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Councillor Blog

Welcome back fellow residents of White City (and those reading from the surrounding area) for the December 2024 edition of the White City Councillor Blog. The Town is happy to announce the results of the 2024 White City Municipal Election and introduce the newly elected leadership that will guide the community over the next four years.

Congratulations to Mitchell Simpson, who has been elected as White City's new Mayor. Mayor Simpson brings enthusiasm, vision, and a commitment to working with residents to ensure the continued growth and prosperity of our Town.

We extend our deepest gratitude to all residents who took the time to participate in this election. By casting your vote, you've contributed to shaping the future of White City and reinforcing the values of our democratic process.

A special thank you goes to all the candidates who stepped forward with the desire to serve our community. Your willingness to contribute your time, energy, and ideas to make White City an even better place to live, work, and play is commendable.

Election Statistics

This year, the Town received an excellent turnout with 718 voters, including:

- 6 Mail-In Ballots
- 187 Advanced Voters
- 525 Regular Poll Voters

Meet Your 2024-2028 White City Municipal Council

The new council, which will work together to represent the voices of residents, is composed of:

Mayor: Mitchell Simpson

Council Members (by acclamation):

Andrew Boschman Dustin Grant Kenneth (Ken) Kolb William (Bill) Krzysik Henry (Hal) Zorn Shahnaz Sultana

This dedicated team of leaders brings a diverse range of experiences and perspectives, united by their passion for serving the community and addressing the needs of residents.

What's Next?

The new council will be sworn in on November 25 and begin setting priorities for the next four years. They will focus on advancing key initiatives, addressing community concerns, and continuing to make White City a welcoming, vibrant, and sustainable place to call home. We encourage residents to stay engaged by attending council meetings, reaching out to council members, and participating in community discussions. Together, we can achieve great things and build a stronger White City.

Thank you again for your participation in this year's election. Your voice matters, and your involvement strengthens our community.

Stay tuned for more information and profiles of the 2024-2028 Council.

Council Summaries

October 28, 2024 – Regular Council Meeting

The October 28, 2024, Regular Council Meeting was called to order at 7 PM in Council Chambers at the Town Office in White City. Highlights from the meeting included a presentation by Mr. Jose Lebioada on behalf of Tell Properties Ltd., the Consent Agenda comprised of the September 2024 financial statements and the approval and ratification of accounts and payroll. Departmental reports covered activities like bylaw reviews, mock council sessions, municipal election preparations, council orientation, and CSO availability scheduling. Under new business, Council approved an amendment to the Municipal Donations, Grant, and Sponsorship Policy. In the bylaws section, Bylaw No. 710-24, the Community Standards Bylaw Amendment, was approved following three readings.

During the roundtable, Council discussed upcoming White Butte Museum and RCMP stakeholder meetings as well as the latest Youth Advisory Committee meeting. The meeting concluded with a closed session at 9:15 PM to address confidential municipal operations, with no further resolutions passed.

November 25, 2024 – Regular Council Meeting

The November 25, 2024 Regular Council Meeting was called to order at 7PM in Council Chamber at the Town Office in White City. Council accepted the agenda, and no conflicts of interest were declared. The declaration of election results was presented and approved. Council also approved the consent agenda, which included minutes from the October 28 Regular Council Meeting, accounts and payroll, and the October 2024 financial statements and bank reconciliation for approval. The Town Manager provided a report with updates on the Wastewater Management Authority project, community planning, and an upcoming community group presentation by the Mayor and Town Manager. Discussions also included grant funding for the Wastewater Management Authority and clarification of a bylaw enforcement matter.

In new business, Council confirmed new committee and board appointments following the 2024 Municipal Election. The appointment of a Deputy Mayor was deferred to the December 16 Regular Council Meeting. Updates from various committees were shared, including the White Butte Regional Emergency Measures Organization, Youth Advisory Committee, and Recreation Advisory Committee. The meeting concluded with a closed session on the 2025 Annual Budget, ending at 9:30 PM.



Upcoming Meetings:

Monday, December 2, 2024 Committee of the Whole Meeting - 7PM

Monday, December 16, 2024 Committee of the Whole Meeting – 4PM Regular Council Meeting – 7PM



Want more information? Read past summaries and full summaries of Council and Committee meetings by visiting our website whitecity.ca or scan this QR Code: Plus check out our the information above for dates and times of meetings and attend in-person!



