



Town of  
**WHITCHURCH-STOUFFVILLE**  
"Country Lifestyle Close to the City"

Town Office: 905-640-1900 OR 905-895-2423  
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[www.townofws.com](http://www.townofws.com)

Lebovic Leisure Centre: 905-642-PLAY(7529)  
Public Library: 905-642-READ(7323)

**NOTICE OF COUNCIL MEETINGS**

Council Chamber, 37 Sandiford Drive, 4th Floor

Tuesday January 29th at 9:00 a.m.

Budget Committee Meeting  
followed by Special Council

At the January 29th meeting, Council will review the 2008 Operating and Capital Budgets as well as the Five Year Capital Forecast. Council will also consider an amendment to the 2007 User Fees By-law.

Any comments and/or questions may be forwarded to: Marc J. Pourvahidi, Director of Finance/Treasurer 905-640-1910 x245 or marc.pourvahidi@townofws.com

Tuesday February 5th at 7:00 p.m.

CIC followed by Council

Tuesday February 19th at 3:00 p.m.

CIC followed by Council

Tuesday February 19th at 7:00 p.m.

Public Hearing



Assistive Listening devices available upon request

**REQUEST FOR QUOTATION**

**SANITARY SEWER FLUSHING & CLOSED  
CIRCUIT TELEVISION INSPECTIONS**  
WS-RFQ-08-04

A \$25.00 non-refundable deposit made payable to the Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville is required per set of tender documents for this contract. The Request for Quotation document is available at the Municipal Office, Clerk's Department, 37 Sandiford Drive, 4th Floor, Stouffville.

Request for Quotations will be accepted until 4:30 pm, Wednesday February 13th, 2008.

For further information, please contact Glen Van Dusen, P.Eng., of Giffels Associates Limited at 416-798-5541.

The Corporation of the Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville reserves the right to accept or reject any tender and also reserves the right to accept other than the lowest tender.

**NOTICE**

**MAYOR'S NEW YEAR'S EVE FIREWORKS EVENT**

2007 came to a spectacular close with the annual New Year's Eve festivities in Memorial Park when residents, friends and families gathered to enjoy an evening of sleigh rides, outdoor skating, activities for the children in Latham Hall and, of course, the fireworks display.

My thanks to the following companies for their generous donations towards the cost of purchasing the fireworks:

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|------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Betz Pools Ltd.              | Macaulay Shiomi Howson Ltd.   |
| Bill Houston Ford Ltd.       | M.A.M. Group Inc              |
| Cole Engineering Group Ltd.  | Mattamy Homes                 |
| Creative Outdoor Advertising | Monopoly Commercial Realty    |
| Fairgate Homes               | Rice Commercial Group         |
| Giffels Associates Limited   | Schell Lumber Limited         |
| Highland Transport           | Schickedanz Bros. Limited     |
| Hoover Park Town Centre Inc. | Todd Brothers Contracting Ltd |
| Jen-Dan Limited              | Todd Pools Ltd                |
| Jennum Development Corp.     | Tovtel Enterprises Inc.       |
| Kaitlin Group Ltd.           | Waste Management of Canada    |
| Lebovic Enterprises Limited  | Wood-Sloan Inc.               |

Special thanks to:

- Pyro-Mario Fireworks (Mario Vella)
- Most Excellent Productions Sound System (Mike Feld)
- Blair Purcell & Lionel's Pony Farm
- Lions Club of Stouffville
- Stouffville Volunteers Fire Fighters Association
- Tim Hortons
- M & M Meat Shops
- No Frills
- Giant Tiger
- Murray & Ev Emmerson
- Town Works Dept. & Parks Dept.

My best wishes to all for 2008!  
Wayne Emmerson, Mayor.

**NOTICES**

**FOCUSING ON CUSTOMER SERVICE EXCELLENCE**

The Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville is undertaking a Community Satisfaction Survey to identify satisfaction levels with the Town's services and programs and solicit general feedback on municipal issues. Over the next few weeks, you may be randomly selected to participate in a telephone survey that will take about 15 minutes. The survey is being conducted by a third-party consulting company called DPRA Canada.

If you are not contacted, but want to share your views; the survey will be available on the Town's website at: [www.townofws.com](http://www.townofws.com). Alternatively, you may pick up a survey package, including a postage-paid envelope, starting the last week of January at:

- Town Office, 37 Sandiford Drive, 4th Floor, Clerk's Dept (Monday to Friday, 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.);
- Leisure Lebovic Centre, 30 Burkholder St. (Monday to Thursday, 6:00 a.m. - 10:00pm; Friday, 6:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.; Saturday & Sunday, 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.);
- Whitchurch-Stouffville Museum, 14732 Woodbine Avenue (Monday to Friday, 1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.)

For more information, please access the Town website and click the *Community Satisfaction Survey* button. You may also contact Gary Sumner, Manager, HR Services, Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville, 905-640-1910 or 905-895-5299, ext. 267.

