

Mayor's Message



Another amazing summer is winding down with vacation time ending and parents are itching to get their kids back to their studies. As I look back over the past couple months, I can't help but feel a sense of pride in this community. I have had the pleasure of witnessing

numerous successful events in the downtown core as well as Block Watch celebrations, the Paddington Station 'Pay it Forward' bbq, and parks absolutely buzzing with family fun. It's been very rewarding to see so many of our citizens embracing all that this community has to offer!

And the fun doesn't have to stop there! Everyone is welcome to head to City Park on September 8th for a [fun-filled movie night under the stars](#). Then on September 9th is an opportunity for adults (19+) to enjoy something new, a Duelling Pianos event in McBurney Plaza. This event is sure to sell out so get your [tickets today](#).

While there are endless opportunities for enjoyment, another part of being a community is ensuring that our citizens have opportunities for open dialogue with their elected officials. I'm pleased to share that we will again be hosting our annual Neighbourhood Meetings on October 5th, 12th, and 19th. Our Council and senior staff look forward to these meetings as opportunities to connect with residents to discuss topics that are important to you. Be sure to choose which date is best for you and mark it on your calendars.

Upcoming Programs & Events:

Friday, Sept. 8

[Community Concert](#)

Saturday, Sept. 9

[Family Fun Day](#)

Saturday, Sept. 9

[Duelling Pianos in the Plaza](#)

Saturday, Sept. 16

[McBurney Plaza Summer Series](#)

Sunday, Sept. 17

[Terry Fox Run](#)

Saturday, Sept. 23

[Canada in our Backyard](#)

[View all of the upcoming Langley City events](#)

As the autumn months approach, I encourage everyone to get out and enjoy these last days of summer in Langley City, "the Place to Be"!

Sincerely,



Mayor Ted Schaffer

Development Services & Economic Development

COMMUNITY OPEN HOUSE #2 Langley Urban Agriculture Project

YOU'RE INVITED TO A PUBLIC OPEN HOUSE

DATE: TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 2017

TIMES: 6:00PM - 8:00PM

LOCATION: ALICE BROWN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL GYMNASIUM, 20011 - 44 AVENUE

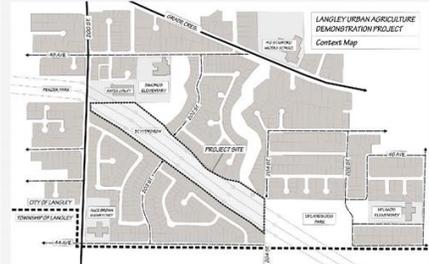
PROJECT PARTNERS:

 Institute for Sustainable Food Systems

 SERVICES AND SOLUTIONS FOR A LIVABLE REGION

The City of Langley invites you to the second Community Open House for the Langley Urban Agriculture Demonstration Project. The City of Langley, Metro Vancouver and the Institute for Sustainable Food Systems at Kwantlen Polytechnic University are partnering to study the potential use of the BC-Hydro Right-of-Way between 200 Street and 204 Street for urban agriculture. City residents are invited to drop in and review conceptual plans for bringing urban agriculture to the right-of-way. The project planning team has prepared various options for the public's consideration and input. To preview conceptual plans for the site, please visit the project website:

<http://www.citylangley.bc.ca/business-development/sustainability/langley-urban-agriculture-demonstration-project>



For further information about the project please visit www.citylangley.bc.ca, or contact Roy Beddow, Deputy Director of Economic Development and Development Services at rbeddow@langleycity.ca, or 604.514.2817.

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CANADA 150

CANADA in our Backyard

September 23 · 10am to 3pm

EXPLORE the Provinces and Territories of Canada while walking the Nicomekl Food Path.

EXPERIENCE the best of local through music, food, sport, arts and more.

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MORE INFORMATION
1000 COMMUNITY CENTRE
2000 Douglas Avenue, 604.514.2340
DOUGLAS RECREATION CENTRE
1000 Douglas Avenue, 604.514.2340

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MOVIE IN THE PARK

Friday, September 8

Bring your lawn chairs & blankets from 7:30pm to 8:30pm to the park and enjoy a movie on the big screen!

