

COMMUNITY NOTICE



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NEW THIS ISSUE

- Tsawwassen Legislature Called into Session - Fall 2024
- NEW November Calendars - Community Events & Elders
- Language & Culture November Activities
- Breathing Tsawwassen Identity into the TFN Evaluation Project
- Community Christmas Dinner Registration Form
- Natural Resources Department 2025 Calendar -submit photos!
- Employment & Training Opportunities

Important Dates to Remember



NOVEMBER 5 & 7

- Fall 2024 Legislative Assembly

NOVEMBER 6

- End of Harvest Celebration

NOVEMBER 7

- Family Wellness Workshop

NOVEMBER 8

- Indigenous Veterans Day

DECEMBER 4

- Community Christmas Dinner

Weekly Flyer

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WEEKLY FLYER
 TSAWWASSEN FIRST NATION
təmkwálexw November 1, 2024

IMPORTANT DATES...

FALL 2024 SESSION LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

Legislators will be meeting in person at the TFN Recreation Center. Dinner is available at 5:00pm and meetings will begin at 5:30pm.

Next Week:

Tuesday, November 5th, 2024 | 5:30-8:00PM
Thursday, November 7th, 2024 | 5:30-8:00PM

For the full list of dates, please check our website or the Community Notice.

END OF HARVEST CELEBRATION

Wednesday, November 6th, 2024
 TFN LONGHOUSE

Fish Cooking Demo Begins @ 3:00PM
 Dinner Served @ 6:00PM

More info in next week's Community Notice!

FAMILY WELLNESS WORKSHOP

Thursday, November 7th, 2024
 TFN YOUTH CENTRE @ 5:00PM

Register with Anu! Text 604-448-2231 or email arakhra@tsawwassenfirstnation.com

INDIGENOUS VETERANS DAY

Friday, November 8th, 2024

TFN REC CENTRE

Doors open @ 9:30AM

Lunch provided

SAVE THE DATE COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS DINNER

Wednesday, December 4th, 2024

TSAWWASSEN SPRINGS BALLROOM
 from 4:30-7:30PM

Doors Open at 4:30PM

Presents with Santa from 4:45-6:00PM

Dinner served at 6:00PM

Register by November 15th!

Form included in the full Community Notice!

SAVE THE DATE TFN CHRISTMAS CRAFT FAIR

Saturday, December 7th, 2024

TFN YOUTH CENTRE @ 10AM to 3PM

Admission Free! Table Rentals \$15

Questions? Contact Dawn Williams at 604-789-9627 or

dwilliams@tsawwassenfirstnation.com

COMING DOWN THE RIVER THIS WEEK...

SUNDAY <i>s'xəxəłnet</i>	MONDAY <i>syələwəłnet</i>	TUESDAY <i>s'θəmənts</i>	WEDNESDAY <i>s'łixʷs</i>	THURSDAY <i>s'xəʔaθəns</i>	FRIDAY <i>s'łqecəss</i>	SATURDAY <i>t'q'watəm</i>
3	4	5 Fall 2024 Legislative Assembly	6 End of Harvest Celebration @ 3:00pm	7 Family Wellness Workshop @ 5:00pm Fall 2024 Legislative Assembly	8 Indigenous Veterans Day Rec Centre @ 9:30am	9

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2024 Tsawwassen First Nation Community Notice Schedule

The Community Notice follows a bi-weekly publishing schedule falling on Fridays.

SUBMISSION DEADLINE WEDNESDAYS @ 12:00 NOON	NOTICE PUBLISHING DATE FRIDAYS @ 11:00am
January 10, 2024	January 12, 2024
January 24, 2024	January 26, 2024
February 7, 2024	February 9, 2024
February 21, 2024	February 23, 2024
March 6, 2024	March 8, 2024
March 20, 2024	March 22, 2024
April 3, 2024	April 5, 2024
April 17, 2024	April 19, 2024
May 1, 2024	May 3, 2024
May 15, 2024	May 17, 2024
May 29, 2024	May 31, 2024
June 12, 2024	June 14, 2024
June 26, 2024	June 28, 2024
July 10, 2024	July 12, 2024
July 24, 2024	July 26, 2024
August 7, 2024	August 9, 2024
August 21, 2024	August 23, 2024
September 4, 2024	September 6, 2024
September 18, 2024	September 20, 2024
October 2, 2024	October 4, 2024
October 16, 2024	October 18, 2024
October 30, 2024	November 1, 2024
November 13, 2024	November 15, 2024
November 27, 2024	November 29, 2024
December 11, 2024	December 13, 2024

WANT TO POST SOMETHING IN THE COMMUNITY NOTICE?

