



# CAPITAL UPDATE

## YOUR WEEKLY MUNICIPAL NEWSLETTER

### SNOW REMOVAL SCHEDULE

#### Monday, April 3, 2023

- All of Hershman Road;
- All of Stout Road;
- Bryson Drive from Franklin Avenue to Brock Drive;
- Ingraham Drive from Weaver Drive to McMeekan Causeway;
- All of Harriets Lane; and
- All of Glick Court.

#### Tuesday, April 4, 2023

- All of Catalina Drive and lane between Norseman Drive and Anson Drive;
- Lane between Norseman Drive and Catalina Drive;
- Heal Court both sides off Finlayson Drive;
- All of Vaydik Court;
- All of Nutall Court;
- All of Glowach Court;
- All of Perkins Court;
- All of Denison Court; and
- All of Tees Court.

#### Wednesday, April 5, 2023

- Anson Drive from Norseman Drive to end;
- Con Road from house 108 to house 136;
- All of Spence Road;
- All of Daniels Court; and
- All of Avery Court.

#### Thursday, April 6, 2023

- All of Brock Drive;
- Ragged Ass Road from Brock Drive to Hamilton Drive;
- Hamilton Drive from Franklin Avenue to Bretzlaff Drive;
- Bretzlaff Drive from Hamilton Drive to Franklin Avenue;
- Hamilton Drive from Franklin Avenue to Stout Road;
- All of Lundquist Drive; and
- 47 Street and 48 Street off School Draw Avenue to house 5508.

#### Friday, April 7, 2023

The City of Yellowknife would like to advise residents that due to the statutory holiday, there will be no snow removal on **April 7, 2023**.

Residents must ensure parked vehicles are removed from these streets by midnight, or they will be towed. Residents are advised that there will be traffic delays in snow removal areas and if possible, to use an alternate route to avoid delays. The City asks residents to ensure Curbside Carts are returned to their property before the scheduled snow removal on their street. Thank you for your patience, and remember to use caution in snow removal areas and not to pass moving equipment.

### SCOOP THE POOP!

Pet poop that is left in yards, fields, parks and on sidewalks eventually ends up in Yellowknife rivers and lakes. Be a responsible dog owner. Scoop the Poop! Keep our community healthy and clean.

### SPRING CARNIVAL CIVIC HOLIDAY

On Monday, March 27, Yellowknife City Council declared a half-day civic holiday for **Friday, March 31, 2023, from 12:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.** in recognition of the Yellowknives Dene First Nation's Spring Carnival.

In observance of the half-day civic holiday, City facilities will operate as follows:

City Hall	<b>8:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.</b>
Solid Waste Facility	<b>Closed</b>
Fieldhouse	<b>Regular hours</b>
Multiplex	<b>Regular hours</b>
Ruth Inch Memorial Pool	<b>Regular hours</b>
Yellowknife Public Library	<b>Regular hours</b>
YK Arena	<b>Regular hours</b>
Visitor Information Centre	<b>Regular hours</b>

Residents with additional questions can call the City of Yellowknife at 867-920-5600.

### SPRING CLEAN-UP

Every spring, community organizations participate in the city-wide Spring Clean-Up. Eligible groups are awarded a Service Contract and then assigned an area of the city to clean.

This year, volunteers will help to clear litter from 57 areas identified for cleaning within the city from **May 15 to 26, 2023**. Please take care when passing working groups and be sure to give them a wave of appreciation! The City would like to thank all participants for making a difference and helping to keep our city clean.

Deadline to apply is **May 5, 2023 at 5:00 p.m.**

For more information on the annual spring clean-up, visit City of Yellowknife website at [www.yellowknife.ca](http://www.yellowknife.ca).

### SPRING WEATHER SAFETY

With the temperatures rising as we enter spring, the City of Yellowknife would like to remind residents of the following:

- Please clear snow from roofs and awnings to avoid injury to pedestrians walking by your house or business,
- As per Section 113 of the Highway Traffic By-law No. 5055, take care not to splash pedestrians as you drive by,
- Warmer temperatures by day and colder temperatures at night can cause slippery conditions on roads and sidewalks. Please exercise extreme caution in particular in mornings and evenings, and
- Avoid driving in areas where there has been no snow removal such as alleys or cul-de-sacs.

