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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS JANUARY 24, 2011

NOTICE is hereby given that the Council of the City of White Rock will hold Public Hearings in the City Hall COUNCIL CHAMBERS, 15322 Buena Vista Avenue, White Rock, BC, on Monday, January 24, 2011 at 7:00 p.m. in accordance with the Local Government Act. At the Public Hearings all persons who deem their interest in property is affected by the proposed bylaws shall be afforded an opportunity to be heard or to present written submissions reflecting matters contained in the bylaws that are the subject of the Public Hearings.

1) BYLAW 1924:

"White Rock Zoning Bylaw, 1999, No. 1591, Amendment (RS-7 15496 and 15520 Goggs Avenue) Bylaw, 2011,

No. 1924"

PURPOSE:

CIVIC ADDRESS: 15496 and 15520 Goggs Avenue – See Site Map Below The purpose of Bylaw 1924 is to rezone 15496 and 15520 Goggs Avenue from RS-1 Single Unit Residential to RS-7

Single Unit Residential (Infill Residential). If approved, this will facilitate subdividing the two lots into four new lots.

SITE MAP

2) BYLAW 1916: "Official Community Plan Bylaw 1837, 2008, Amendment No. 7 (Climate Action and Integrated Stormwater Plans), 2010, No. 1916"

PURPOSE:

The purpose of Bylaw 1916 is:

Subject Property Map

(a) to implement the objectives of the Community Climate Action Plan, including legislative requirements "to include targets for the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions and policies and actions proposed with respect to achieving those targets"; and

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(b) to implement the objectives of the Integrated Stormwater Management Plan, including the provision of applicable development permit guidelines for the management of storm water runoff.

Further details may be obtained from the City's Planning and Development Services Department at City Hall.

Should you have any comments or concerns you wish to convey to Council and you cannot attend the public hearing, please submit in writing to the City Clerk by 4:30 p.m., Monday, January 24, 2011. You may forward your submissions by:

- mailing or delivering to the City Clerk's Office at White Rock City Hall, 15322 Buena Vista Avenue, White Rock, B.C. V4B 1Y6; or
- faxing to 604.541.9348; or
- e-mailing the City Clerk at tarthur@city.whiterock.bc.ca with "Bylaw No. 1916 or 1924" typed in the subject line.

<u>Please note</u> that Council may not receive further submissions from the public or interested persons concerning the application(s) after the Public Hearings are concluded.

Copies of the proposed bylaws along with associated reports may be inspected in the City Clerk's Office at White Rock City Hall, 15322 Buena Vista Avenue, White Rock, BC, from Tuesday, January 11, 2011 to Monday, January 24, 2011, between the hours of 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., excluding weekends and statutory holidays.

2011 COMMITTEE VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

The City of White Rock is seeking volunteers to provide insight and expertise to serve on city committees in the following subject areas:

City Committees

Transportation: The Transportation Committee will provide advice to Council on public transit matters referred to it by Council.

Youth: The Youth Committee is to consider, evaluate and provide advice to Council to enhance youth culture and opportunities within the City.

Infrastructure: The Infrastructure Committee will consider, evaluate and provide advice to Council on the city's public infrastructure needs as referred to it by Council.

Public Art Advisory Committee (PACC): The PACC will advise Council on the implementation of the Public Art policies for the City of White Rock.

These Committee appointments are until December 31, 2011.

Most of these committees will meet quarterly or as the need arises at City Hall at 4:00 p.m.

City of White Rock residents will form the majority of membership on these

Please submit a resume specifying your preferred area of interest and outlining any relevant experience for the City committees to:

Tracey Arthur, City Clerk The Corporation of the City of White Rock 15322 Buena Vista Avenue White Rock, BC V4B 1Y6 email: tarthur@city.whiterock.bc.ca fax: 604.541.9348

All applications must be received no later than 4:30 p.m. February 4, 2011.

All applications/resumes may be made available to City of White Rock Council and staff for review.

The information is collected and protected under the authority of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act.

CALL FOR CIVIC GRANT APPLICATIONS

The City is accepting applications for the 2011 Civic Grants. Annually, City Council awards a limited amount of funds to recipients doing work in the community that either benefits the residents of the City or brings favourable publicity to the City, thereby raising civic pride and awareness.