Town Calendar DECEMBER 2024



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2 7:00pm Committee Meeting	3 9:00 am White City Walks 10:00 am Forever in Motion 7:30 pm Fitness Bootcamp	4 9:00 am Toddler & Me 1:30 pm Seniors Social Club 6:30 pm Free to Be	5 9:00 am White City Walks 10:00 am Forever in Motion	6	7
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22	23	24 office Closed at 12:00 p.m. Christmas Eve	25 Office Closed Christmas Day	26 Office Closed Boxing Day	27 Office Closed	28
29	30 Office Closed	31 Office Closed New Year's Eve			For events happe /hite City Library,	

Forever in Motion

Forever... in motion is back this Fall at the White City Community Centre. Drop in and join instructors Gaye Kreklewich and Marj Simon every Tuesday and Thursday mornings from 10am-11am until December 19th.

Forever in Motion will resume on Tuesday, January 14th.

No registration is required! All Equipment provided. Want to learn more? Contact Meaghann White at mwhite@ whitecity.ca or 306-781-2355 ext. 237.

> Tuesdays and Thursdays 10:00 - 11:00 am

White City Walks

The cold shouldn't have to stop your exercise routine. Pop-in for a stroll INDOORS at the White City Community Centre. This program is completely free and open to all ages! Wheelchairs and other mobility aids are allowed, just be sure to clean off the wheels before entering the hall. Indoor walking shoes are also recommended to keep our floors clean and dry to help prevent falls.

Tuesdays and Thursdays 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Senior Social Club

Seniors Social Club meets every Wednesday beginning September 11 from 1:30 – 3:30 pm at the White City Community Centre. There is free coffee and board games provided, but the fun times won't start until you're there!

Stay tuned for an Open House in January, 2025!

Wednesdays 1:30 - 3:30 pm

Toddler & Me

Come try out our Toddler and Me Drop-In program; it's completely FREE! A program that provides a space for parents and caregivers to connect, unwind and enjoy time together while your children enjoy self-directed play. Toys and mats will be available for use. Infants are also welcome to attend. Adult supervision is required as the Town of White City does not provide supervision services during this program time.

Runs until December 18th. Will resume on January 8th.

Wednesdays 9:00 - 11:00 am

DECEMBER 2024

Holiday Waste Collection Schedule

To keep things running smoothly over the holidays, we have added an extra garbage pickup on **Friday**, **December**, **27th**. Christmas Day and New Year's Day fall on regular collection days this year. To accommodate, collection days have been moved to **Saturday**, **December 28 (Recycling)**, and **Saturday**, **January 4 (Garbage)**.

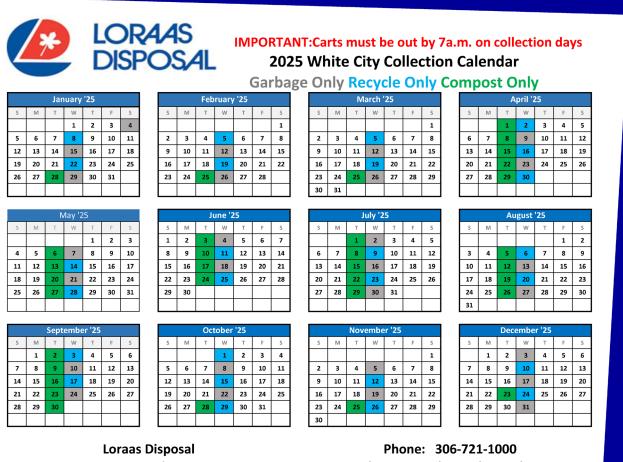
Holiday Collection Days:

Tuesday, Dec. 24: Compost Friday, Dec. 27: Extra Garbage Day! Saturday, Dec. 28: Recycling Saturday, Jan. 4: Garbage Wednesday, Jan. 8: Recycling



Please make sure to have your bins out by 7 AM on collection days!

2025 Loraas Collection Calendar



Loraas Disposal 620 McLeod Street Regina, SK S4N 4Y1 Phone: 306-721-1000 Web: www.loraasdisposal.com Email: cart@loraasdisposal.com

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Have you seen an extravagant light display around town?

