identify the location and condition of roads and roadside assets (e.g. traffic lights, signs, etc.).

Using image analysis to determine road condition is a cutting edge approach that will allow the City to assess road conditions more completely, and more often, at a fraction of the price of other methods. This information is critical to improve long-term planning and funding of the maintenance and replacement of these assets, which are cornerstones of effective Asset Management.

Residents may see the scanning vehicle around town from **July 19 until July 29, 2022**. It will look like this:



Residents can check when the scanning vehicle may be in their neighbourhood by looking at the project schedule www.yellowknife.ca/roadassessment (subject to update with changes in weather).

The City recognizes there may be concerns about what imagery is collected and how it is used. The City is committed to collecting and using imagery data responsibly, while maintaining privacy and the protection of personal information:

- The City will only share imagery which includes personal information when needed to support the delivery of services;
- The City will only share imagery containing personal information externally under the terms of agreements which contain appropriate clauses to ensure the protection of privacy and personal information;
- The City will not sell or rent personal information collected in imagery;
- The City will keep imagery containing personal information only for as long as needed to support the delivery of services;
- The City will safeguard imagery containing personal information in accordance with IT security best practices; and
- The City will limit access to imagery containing personal information to the employees who require it in the course of delivering services.

DEVELOPMENT APPROVALS NOTICE

The following development permit applications have been approved by the Development Officer. Any persons claiming to be adversely affected by the development may, in accordance with the [Community Planning and Development Act](#), appeal to the Development Appeal Board, c/o City Clerk's Office, tel. 920-5646, City of Yellowknife, P.O. Box 580, Yellowknife, NT X1A 2N4. Please note that your notice of appeal must be in writing, comply with the [Community Planning and Development Act](#), include your contact information and include the payment of the \$25 appeal fee. (The appeal fee will be reimbursed if the decision of the Development Officer is reversed).

Date of Decision: July 14, 2022
#PL-2022-0090 Lot 70, Block 553, Plan 4089
(98 Taltheilei Drive)
Intended Development: Worker's
Accommodation

Last Date to Appeal: July 29, 2022

Date of Decision: July 19, 2022
#PL-2021-0051 Lot 4, Block 316, Plan 4619
(Off Highway No. 4, before Great Slave
Sailing Club)
Intended Development: Natural Resource
Extraction

Last Date to Appeal: August 3, 2022

Dated the 22nd day of July, 2022.

For more information please contact the City at (867) 920-5600.

FROM THE LIBRARY...

Photography Contest

The Yellowknife Public Library invites all shutterbugs to show us your best shots by participating in our photography contest from **July 22 to August 31, 2022!** Residents of all ages are encouraged to participate.

Drop off a copy of your favourite photo to staff at the Library or send it via email to library@yellowknife.ca. Photo submissions will be displayed for the community to enjoy throughout September at the library.

Patrons of all ages are encouraged to participate.

Summer Reading Club 2022

The Yellowknife Public Library would like to invite children ages 3 to 12 years old to join the 2022 Summer Reading Club. This year's theme is "All Together Now!" Kids will receive a reading log, stickers and prizes; and are able to enjoy weekly themed stories, crafts, and activities at the Yellowknife Public Library. Registration is free!

For more information or to register call 920-5642 or email library@yellowknife.ca.

SLOW DOWN

There are multiple construction projects taking place within the City of Yellowknife this summer. Please obey posted signs, respect speed zones and drive attentively.

When driving through a construction zone, speeding fines are doubled. Plan ahead when commuting as traffic delays can be expected.

To receive current information on road closures and transit routes and delays, follow Our Yellowknife on Facebook or Twitter or visit www.yellowknife.ca/construction.



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Switchboard 920-5600
Mayor/City Administrator 920-5693
Booking Clerk 669-3457

Municipal Enforcement (MED) 920-5630
After Hours (MED) 920-2737
After Hours (Public Works) 920-5699

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TENTATIVE AGENDAS

Special Council Meeting

Monday, July 25, 2022 at 12:05 p.m. in the Council Chamber, City Hall

- Whether to designate the Mayor, Deputy Mayor, specific Councillors, the City Manager, and Directors as signing authorities on City bank accounts.

Governance and Priorities Committee Meeting

Monday, July 25, 2022 at 12:05 p.m. in the Council Chamber, City Hall

- A memorandum regarding 2022 Second Quarter Forecast and Variance Report.

In Camera

- A matter still under consideration.

Council Meeting

Monday, July 25, 2022 at 7:00 p.m. in the Council Chamber, City Hall

- As there were no items for the agenda, the meeting has been cancelled.

FIRE SAFETY & EDUCATION

BBQ Fire Safety

During the summer, BBQing is one of the most popular ways to cook food. Safety Tips:

- Use soapy water to test for propane leaks;
- Replace tank if damaged or over 10 years old;
- Clean it before use; remove grease/fat build-up regularly;
- Only use it outside (carbon monoxide is a by-product);
- Place BBQ at least 3m (10') from house & wood railing;
- Lighting BBQ: Ensure the lid is up; and
- Turning off BBQ: Turn off tank, to burn off fuel in lines.

Have a great fire-free summer. Learn more at www.yellowknife.ca/fireprevention.

BICYCLE SAFETY REMINDERS

Cycling Etiquette

- **Be Courteous** - signal to pedestrians and other cyclists by voice, bell or hand signals.
- **Obey all signs** and rules of the road.
- **Be visible** - wear bright clothing and reflective gear to help vehicles see you.
- **Stay on the right-hand side of the road** and ride in the same direction as traffic.

If you are under 18, wearing a helmet saves you a \$25 fine and helps protect your head! For more information on cycling routes, safety and rules visit www.yellowknife.ca/cycling.

COMMITTEE VACANCIES

The City of Yellowknife is currently seeking volunteers to fill vacancies on the following committees:

- [Accessibility Advisory Committee](#);
- [Audit Committee](#);
- [Community Advisory Board on Homelessness](#); and
- [Mayor's Task Force on Economic Development](#).

For more information, and to apply, visit our [Committees of Council](#) page, contact the City Clerk at 920-5646 or email cityclerk@yellowknife.ca.