**TOWN OF WHITCHURCH-STOUFFVILLE  
2008 ANNUAL ACCESSIBILITY PLAN (DRAFT)**

The Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville is currently inviting public comment on its 2008 Annual Accessibility Plan (Draft). Hard copies of the Accessibility Plan (Draft) are available from the Clerk's Department at the Town Office, and an electronic version has been posted to the Town website at [www.townofws.com](http://www.townofws.com).

Please forward written comments to the Department of Leisure Services, Attn: Cindy Elder at [cindy.elder@townofws.com](mailto:cindy.elder@townofws.com), or call 905-640-1910 or 905-895-5299 ext. 293, by January 29, 2008.

**2008 INTERIM PROPERTY TAX BILLS**  
1st Instalment Due - February 22, 2008  
2nd Instalment Due - April 25, 2008

INTERIM TAX bills have now been mailed. Ratepayers who have not received their bills should contact the Treasury Department as soon as possible. Failure to receive a tax bill does not eliminate the responsibility for payment of taxes or the penalty charges for late payment.

TAX PAYMENTS may be made by mail, or in person at the Town Office and at most Financial Institutions through tellers, banking machines and by telephone and Internet banking. Banking fees may apply. After hours, tax payments may be made in the drop box on the main floor west entrance at 37 Sandiford Drive.

APPEALING THE CURRENT MARKET VALUE ASSESSMENT on your property must be done before the deadline of **March 31, 2008**. Please direct questions regarding assessments to the Municipal Property Assessment Corporation (MPAC) at 1-866-296-6722. Appeal forms are available at the Town Office.

VACANCY REBATE APPLICATIONS are available at the Town Office during business hours, for any commercial or industrial properties that have been vacant for 90 consecutive days. The deadline for submitting the application for the 2008 taxation year is **February 29, 2008**.

Ruth Armstrong, AMCT, CMTC  
Tax Collector & Revenue Supervisor  
Town Office, 4th Floor  
37 Sandiford Dr, Stouffville L4A 7X5

**NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL TO  
EXPROPRIATE LAND**

*Expropriations Act, R.S.O. 1990, c. E.26.*

IN THE MATTER OF an application by The Corporation of the Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville for approval to expropriate the lands described as Part of PIN 03719-0087 (LT) being Part of Lot 1, Concession 8, in the Geographic Township of Whitchurch now in the Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville designated as Part 1 on Draft Plan prepared by David O. Horwood dated May 23, 2007 (Project No. 6683-R-P1-3) for the municipal purpose of the widening and reconstruction of Main Street between Ninth Line and Highway No. 48 and works ancillary thereto.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that application has been made for approval to expropriate a fee simple interest in the lands described as follows:

Part of PIN 03719-0087 (LT) being Part of Lot 1, Concession 8, in the Geographic Township of Whitchurch now in the Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville designated as Part 1 on Draft Plan prepared by David O. Horwood dated May 23, 2007 (Project No. 6683-R-P1-3). A copy of the said plan is available for viewing during regular business hours in the Clerk's Department at the Municipal Offices of the Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville at 37 Sandiford Drive, 4th Floor, Stouffville, Ontario L4A 7X5.

Any owner of lands in respect of which notice is given who desires an inquiry into whether the taking of such land is fair, sound and reasonably necessary in the achievement of the objectives of the expropriating authority shall so notify the approving authority in writing

- a) In the case of a registered owner, served personally or by registered mail within thirty (30) days after the registered owner is served with the notice, or, when the registered owner is served by publication, within thirty (30) days after the first publication of the notice;
- b) In the case of an owner who is not a registered owner, within thirty (30) days after the first publication of the notice.

The approving authority is:

The Council of the Corporation of the Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville, 37 Sandiford Drive, 4th Floor, Stouffville, Ontario L4A 7X5

The expropriating authority is:

The Corporation of the Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville, 37 Sandiford Drive, 4th Flr, Stouffville, Ontario L4A 7X5

Dated at Stouffville this 15th day of January, 2008

The Corporation of the Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville

This Notice first published this 17th day of January, 2008

Michele Kennedy, Clerk

**RECRUITMENT**

The Town is currently accepting applications for Stand-by School Crossing Guards and various summer Leisure Services positions. For further details, please refer to our website at [www.townofws.com](http://www.townofws.com).

**RECRUITMENT FOR HERITAGE  
ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

The Town is seeking an energetic community-oriented resident with a variety of skills and experiences to fill one volunteer vacancy on the Heritage Advisory Committee.

Further details and application forms are available at [www.townofws.com/town\\_committees.asp](http://www.townofws.com/town_committees.asp), at the Town Office and the Public Library.

Applications are due Friday February 8, 2008.

**DISPLAY CASE @ YOUR LIBRARY**

IF YOU HAVE A COLLECTION OF INTERESTING OBJECTS, THE LIBRARY WOULD LOVE TO ARRANGE A DISPLAY IN THE LOBBY CASE.  
CALL 905-642-7323, EXT. 224 TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS.