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How About Coffee with Parksville Mayor Ed Mayne?

Parksville, BC - Starting January 15, the new Mayor of the City of Parksville, Ed Mayne, is inviting residents to join him for "Coffee with the Mayor" on Thursday afternoons between 2 pm and 4 pm at City Hall. No appointment necessary, just drop by City Hall.

Mayor Mayne is inviting residents to take a few minutes to drop by City Hall for coffee and an informal chat. "I look forward to the opportunity to speak with residents." Coffee with the Mayor" is meant to give me a chance to meet informally to talk about topics related to Parksville that are on the minds of residents," said Mayor Mayne. This new program allows residents an informal and comfortable forum in which to meet the Mayor to ask questions, discuss issues and concerns and offer comments and suggestions.

Mayor Mayne is looking to foster open dialogue with the residents of Parksville. "This is another communication tool," said Mayor Mayne. "It's a chance for residents to get to know their Mayor, visit City Hall, feel comfortable with their local government and have a coffee on us."

Who City of Parksville Mayor Ed Mayne

What Coffee with the Mayor

Where City Hall, 100 Jensen Avenue East When Every Thursday from 2 to 4 pm

Why Chance to ask questions, offer comments about City of Parksville

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