



CAPITAL UPDATE

YOUR WEEKLY MUNICIPAL NEWSLETTER

SNOW REMOVAL SCHEDULE

Monday, February 21, 2022

- Trails End Crescent from 43 Street to 43 Street; and
- 54 Avenue from 52 Street to School Draw Avenue.

Tuesday, February 22, 2022

- She La from Sikyea Tili to Sikyea Tili;
- Driscoll Road from deWeerd Drive to Haener Drive; and
- deWeerd Drive from Haener Drive to deWeerd Court and deWeerd Court.

Wednesday, February 23, 2022

- 49A Avenue from 43 Street to 42 Street;
- 42 Street from 49A Avenue to Franklin; and
- Gitzel Street from Franklin Avenue to Matonabee Street.

Thursday, February 24, 2022

- Matonabee Street from Franklin Avenue to McMahan Trail; and
- Moyle Drive from Haener Drive to Haener Drive.

Friday, February 25, 2022

- Rycon Drive from Con Road South to Burwash Drive.

Snow removal begins at **12:00 a.m.** and takes place during the early morning to avoid conflicts with motorists, pedestrians and children at play.

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.

2022 PROPERTY ASSESSMENT AND SCHOOL SUPPORT DECLARATIONS

Property Assessment Notices have been mailed out to all ratepayers (persons or businesses responsible for paying property taxes).

Please consult the "[2022 A Guide to Property Taxes](#)" posted at the City's website at www.yellowknife.ca for information regarding school support declarations and how to file an appeal of your assessment with the Board of Revision.

You may call 920-5664 or 920-5625 to speak with someone about your assessment. The deadline to file a School Support Declaration or Assessment Appeal is **February 21, 2022**. For more information please visit www.yellowknife.ca.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

We are currently offering an exciting opportunity for the right person to join and work alongside the dedicated and community focused team of professionals in the following position:

Municipal Engineer

Closing Date of February 23, 2022

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

COMMITTEE VACANCIES

Accessibility Advisory Committee

Are you looking to make a difference in your community? Why not consider serving as a volunteer member of the newly formed Accessibility Advisory Committee?

The Accessibility Advisory Committee provides advice to the municipal council on identifying, preventing and eliminating barriers to people with disabilities in municipal programs, services, initiatives and facilities. The committee plays a pivotal role in helping the City of Yellowknife to become an accessible community.

Disability includes a physical, mental, intellectual, learning, or sensory impairment—including an episodic disability—that, in interaction with a barrier, hinders an individual's full and effective participation in society.

The deadline for applications is **Friday, February 25, 2022**. For more information about the Accessibility Advisory Committee, refer to the terms of reference at www.yellowknife.ca, or contact Kerry Thistle at 867-920-5633 or kthistle@yellowknife.ca.

Board of Revision

The City of Yellowknife is looking for citizens to sit on its Board of Revision, a body established by statute to hear Yellowknife property assessment appeals, and scheduled to sit on **Thursday, April 7 and Friday, April 8, 2022**. The City welcomes applications from all interested persons, however, those with a background or understanding of the basic process of property assessment and an understanding of how to conduct a hearing effectively to reach appropriate decisions are particularly encouraged to apply. The deadline for applications is **Friday, March 4, 2022**. For more information, please contact the City Clerk's Office at 920-5602.

Applicants should apply online at www.yellowknife.ca or submit a Letter of Interest to the City Clerk, City of Yellowknife, P.O. Box 580, Yellowknife, NT, X1A 2N4; email cityclerk@yellowknife.ca; or fax 920-5649.

ARTS & CULTURE MASTER PLAN – HAVE YOUR SAY

The City of Yellowknife is developing an Arts & Culture Master Plan to support arts and culture in our community and allow it to thrive. The Arts & Culture Master Plan will help identify priorities, provide direction, and anticipate challenges ahead. To develop the Plan, the City is working with Nordicity, a consulting firm with expertise in strategic planning for the arts and culture sector.

How to Participate

As an integral part of the development process, the City and Nordicity want to hear from the Yellowknife community. One way that we will do this is through a survey. The goal of the survey is to understand priorities, needs and opportunities around arts and culture in Yellowknife.

The survey should take 5-10 minutes to complete and can be accessed [here](#). Be sure to finish your response before **Monday, March 7, 2022**.

What Will Happen Next

Nordicity will analyze the results of this survey as a neutral, independent third party. Responses to this survey will remain individually confidential, and only the combined responses may be made public. Individual responses will never be shared with external parties. The City encourages Yellowknifers to complete the survey, supporting and contributing to the City of Yellowknife Arts and Culture Master Plan.