If you are interested in applying for a grant, both the application and associated policy are available on the City's website at www.city.whiterock.bc.ca or in the Financial Services Department at White Rock City Hall, 15322 Buena Vista Avenue, White Rock, B.C., during regular office hours (8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.), Monday through Friday, except Statutory Holidays.

All applications must be received by 4:30 p.m., Tuesday, February 15, 2011.



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GREEN CAN

Starting the week of January 24, 2011, single family detached homes that receive yard trimmings collection will be able to include food scraps through the new Green Can program, which is an expansion of the

current yard trimmings collection program.

By next week, all single family detached homes in White Rock will have received a letter from the City outlining the program, along with a new Green Can decal. Residents that require additional decals can pick them up from the City's Municipal Operations Yard at 877 Keil Street.

In order to be part of the Green Can program, simply attach a Green Can decal on the outside of your current yard trimmings can. If you don't yet have a can for yard trimmings, you can make any 45 litres can (or less) a green can with a Green Can decal. It is recommended that you line the can with a Kraft-type paper bag, available at City facilities, to help keep the can clean.

You can include the following items in your Green Can:

- Any kind of cooked or uncooked food scraps, including meat, poultry, fish, seafood, bones, eggshells, dairy, vegetables, fruit, bread, pasta, and grains
- All leftovers and plate scrapings
- Coffee grounds in their used paper filters, tea leaves and tea bags
- Food-soiled paper towels, napkins, tissues, paper plates and pizza delivery boxes
- Yard trimmings, such as plants, flowers, grass cuttings, leaves and branches

For more information about the Green Can program, please attend one of the following public information meetings:

January 18

6:00 – 8:00 p.m. White Rock Community Centre 15154 Russell Avenue

January 20

2:00 – 4:00 p.m. Kent Street Activity Centre 1475 Kent Street

For more information, visit www.city.whiterock.bc.ca/greencan or call the City's Engineering and Municipal Operations Department at 604.541.2181.

January 20

7:00 – 9:00 p.m. White Rock City Hall 15322 Buena Vista Avenue





NEXT WEEK

January 17 Land Use and Planning Meeting 7:00 p.m. January 18 Environment Committee Meeting 4:00 p.m.

4:00 p.m.
Economic, Investment and Revitalization
Committee

January 20 Cultural Committee Meeting 4:00 p.m.

All meetings held at City Hall, 15322 Buena Vista Avenue

Meeting 6:00 p.m.

MATURE DRIVERS WORKSHOP

Are you an older driver? Come to a free Mature Drivers Workshop at the White Rock Community Centre and learn what you can do to stay safe and keep driving for as long as possible.

Learn how age affects your driving skills, update your knowledge of vehicle safety features and assess your own driving habits.

Co-sponsored by White Rock RCMP Community Policing and the BCAA Traffic Safety Foundation.

Upcoming Workshops

Monday, January 24 – 9:30-11:30 a.m. Monday, February 21 – 9:30-11:30 a.m. Friday, March 4 – 9:30-11:30 a.m.

To register, call White Rock Leisure Services at 604.541.2231.

Courses are held at the White Rock Community Centre, 15154 Russell Avenue, White Rock.



EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Are you interested in being trained to respond to members of your community in need of assistance from the White Rock Fire Rescue Department? The White Rock Fire Rescue Department is looking for auxiliary firefighters that are ready for a challenge.

Auxiliary Firefighters

- Must live within a 6 km radius of the Fire Department
- Must have a valid BC driver's license with an acceptable driving record
- Must be capable of meeting the physical demands of this position

Application deadline is Wednesday, January 19, 2011

We encourage applications from people who are available to respond to emergencies during daytime hours. For complete position details, visit www.city.whiterock.bc.ca.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Are you looking for a new challenge? The City of White Rock's Engineering and Municipal Operations Department is currently seeking an individual to provide technical expertise, advice and guidance on environmental matters for the following position:

Environmental Coordinator (21 hours per week)

Undergraduate degree or diploma from a recognized Institute of Technology in Biology, Geography, Environmental Science, or an equivalent field, supplemented by related experience.

Application deadline: Tuesday, January 25, 2011

 $For complete \ position \ details, visit \ www.city.whiterock.bc.ca.$

