

# City Talks January 2018



# Get Involved in the Budget Process

On December 11 and 13, City departments presented their business plans and proposed budgets for 2018. Council will now deliberate the proposed budgets on January 10 and 11, both days beginning at 5:30pm. Meetings are open to the public with opportunities for questions and comments. Residents can also offer feedback through the following:

- Visit pittmeadows.bc.ca/budget and email comments through the webpage
- Email the Finance department directly at budget@ pittmeadows.bc.ca
- Contact elected representatives or City staff directly by phone or email

# Budget 2018 Council Deliberations

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www.pittmeadows.bc.ca/budget

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For more information on the City's budget and business planning, please visit pittmeadows.bc.ca/budget.

# COUNCIL

#### Regular Council Meetings

Jan 9, 7pm

(Coffee with Council at 6:30; everyone welcome)

Jan 16, 7pm

Jan 23, 3pm

#### **Budget Deliberations**

Jan 10, 5:30pm

Jan 11, 5:30pm

Watch Regular Council Meetings live online!
Visit our website at pittmeadows.bc.ca and click on Council Meeting Videos under the Quick Links sidebar.

#### Be a Snow Angel

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If the snow starts to fall, do you have neighbours who will need help with clearing sidewalks, getting out to get groceries or medications, or even just need some company? Be a Snow Angel - check in with your neighbours ahead of time and set up a plan for when the snow comes. Let's look out for one another! To learn more about City snow clearing procedures, visit pittmeadows. bc.ca/snow.

## Help us shape Arts & Culture in Pitt Meadows





How should we shape arts, culture, and heritage in Pitt Meadows for the next five years? What is important to you, and what would you like to see? Tell us in our online survey and you can enter to win an Apple iPad! (Grab a cup of tea, it will take about 20 minutes to complete!) Learn more about our work creating a plan for the arts in the community, and find the survey on our website: pittmeadows.bc.ca/artssurvey.

## Recreation Memberships 10% off in January!



New Year – New Goals! Save 10% off All Term Memberships! Purchase a 1, 3, 6 or 12 month Membership between January 2 - 31 for 10% off. Limit of one discounted pass per individual. Start the new year with some great goals for health and fitness!

## Don't Forget to Renew Your Dog License!



Dog license notices were mailed to owners in December - don't forget the deadline to license your dog is January 31! Licensing your dog ensures that your pet can be reunited with you if s/he becomes lost, and helps the City ensure our community stays safe for residents and our furry family members. And great news — we will soon offer online dog license renewals! Watch for more information coming soon!

### **Council This Month**

Civic Engagement in Pitt Meadows. Council recently received the Civic Engagement Framework and Strategy document the City has created with Modus Consulting to improve public participation in the community. Part of this work came from the involvement of members of the public who attended a focus group and responded to an online survey on civic engagement in Pitt Meadows. There will be many opportunities for residents to give their input on issues in the coming year; look for more information and ways to get involved at pittmeadows.bc.ca/publicparticipation.

#### Go Green

## Tree Chipping Event January 6 & 7.

Looking for an environmentally friendly way to dispose of your Christmas tree and support your

community? Drop off your tree at Meadows Landscape on Sat Jan 6 or Sun Jan 7 between 9am – 4pm! Drop-offs are by donation to support the Pitt Meadows Lions and Girl Guides. Make sure your tree is stripped of any decorations and tinsel.



Council Budget Deliberations Jan 10, 11 - Council will deliberate the proposed 2018 budget beginning at 5:30pm. Sessions are open to the public. Visit pittmeadows.bc.ca/budget to see proposed business plans and budgets for 2018.







