

Whitehorse

CITY NEWS HIGHLIGHTS MAY 1, 2026

In Focus

Share Your Budget Ideas

Do you have a project or idea that could positively impact our community?

The City welcomes ideas for projects or services that could potentially be integrated into upcoming budgets.

Take a look at the City's current Capital and Operating Budgets at whitehorse.ca/budget.

Visit engagewhitehorse.ca to learn more and share your ideas.

When submitting your idea, considering including:

- What problem does this solve?
- Who benefits from this idea?
- Where should it take place?
- Estimated cost or similar examples?

Submissions will be accepted until Sunday, May 31.



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Active Commute Month

May is Active Commute Month in Whitehorse! Move more. Drive less. Win prizes. Join us for a month of fun, friendly competition, and sustainable travel. Create or join a team to start earning points, tracking progress, and competing for prizes. Learn more and register at: activecommutewhitehorse.ca

Emergency Preparedness Week

May 3 to 9 is Emergency Preparedness Week. This year's theme is Be Prepared, Know Your Risks. The City encourages residents to take steps to prepare for an emergency. Prepare a kit and make a plan. Find info at: whitehorse.ca/emergency. Visit the City's [Facebook](#) page throughout the week for an emergency kit giveaway.

Community Garage Sale

Join the City and Zero Waste Yukon at the Community Garage Sale, Saturday, May 9, 11 am - 3:30 pm at the Canada Games Centre. Sign up for a booth, come as a buyer or join Zero Waste Yukon for a variety of free workshops. Learn more at: whitehorse.ca/events

Municipal Charges and Community Service Grants

Eligible community service groups are invited to apply for the 2026 Municipal Charges and Community Service Grants. The deadline is Friday, May 15 at 4:30 pm. These grants are available for municipal taxes or rent paid in lieu of taxes. Visit whitehorse.ca/grants to apply.

Volunteer of the Year

Do you know an exceptional volunteer who has made a difference in Whitehorse? Put their name forward for an award! The City is now accepting nominations for the Volunteer of the Year Award. Nominations close Wednesday, May 20. Nominate a volunteer at: whitehorse.ca/volunteeroftheyear

Next City Council Meeting

The next Council meeting is Monday, May 4 at 5:30 pm in City Hall Council Chambers. City Hall is located at 2121 2nd Avenue. Please use the Steele Street entrance. Visit whitehorse.ca/meetings for more info.