

## Notice of Election By Voting

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY** given to the electors of the Corporation of the City of White Rock that a by-election by voting is necessary to elect one (1) Councillor for the balance of the December 2008 to December 2011 term, and that the persons nominated as candidates and for whom votes will be received are:

### Councillor – One (1) to be elected

Surname	Usual Names	Jurisdiction of Residence
Mensour,	David	White Rock, BC
Corless,	Tom	15043 Beachview Avenue, White Rock, BC
Chesney,	David	White Rock, BC
Lawrence,	Bill	White Rock, BC
Kleeberger,	Bruce	14635 Bellevue Crescent, White Rock, BC
Emanuel,	Roger	15523 Buena Vista Avenue, White Rock, BC
McFadden,	Teresa	1228 Everall Street, White Rock, BC
Meyer,	Grant	#203, 1480 Foster Street, White Rock, BC

**GENERAL VOTING DAY** will be open to qualified electors of the Corporation of the City of White Rock on Saturday, September 12, 2009 between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. at any of the following locations:

**White Rock Community Centre – 15154 Russell Avenue**  
**Centennial Arena – 14600 North Bluff Road**  
**Kent St. Activity Centre – 1475 Kent Street**

#### Elector Registration

If you are not on the list of electors, you may register at the time of voting by completing the required application form available at the voting place. To register you must meet the following qualifications:

- 18 years of age or older
- Canadian citizen
- resident of BC for at least 6 months immediately preceding voting day
- resident of OR registered owner of real property in the Corporation of the City of White Rock for at least 30 days immediately preceding voting day, and
- not otherwise disqualified by law from voting.

In order to **register** (this is only necessary if you are not already on the voters list) to vote you will also be required to produce **2 pieces of identification** (at least one with a signature). The identification must prove both residency and identity.

**Non-resident property electors** must produce 2 pieces of identification (at least one with a signature) to prove identity, proof that they are entitled to register in relation to the property, and, if applicable, written consent from the other property owners.

#### Advance Voting Opportunities

Legislation now permits all eligible voters to utilize an advance voting opportunity should they choose to do so; previously a solemn declaration was necessary noting that the voter met specific criteria. Advance voting will be open at the **White Rock Community Centre – 15154 Russell Avenue, White Rock, BC**

on Wednesday, September 2, 2009, and Thursday September 10, 2009 between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. each day.

#### Special Voting Opportunity

A special voting opportunity (mobile voting) will be held at Oceanview Care Home (8:45 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.) 15628 Buena Vista Avenue, Evergreen Baptist Home (11:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.) 1550 Oxford Street, and Peace Arch Hospital (3:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.) 15521 Russell Avenue on Wednesday, September 9, 2009. Only those qualified electors who are admitted patients or registered residents of the extended care institution(s) and/or hospital(s) or employees of the extended care institution(s) and/or hospital(s) at the time of voting may vote at this special voting opportunity.

#### Mail Ballot Opportunity

The City of White Rock will be conducting Mail In Ballots for persons who have a physical disability, illness or injury that affects their ability to vote at another voting opportunity, and for persons who expect to be absent from the City on general voting day and at the times of all advance voting opportunities. Electors voting by mail ballot must sign a statement indicating that they qualify to vote by mail ballot. Those electors who are eligible and wish to vote by mail ballot may make an application to the Chief Election Officer up until 4:00 p.m. on September 10, 2009. An application form is available to download in advance from our website at [www.city.whiterock.bc.ca](http://www.city.whiterock.bc.ca) or you may contact the Chief Election Officer to obtain a form. **NOTE: It is the obligation of the person applying to vote by mail ballot to ensure that the mail ballot is received by the Chief Election Officer at City Hall, 15322 Buena Vista Avenue, White Rock, BC V4B 1Y6 before 8:00 p.m. Saturday, September 12, 2009.**

Tracey Arthur, Chief Election Officer 604-541-2212  
 Nona Housenga, Deputy Chief Election Officer 604-541-2129

## Public Information Meetings

### Bylaw No. 1831 - Tree Management Bylaw

Council for the City of White Rock is considering the adoption of a new Tree Management Bylaw to regulate the conservation, removal and replacement of trees through-out the entire City. The objective is to protect mature healthy trees where possible, and result in a greater number of healthy trees for the betterment of the community.



The City's authority to manage the removal and replacement of trees on private lands is based on the provisions of the BC Local Government Act and the Community Charter. That authority, however, does not include the authority to require the removal or pruning of trees on private properties to enhance or restore the views on adjacent properties.

As the next step in the process, two public information meetings will be held on Wednesday August 26, 2009 and Wednesday September 9, 2009. The purpose is to gather public input from the community on the proposed bylaw. At this meeting, there will be a public open house to view the bylaw, a presentation on the key points and a subsequent question and answer period.

**Tree Management Bylaw  
 Public Information Meeting  
 Wednesday September 9, 2009  
 6 p.m.  
 City Hall (Council Chambers)  
 15322 Buena Vista Avenue  
 White Rock, BC V4B 1Y6**

A questionnaire will be available at the public meetings. This questionnaire is also available on the City website and the City is seeking responses from the public on the issue of tree preservation prior to moving forward with adoption of the new bylaw.

For more information, to obtain a copy of the questionnaire, or to view the proposed bylaw, please visit the City's website at [www.city.whiterock.bc.ca](http://www.city.whiterock.bc.ca).

## Pesticide Drop Off

In anticipation of White Rock's new pesticide bylaw, you're invited to drop off any remaining domestic pesticides on Sundays during the month of September at the White Rock Farmer's Market (15154 Russell Ave). Learn more on the City's website [www.city.whiterock.bc.ca](http://www.city.whiterock.bc.ca).

## Holiday Collection Schedule

The City of White Rock Municipal Hall will be closed on Monday, September 7, 2009 for Labour Day. Recycling, garbage and yard waste collection will be scheduled as follows:

**Garbage and Recycling – Single-Family Homes/Duplexes**  
 Service not affected by the holiday.

**Garbage and Recycling – Multi-Family Homes/Commercial Bins**  
 Multi-family and commercial properties with overhead bin collection normally falling on Monday, September 7 will have their garbage/recycling collected on Tuesday, September 8. All other collection days remain unchanged.

#### Yard Waste

Properties with yard waste collection scheduled for the week of September 7 – 11 will have their collection on Tuesday, September 8.

**\*Please have all garbage, recycling and yard waste receptacles curbside before 8:00am on your collection day. There is a 10-unit (bag/container/bundle) limit on yard waste collection for all properties.**

#### Need More Information?

We can assist you with any questions you might have about our solid waste programs. Please contact the Municipal Operations Department at 604-541-2181 or visit us online at [www.city.whiterock.bc.ca](http://www.city.whiterock.bc.ca).



## Next Week

### September 8

Infrastructure & Transportation Committee Meeting  
 4:00 p.m.

All meetings at City Hall, 15322 Buena Vista Ave, White Rock.