Register your house or nominate your neighbours! Registration closes December 6.

 Visit our website or scan the QR code to register today!





FREE TO BE (YOUTH PROGRAM) DECEMBER 4th Holiday Hoopla A Night of Festive Fun







IT'S BACK!!



Nov.19, Dec.3, Dec.10, Dec.17 7:30-8:15 PM White City Community Centre Full 4-Week Program - \$50 Drop In - \$15 per Class Register Online Today!

Moderate intensity fitness class for all levels. Incorporating cardio, mobility, strength, and stretching in interval-style workout.

December 2024

SOUTHEAST REGIONAL LIBRARY LIBRARY YOU REMEMBER

White City Public Library **Program & Events Calendar**

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4 EAL Language Circle For Newcomers Southeast College 6:00pm	5 Makerspace kits this month: Circuit Scribe and Cubelets	6 Preschool Storytime 10:00AM Book Sale	7 Brick Stories LEGO event 10am–3pm Book Sale
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15	16 Adult Book Club 6:30pm The Language of Flowers by Vanessa Diffenbaugh	17 Circuit Scribe and Cubelets Makerspace kits 6:00pm	18 EAL Language Circle For Newcomers Southeast College 6:00pm	19 Last Delivery	20 Preschool Storytime 10:00AM Christmas Party	21
22	23 Last Open Day	24 Closed for the Holidays	25	26	27	28
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4th Annual Brick **Stories**

White City Public Library Branch & Saskatchewan LEGO **Users Group** December 7 & 8, 2024 10:00 am - 3:00 pm

White City Community Centre 12 Ramm Avenue, White City

Join us for some creative storytelling with the magic of "The Brick"!

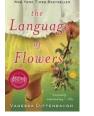
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Adult Book Club

White City Public Library Branch Monday, December 16th

6:30pm

We will be discussing The Language of Flowers By Vanessa Diffenbaugh

> **Copies** available at the front desk

NEW MEMBERS WELCOME!

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT THE LIBRARY 781-2118



Public Works

Upcoming Projects

Public Works staff have been busy preparing for the forthcoming cold months. In addition to keeping our roadways clear of snow, they are also working hard to get the outdoor rinks up and running, and stringing up the Christmas lights around town. Public Works is also continuing to trim trees along walking trails and alley ways.

With the snow making its arrival in November, Public Works would like to remind residents to place their bins 6 inches (or so) off the asphalt edge on your property. The Loraas truck has a lift arm that reaches up to 9 feet! No need to worry about the truck not being able to reach. This small adjustment greatly helps our Public Works department more efficiently clear snow.

Another reminder regarding snow removal, we ask that residents refrain from blowing or shoveling snow from your property onto public roads. This can lead to a buildup of ice, making roads more dangerous.



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The Town of White City is pleased to support STARS



Community Safety OCTOBER STATISTICS

- 10 parking reminders issued
- 13 traffic stops conducted:
 o 3 tickets issued
 o 10 warnings issued
- 1 appearance in provincial court regarding a speeding ticket
- 4 nuisance abatement casefiles for bylaw violations
- 2 animal control casefiles o 1 verbal warning issued
- 2 incidents with operation of golf carts outside the permitted hours
- 19 public interaction cases





COMMUNISKATE

Looking for **Skate Sharpening** stop in and visit our **PROSHOP** at 201 Great Plains Road Emerald Park, we are open 7 days a week for all your skate sharpening needs! We also carry a wide variety of items for your convenience such as hockey gloves, hockey pants, stick wax, sock tape, skate laces, skate guards, helmet repair kits, neck guards, water bottles, toiletry bags, anti-fog and so much more. Communiskate Pro Shop uses SPARX sharpening technology! **SINGLE SKATE SHARPEN \$8.00 Plus Tax PUNCH PASS 5 CREDITS \$35.00 Plus Tax PUNCH PASS 11 CREDITS \$70 Plus Tax**

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1/4 Page or Bottom Banner \$45/month

> **1/2 Page** \$55/month

> **Full Page** \$75/month

Back Page Sponsor \$200/year prorated

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