✉ communications@tsawwassenfirstnation.com

🗨 KAITLIN WILLIAMS
604.831.5453 (cell)

SUBMISSION DEADLINE: WEDNESDAYS at 12:00noon

Late submissions cannot be accommodated. Submissions received after NOON on Wednesday will be published in the next bi-weekly issue.

NEW ADDRESS OR PHONE#?

Remember to forward your updated contact information to our Records Clerk, in Person or by Post:

1926 Tsawwassen Drive,
Tsawwassen, BC V4M 4G2
Phone: 604-834-7484 (cell)

Toll-free: 1-888-943-2112 ext 290
By Fax: 604-943-9226

By Email: enrollinfo@tsawwassenfirstnation.com



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TSAWWASSEN COMMUNITY EVENTS 2024

təm k'wálox | *time of the dog salmon* | NOVEMBER

sǰəxətnet SUNDAY	syələwətnet MONDAY	sθəmənts TUESDAY	słixʷs WEDNESDAY	sǰaʔaθəns THURSDAY	słqecəss FRIDAY	tqʷatəm SATURDAY
27	28	29	30	31 Halloween!	1	2
3	4	5 Fall 2024 Legislative Assembly	6 End of Harvest Celebration @ 3:00pm	7 Family Wellness Workshop @ 5:00pm Fall 2024 Legislative Assembly	8 Indigenous Veterans Day Rec Centre @ 9:30am	9
10	11 Remembrance Day TFN Offices Closed	12 Fall 2024 Legislative Assembly (Tentative)	13	14 Fall 2024 Legislative Assembly (Tentative)	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30

TO ADD AN UPCOMING EVENT, EMAIL COMMUNICATIONS@TSAWWASSENFIRSTNATION.COM

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Elders Calendar November 2024

Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
					1 Fitness Class 8:30 am Elders Lunch 12:00 pm	2
3	4 Walking Club 8:30 am Light Breakfast 9:30 am	5 Fitness Class 8:00 am Elders Lunch 12:00 pm	6 Walking Club 8:30 am Breakfast 9:30 am Craft 10:00 am	7 Elders Lunch 12:00 pm	8 Fitness Class 8:30 am Indigenous Veterans Day	9
10	11 Closed Stat Holiday Remembrance Day	12 Fitness Class 8:00 am Elders Lunch 12:00 pm	13 Walking Club 8:30 am Breakfast 9:30 am Craft 10:00 am	14 Elders Lunch 12:00 pm	15 Fitness Class 8:30 am	16
17	18 Walking Club 8:30 am Light Breakfast 9:30 am	19 Fitness Class 8:00 am Elders Lunch 12:00 pm	20 Walking Club 8:30 am Breakfast 9:30 am Craft 10:00 am	21 Elders Lunch 12:00 pm	22 Fitness Class 8:30 am Outing: Museum of Anthropology	23
24	25 Walking Club 8:30 am Light Breakfast 9:30 am	26 Fitness Class 8:00 am Elders Lunch 12:00 pm	27 Walking Club 8:30 am Breakfast 9:30 am Craft 10:00 am	28 Elders Lunch 12:00 pm	29 Fitness Class 8:30 am	30

Notes

November Highlights: Indigenous Veterans Day, Remembrance Day, and Outing to the Museum of Anthropology

Walking Club will be indoors for a few laps around the TFN Mall. Please arrange with Staff if you would like a ride.

Come drop in to socialize, work on a puzzle, play a board game, or craft etc.

Check out the weekly calendars at the Elders Centre for any changes or additions to programming throughout the month!

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TSAWWASSEN LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

Fall 2024 Session

October 22, 2024 to November 14, 2024

*Tsawwassen
Legislative Assembly
2022 – 2026*

Chief Laura Cassidy
sxʷamisaat

Bryce Williams
*təxʷiləm / Yaahl
liwaans*

Taylor Baker

Valerie Cross
Chemkwaat

Louise Ahlm
hal quam a tia

Tia Williams
Lu'kwo'liye

Dawn Williams
Pulihwiye'

Melinda Cassidy
sxʷamiyə

Loretta Williams
ah.sul.ten.aht

Maryanne Adams

Terri Splockton

Kathy Genge
TZEAM THA LAAHT

Trent Genge
luxitstun

Andrea Jacobs
qʷiya qʷiye

*“nəcaʔmat – for
current and future
generations”*

Executive Council has called the Tsawwassen Legislature into session for Fall 2024, beginning Tuesday, October 22, 2024 until Thursday, November 14, 2024

Legislators will be meeting in person at the TFN Recreation Center.

