

City of Pitt Meadows Seeks Public Input on Updated North Lougheed Area Plan

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PITT MEADOWS, B.C. – The City of Pitt Meadows is seeking community feedback on an updated draft North Lougheed Area Plan, inviting residents and interested parties to help shape the roadmap for the future development of this area. A survey is now open until Sunday, June 7, and an open house is scheduled for Wednesday, May 27.

This updated draft plan builds on the principles of the area plan prepared in 2020 and continues to reflect community feedback from the extensive engagement held in 2019 and 2020.

More recently, the City focused on additional technical work and collaborative planning with ic y (Katzie) First Nation. These efforts are intended to support early consideration of cultural context and ensure that ic y perspectives are reflected in the Area Plan, helping to improve understanding, reduce uncertainty and avoid unintended impacts as the area develops. The North Lougheed Area lies within ic y’s traditional and unceded territory and is a site of long-term ic y use and occupation. Based on documented information, ic y Peoples occupied and used this area for over four thousand years, consistent with ic y oral histories describing a long-standing relationship with the land and waterways.

The draft plan addresses local needs with additional housing, generating new jobs and investment, protecting natural and cultural sites, preserving surrounding agricultural properties, and enhancing outdoor recreation through new parks and trails. Development of the North Lougheed Area will also support the construction of the North Lougheed Connector, which will improve overall traffic flow, enable traffic calming along Old Dewdney Trunk Road and enhance road safety in the agricultural area.

Community feedback gathered during this engagement phase will help inform the final area plan, which is anticipated to be presented to City Council in the late summer or early fall of 2026.

Learn more and share your feedback at pittmeadows.ca/north-lougheed.

Quotes:

Mayor Nicole MacDonald, City of Pitt Meadows —

“Advancing the North Lougheed Area Plan is a priority for Council. We look forward to hearing from the community as we take this next step toward a sustainable vision for the future of the area.”

Chief Grace George, q̓ic̓əy̓ (Katzie) First Nation —

“As q̓ic̓əy̓ (Katzie) people, our connection to this land is not only historical, it is living, ongoing and rooted in our responsibilities as stewards. Any development within our traditional and unceded territory must honour our rights, protect our cultural sites, and uphold the health of the land and waterways. We acknowledge the collaboration to date and will continue to advocate for planning that reflects our laws, values and the well-being of future generations.”

Mark Roberts, Chief Administrative Officer, City of Pitt Meadows —

“The North Lougheed Area Plan represents an important opportunity to thoughtfully guide growth and deliver a range of community benefits. We encourage all community members to share their input to help shape the final plan.”

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