FILM: GUARDIANS OF THE GALAXY 2

CITY FEES: \$10.00
2017-2018
7:30pm to 10:00pm
Free admission
Paid Concession Available

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Development Services & Economic Development

PUBLIC OPEN HOUSE DRAFT ZONING BYLAW NO.3000

YOU'RE INVITED TO A PUBLIC OPEN HOUSE

The City of Langley has prepared a new zoning bylaw to replace the existing Zoning Bylaw No. 2100 which was adopted on June 10, 1996. The public is invited to attend one of the following open houses concerning Draft Zoning Bylaw No. 3000:

DATE: TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 2017
TIMES: 2:00PM - 4:00PM & 6:00PM - 8:00PM
LOCATION: CKF ROOM, LANGLEY CITY HALL (2ND FLOOR), 20399 DOUGLAS CRESCENT

*Draft Zoning Bylaw No. 3000 is available on the City of Langley website at the following location:
<http://www.city.langley.bc.ca/business-development/zoning-bylaw>

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2017 Paving Project
Investing in Infrastructure Renewal

In August and September, the City's contractor Lafarge Canada will be completing pavement rehabilitation in the City. Due to the nature of the work, the dates are weather dependent. Local traffic will be accommodated with minor delays. Milling, paving and concrete work August 12 to September 29 at the following locations:

- Newlands Drive between 209 Street and 210 Street and 210 Street north of Newlands Drive

distracted driving in B.C.

78 On average 78 people die every year in crashes where distracted driving is a contributing factor.

Distracted driving is responsible for more than **one quarter** (27%) of all car crash fatalities in B.C.

When you're distracted, you react slower. Most rear-end crashes resulting in injury are **caused by distracted drivers**.

did you know?

There are many types of distractions, but one of the **most common** is the use of personal electronic devices.

Studies show that drivers who are talking on a cellphone lose about **50%** of what is going on around them, visually!

You're **five times** more likely to crash if you're on your phone.

94% of B.C. drivers surveyed consider texting while driving to be risky, including 82% indicating extremely risky.

Approximately **2 out of 5** B.C. drivers admit to using their phone at least some of the time while driving.

the rules

The use of hand-held personal electronic devices while driving has been banned in B.C. since 2010. The law also applies while you're stopped at a red light or slowed in traffic.

\$368 The penalty for using a hand-held electronic device while driving is a \$368 fine and four penalty points (\$175) for a total of **\$543**.

Multiple offences within a year* could cost you more than you think.

fifth offence	tenth offence
\$1,840 (\$368 x 5 tickets) + \$3,760 penalty point premiums	\$3,680 (\$368 x 10 tickets) + \$14,520 penalty point premiums
Total \$5,600	Total \$18,200

If you have your L or N, you're not allowed to use any personal electronic devices, even with a hands-free system.

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- Focus on the road and your driving. Avoid distractions. The best way to stay safe is to not use your phone at all, but if you must take a call, use a hands-free device and keep the conversation short.
- Make sure your hands-free device can be activated or deactivated with a single touch and is in a fixed location.

Source: ICBC's Business Information Warehouse, Police Traffic Accident System, ICBC's crash & injury-related and police filed annual data for year average (2011-2015) for B.C. *On-Driver Distraction includes incidents where one or more of the vehicles had contributing factors: use of cellphones/devices equipped with systems, driver inattention/distraction. This finding was documented in a presentation given by Professor D.L. Strayer (University of Utah) at a conference titled "Cell Phones and Driver Distraction" (2015). © 2017 ICBC.

- 206 St from Fraser Hwy to 56 Ave
- Eastleigh Crescent just east of Glover Road
- 51B Avenue from 207 St to 208 St WB lanes
- Lane south of Fraser Hwy west of 201A Street
- Intersection of Grade Crescent and 201 Street
- 200 Street various pathing from 44 Avenue to Grade Crescent

The hours of work will generally be 7:00 am-5:00 pm Monday to Saturday. For more information contact Engineering Services, 604-514-2997 or email engineering@langleycity.ca.



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