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Council Meeting to Discuss Parksville Downtown Traffic Movements

Monday, March 14, 2016

A special Council meeting will be held on Monday, March 14 at 6 pm in the Forum, Parksville Civic and Technology Centre. The purpose of this meeting is to receive a presentation from Boulevard Traffic Consultants regarding traffic movements in and around Parksville downtown. The public is encouraged to attend this meeting.

The meeting format will include a brief staff report and the presentation from Boulevard Transportation Consultants. The staff report will provide a summary of the studies completed and an overview of feedback received to date. The presentation by Boulevard Traffic Consultants will include an update to their previous study completed in 2013 as well as modelling of the impacts of current and future traffic flows in the downtown. Traffic simulation or modelling will demonstrate traffic flow, parking patterns and traffic networks in and around Parksville downtown.

The reports, presentation and public comment introduced at this meeting will provide Council with the information necessary to discuss and decide on pending capital projects and future site development.

This meeting will provide residents and business owners with an opportunity to hear the presentations and Council's discussion and also be able to ask questions and provide comments. An invitation to participate was extended to the Oceanside Development and Construction Association, Parksville and District Chamber of Commerce, Parksville Downtown Business Association and the Parksville Qualicum Beach Tourism Association.

The agenda and reports provided by the City's engineering department and Boulevard Traffic Consultants will be available for review on the City's website by March 11. The meeting will be webstreamed live from the City's website and archived for viewing at a later date as will the presentation and reports introduced at the meeting.

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