Dinner is available at 5:00pm and meetings will begin at 5:30pm.

All Legislative Assembly meetings are open to the public and can be viewed in person or online via Vimeo:

<https://vimeo.com/tfngov>

Meeting Date	Location	Time*
Tuesday, October 22, 2024	TFN Recreation Center	5:30 pm–8:00 pm
Thursday, October 24, 2024	TFN Recreation Center	5:30 pm–8:00 pm
Tuesday, October 29, 2024	TFN Recreation Center	5:30 pm–8:00 pm
Tuesday, November 5, 2024	TFN Recreation Center	5:30 pm–8:00 pm
Thursday, November 7, 2024	TFN Recreation Center	5:30 pm–8:00 pm
Tuesday, November 12, 2024	<i>Tentative – reserve date if needed</i>	<i>5:30 pm–8:00 pm</i>
Thursday, November 14, 2024	<i>Tentative – reserve date if needed</i>	<i>5:30 pm–8:00 pm</i>

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CORE HUNTING COURSE



CORE HUNTING COURSE

NR is looking for a maximum of **15 TFN Members & Member spouse** (youth ages **12 - 17**, Adult **18+**) interested in taking a **two day CORE Hunting Course**.

The course will be held on TFN Lands in November or December.

This course is FREE for Members!

Lunch, snacks, & drinks provided.

DEADLINE TO APPLY:

November 1st, 2024



To sign up & get details about the course please reach out to
Krystal Lockert 604 - 838 - 9794 (klockert@tsawwassenfirstnation.com) or
Lola Pavlovic 604-861-0772 (lpavlovic@tsawwassenfirstnation.com)



CANADIAN FIREARMS SAFETY COURSE - PAL

FIREARMS SAFETY COURSE

NR is looking for a maximum of **12 TFN Members & Member spouse** (youth ages **12 - 17**, Adult **18+**) interested in taking a **two day Possession & Acquisition License (PAL) course**.

The course will be held on TFN Lands end of September or early October (to be confirmed).

This course is FREE for Members!

Lunch, snacks, & drinks provided.



DEADLINE TO APPLY:

November 1st, 2024



To sign up & get details about the course please reach out to
Krystal Lockert 604 - 838 - 9794 (klockert@tsawwassenfirstnation.com) or
Lola Pavlovic 604-861-0772 (lpavlovic@tsawwassenfirstnation.com)



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TFN MEMBERS ARE INVITED TO

End of Harvest Celebration

NOVEMBER 6TH, 2024

TFN LONGHOUSE

FISH COOKING DEMONSTRATION
WILL BEGIN AT 3:00PM OUTSIDE OF THE LONGHOUSE

DINNER SERVED AT 6:00PM

The TFN Community Farm Staff would like to thank the community for a great year supporting the farm and it's food security goals for the nation by having a dinner.

Special guest Jared Williams (Proud Father and Husband, Indigenous Foods Educator and Consultant, Award Winning Writer, Indigenous Food Sovereignty Champion, Accomplished Chef, and Hul'q'umi'num Language Speaker) will be cooking fish over the fire.



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TFN AND REACH COLLABORATE ONCE AGAIN!

FAMILY WELLNESS WORKSHOP



NOVEMBER 7TH
5:00 PM
TFN YOUTH CENTER

GUEST :
HEATHER ANDERSON
NUTRITIONIST



- BURRITO BOWLS
- DOOR PRIZES
- GRAND PRIZE \$500.00 GROCERY GIFTS CARD
- BABYSITTING AVAILABLE ON SITE

Register with Anu: arakhra@tsawwassenfirstnation.com or text 604-448-2231
Alternate Contact, Jen Connors: jconnors@tsawwassenfirstnation.com / 604-616-9073

INDIGENOUS VETERANS DAY

A SPECIAL DAY TO HONOUR OUR INDIGENOUS VETERANS



LUNCH provided

**08Nov • Doors open
at 9:30AM
at the
Rec Center**

Questions or concerns
Violet splockton C: 604.735.2207
Desiree gurniak C: 604.735.2176

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Language & Culture Dept.



NOVEMBER CULTURE ACTIVITIES

Tsawwassen First Nation Members Mark your Calendars.