## 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:** **March 29, 2023**  
#PL-2023-0005 510 Old N.W.T. Highway No. 4  
(Yellowknife Historical Society Museum)  
Intended Development: An amendment to the existing permit allowing to add a wood deck, exterior landing and ramp and guard as well as shipping container for housing of mechanical equipment

**Last Date to Appeal:** **April 12, 2023**

**Dated the 31st day of March, 2023.**

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

## 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:

Fire Fighter/PCP  
**Until Filled**

Heavy Duty Mechanic  
**Until Filled**

Homelessness Resource Coordinator  
**April 14, 2023**

Geomatics Officer  
**April 19, 2023**

Director Corporate Services  
**April 21, 2023**

Please visit the City of Yellowknife website at [www.yellowknife.ca](http://www.yellowknife.ca) for more information and to submit your application.

## PROPERTY TAX PAYMENT

The City of Yellowknife reminds property owners and ratepayers that the 2023 Interim Tax Levy payment must be received by the City no later than **5:00 p.m. on Friday, March 31, 2023.**

The City encourages citizens and businesses to keep their accounts current by using the City's online services, making payments through their banks, in person at City Hall by cheque and debit card, mailing or dropping off cheques at the City Hall drop box. Accounts that are not paid by the due date will be charged 1.8% interest per month until the taxes are paid in full. For more information, please call the City at 920-5600.

Please note that City Hall is closed at **noon on March 31, 2023.** In-person payments can still be made using the drop box at the downstairs entrance.

## TENTATIVE AGENDAS

### Governance and Priorities Committee Meeting

**Monday, April 3, 2023 at 12:05 p.m. in the Council Chamber, City Hall**

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

### FIRE SAFETY & EDUCATION

#### Babysitter Fire Safety

Parents, provide the following information to your babysitter:

- Your family's fire escape plan including your meeting place outside;
- Your cell # and the emergency # (9-1-1 or 867-873-2222); and
- Stove and microwave safety (may they use? If yes, stay in kitchen).

Ensure:

- Your smoke alarms are working;
- Matches and lighters are locked away; and
- Candles will not be used.

Keep fire safety front and center. Learn more at [www.yellowknife.ca/fireprevention](http://www.yellowknife.ca/fireprevention).

### FROM THE LIBRARY...

#### Chess Club

The City of Yellowknife invites you to attend chess club, **Monday evenings** at the Yellowknife Public Library. The club will be meeting **April 3, 17, and 24, 2023 between 5:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.** in the Yellowknife Public Library meeting room. Not sure how to play? No problem! All skill levels and ages are welcome!

#### Mid-day Meditation

Beginning **April 5, 2023**, the City of Yellowknife invites you to join us at the Yellowknife Public Library Meeting Room **Wednesdays at noon** for guided Shikantaza meditation. All are welcome and instruction is provided.

#### Meditation Classes in Spanish

The City of Yellowknife invites you to join us at the Yellowknife Public Library Meeting Room **Tuesdays at noon, April 4, 11, 18, and 25, 2023** for a four part series of Spanish meditation classes. All are welcome and instruction will be provided in Spanish.

#### Free English Classes

Yellowknife Public Library is hosting free English classes in partnership with Teach to Reach Instructor Rochelle Hilderman. Interested participants are encouraged to attend **Thursdays 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. from April 6 to May 25, 2023** in the Library Meeting Room.

To register for a Library Program or for more information, email [library@yellowknife.ca](mailto:library@yellowknife.ca), call 867-920-5642 or visit [www.yellowknife.ca/library](http://www.yellowknife.ca/library).

## SWIMMING LESSONS

Registration for April swimming lessons opens up at **9:00 a.m. on Friday, March 31, 2023.** For more information and to register please visit [www.yellowknife.ca/programs](http://www.yellowknife.ca/programs). Or call 867-669-3457. Please have all registration information ready (name, phone number, date of birth, course number and payment information).

Classes scheduled for May and June will be available to register on **April 18, 2023.**



[www.yellowknife.ca](http://www.yellowknife.ca)

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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