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: February 10, 2022
#PL-2022-0004 Lots 1 & 2, Block 21A, Plans 480 & 650 (4825 49 Avenue)
Intended Development: Accessory Patio
The minimum number of parking spaces has been reduced from 132 to 94 (29% variance)

#PL-2022-0009 Lot 58, Block 519, Plan 1890 (9 Glick Court)
Intended Development: Secondary Suite

Last Date to Appeal: February 24, 2022

Dated the 18th day of February, 2022.

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

FROM THE LIBRARY...

Monthly Online Book Club

The City of Yellowknife invites you to join us at the Yellowknife Public Library for a monthly book club. Our February discussion features "Driven: the secret lives of taxi drivers" written by Marcello Di Cintio. The book club discussion will take place online on **Monday, February 28, from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m.** Join us and share your thoughts, questions, and opinions.

Physical distancing and masks are required, and attendees must fill out a COVID-19 screening form and show proof of vaccination on arrival.

To register for a Library Program or for more information, email library@yellowknife.ca, call 920-5642 or visit www.yellowknife.ca/library.

MARCH BREAK MULTISPORT DAY CAMPS

The City of Yellowknife is pleased to announce that registration for March Break Multisport Day Camps is open.

The camps are scheduled from **Monday, March 14 to Friday, March 18, 2022 and Monday, March 21 to Friday, March 25, 2022 from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.**, and are offered for children aged 7 to 12. Programming will include Judo, basketball, soccer and bouldering.

Masks or facial coverings are mandatory when entering all indoor City facilities as directed by the OCPHO. Screening, proof of vaccination, physical distancing and capacity restrictions remain in place. Anyone 12 years of age and older must be able to provide their proof of vaccination status (or an official vaccine exemption letter). Individuals 19 years of age and older must also be able to provide photo identification.

For information on City programs and to register visit www.yellowknife.ca/programs or call 669-3457.

WINTER RECREATIONAL PROGRAMS

Registration for Winter 2022 Recreational Programs is open. Residents looking to sign-up for Winter 2022 Recreational Programs are encouraged to register online. For information on City programs and to register visit www.yellowknife.ca/programs or call 669-3457.

TENTATIVE AGENDAS

On the advice of the Chief Public Health Officer concerning gatherings, the City of Yellowknife's meetings will be accessible to the public via webcast at www.yellowknife.ca. Any person wishing to speak to an item on the agenda is asked to email cityclerk@yellowknife.ca.

Governance and Priorities Committee Meeting

Monday, February 21, 2022 at 12:05 p.m. via webcast

- A memorandum regarding whether to amend Livery Licence By-law No. 4526, as amended, to permit the maximum age of taxis to increase from nine model years old to ten model years old.

In Camera

- A personnel matter.

FIRE SAFETY & EDUCATION

Apartment Complex Fire Safety Part 1 - Know Your Building

In case of an apartment fire, be aware of:

The locations of pull stations; activate them if there is a fire;

Whether or not your building is monitored:

- Yes – When the alarm sounds, a signal will be sent to the monitoring company, who will contact the Fire Department.
- No – Call 9-1-1 or 873-2222 to report a fire or alarm activation.

Your best way out – Plan, and practice your fire escape plan. Learn more at www.yellowknife.ca/fireprevention.

Be fire safe in your home – know your surroundings.

GET OUT & EAT

CONGRATULATIONS to our first-week winners:

- Jamie Wetrade-Stevenson: \$100 gift Certificate for Bush Order Provisions;
- Spencer Lyman: \$100 gift certificate for Cai's kitchen;
- Maria Jestine Amora: \$250 gift certificate for Zehabesha Traditional Ethiopian Restaurant;
- Aggie Brockman: \$50 gift certificate for Iceblink;
- Naomi Grandjambe: \$75 gift certificate for Sundog Adventures Trading Post;
- Ann Wind: \$100 gift certificate for The Black Knight Pub;
- Catherine Kelterbaum: \$50 gift certificate for Birchwood Coffee Kō;
- Sukhmanpreet Dhindsa: \$100 gift certificate for The Hungry Wolf;
- Candice Lys: \$100 Gift Certificate for Cooperhouse; and
- Andrea Nilson: \$100 gift Certificate for Coyote's Bistro.

Upload your receipts for \$20 or more (before tax and gratuity) in any restaurant, bar or café in Yellowknife to the Aurora Coupons App until **February 20, 2022** for a chance to win.

Next draw will take place on Monday, February 21 and you can win one of twenty fabulous, local prizes! Prizes include gift cards to a range of local restaurants and cafés, ranging in value from \$50 to \$250. The winners will be announced on the City's social media platforms. #getouandeat

BUSINESS LICENCE FEE WAIVER PROGRAM

The City is waiving business licence fees for eligible small and medium-sized businesses when renewing their licence, until **September 1, 2022**.

For more information, all eligibility criteria, and to apply, visit www.yellowknife.ca/apply, email ecd@yellowknife.ca, or call 669-3424.



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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