Woman' Chat & Craft:

Babysitting is provided.
Every Mondays' except holiday's. Location
@ the Elders Center.
Dinner is provided.



Drum Group: scəwəθən tʰelə
Babysitting provided.
Every Wednesday's at the
Longhouse. Dinner is provided.

Canceled
on
Nov 6th, 2024



Indigenous Veteran's Day

Friday, Nov 8th, 2024 at
10:00am at the Rec Center.
Lunch provided.

QUESTIONS, CONCERNS

Violet Splockton

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604.735.2207

Desiree Gurniak

dgurniak@tsawwassenfirstnation.com
604.735.2176



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NEW TFN STOP SIGNS

Since our Final Agreement in 2009, TFN has been dedicated to creating a strong, distinct identity for our lands. Now, we're taking another powerful step forward in celebrating our culture and heritage.

In an exciting move, we're proud to announce that an amendment to the provincial Motor Vehicle Act allows us to replace English-language "STOP" signs on TFN lands with signs in our traditional language of **ḥə́ᑎᑦᓃᓄᓂᓂᓄᓂ**.

This isn't just about signs—it's about reclaiming our language and making sure the Tsawwassen identity is proudly visible every day.

TFN Public Works will begin the project in mid-November, with completion expected by early December. Stay tuned for updates!



Share your photos for a chance to be featured in our **Natural Resources Department 2025 calendar.**

Submit
photos by
Nov. 13th

Show off your favourite fishing spots, the beauty of the local natural habitat, and any wildlife you were blessed with seeing!

Email photos to Lola at lpavlovic@tsawwassenfirstnation.com

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**You're invited to
TFN'S COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS DINNER**

Come and enjoy dinner with all the fixings, visit with Santa and family fun activities.

DATE: **Wednesday, December 4th 2024**

TIME: **4:45-7:30 p.m.**

Doors Open at 4:30 p.m.

Presents with Santa from 4:45-6:00 p.m.

Dinner will be served at 6:00 p.m.

WHERE: **Tsawwassen Springs Golf Course Ballroom**

5133 Springs Blvd, Tsawwassen, BC V4M 0A6

RSVP: **Friday, November 15th**

Fill out the attached Registration Form

If circumstances change and you are no longer able to attend, please contact Michelle Baker at 778-868-3210, so another family can be invited to go.

Extra copies of the registration form will available at the Admin Office, Elders and Youth Centre



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I STILL
BELIEVE IN
Santa



COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS DINNER REGISTRATION FORM

Please return this form by Friday, November 15th

DINNER RSVP/CHILDREN'S GIFT REGISTRATION

Member Name/ Spouse:		Phone Number:	
Will you require transportation ?			
Please note any food allergies:			
CHILDREN'S GIFT REGISTRATION <ul style="list-style-type: none">List names of children 17 and underPlace a check mark (✓) for kids under the age of 12 who would like the option of eating at the kids buffet.			
Name			Age:
Name			Age:
Name			Age:
Name			Age:
Name			Age:

Children must be in attendance in order to receive a gift.

Scan and email to mbaker@tsawwassenfirstnation.com
Drop off @ the Administration Office or fax to 604-943-9226
Text a picture of this form to 778-868-3210

If you have further questions, please contact Michelle Baker at 778-868-3210.

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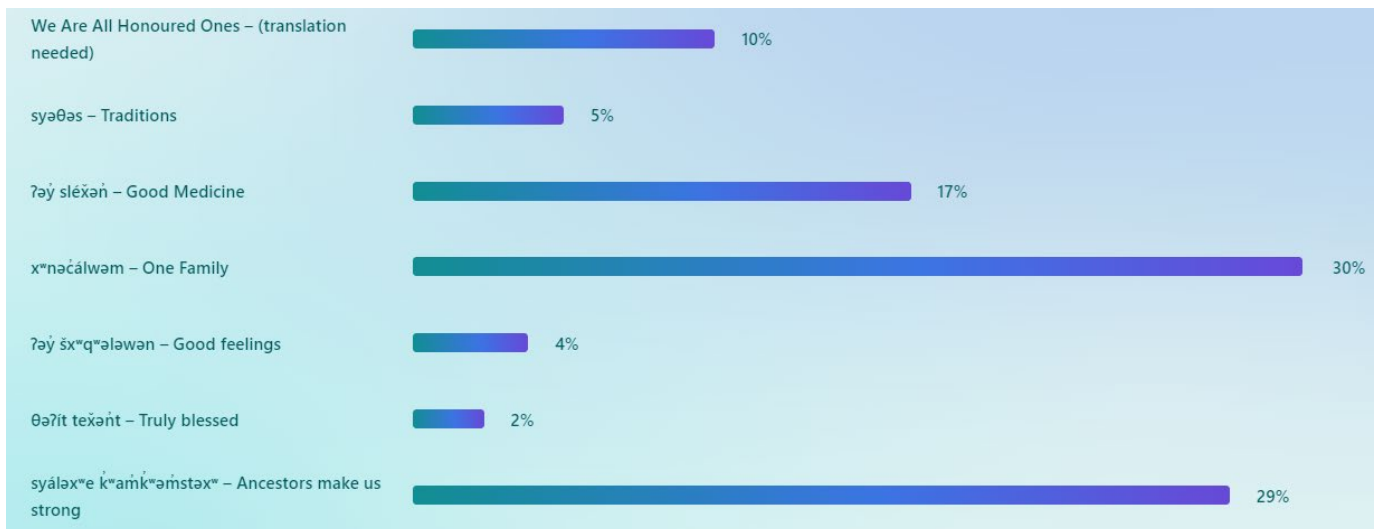
Breathing Tsawwassen Identity into the TFN Evaluation Project

Help select a project name!



The Evaluation Project is a community-driven and directed project that looks at Members experiences of community changes both before and after the treaty, how community dynamics might have also changed over time, and whether the TFN government is effectively representing and responding to community needs. The Project will be shaped by the voices of Tsawwassen Members and should reflect Tsawwassen Values, Culture, and Identity.

Members can vote online to give a hənqəmínəm name to this initiative. The results so far:



Staff warmly encourage you to share your input using the QR code below by

November 15th, 2024



For more information or to submit inquiries on these projects please contact Sophie Thomas at stthomas@tsawwassenfirstnation.com or by phone at (604) 817-7412.

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New Community-Based Research Initiatives

In response to requests from Members, the *Policy and Intergovernmental Affairs Department* (“PIGA”) is leading a community-driven and directed project that looks at Members experiences of community changes both before and after the treaty, how community dynamics might have also changed over time, and whether the TFN government is effectively representing and responding to community needs.

This three-part initiative is rooted in Tsawwassen Knowledge and Indigenous Research and will include a:

- 1) Tsawwassen Community-based Research Project,
- 2) Tsawwassen Member Census, and a
- 3) Youth Photovoice & Multimedia Project.

Tsawwassen Community-based Qualitative Research Project & Tsawwassen Member Census

Planned to start in early 2025, TFN is partnering with Dr. Brian Thom at the University of Victoria for both the Tsawwassen Community-based Research Project and the Tsawwassen Member Census. Dr. Thom brings important experience in conducting similar projects, including negotiating, implementing, and evaluating treaties. Dr. Thom has worked for Sto:lo Nation, the Hul'qumi'num Treaty Group, Cowichan Tribes, and WSANEC communities, among others, to further reconciliation and community engaged research, implement Indigenous legal orders, and to Indigenize government strategies and plans.

The community-based component of this project will consist of individual, group, or family meetings in which Members will have the opportunity to share knowledge, stories, and thoughts on priorities that support community wellbeing and involvement. Examples of such priorities could include health and wellness, food systems, economic and business opportunities, cultural learning, and more. The Tsawwassen Member Census will provide additional important demographic information that can be used to develop programs and services.



Breathing Tsawwassen Identity into the TFN Evaluation Project

The Evaluation Project is a Member-driven project that will be shaped by the voices of Tsawwassen Members and should reflect Tsawwassen Values, culture, and identity. We invite Members to give a *hən'qəminəm'* name to this initiative.

An Evaluation Project Booth was available at the 2024 Member's Gathering, where Members had the opportunity to share their preferences for potential project names that resonated with them.

For those who were unable to participate during the Member's Gathering, staff warmly encourage you to share your input by using the QR code below. You can submit your preference until **November 15th, 2024**.



For more information or to submit inquiries on these projects please contact Sophie Thomas at stomas@tsawwassenfirstnation.com or by phone at (604) 817-7412.



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New Community-Based Research Initiatives

Youth Photovoice and Multi-Media Project

The TFN Youth Photovoice and Multi-Media Project is a youth focused component of the TFN Evaluation Project (still to be given a Member-chosen hən'qəmin'əm' name).

Partnering with Dr. Onyx Sloan Morgan from the University of British Columbia Okanagan, the TFN Youth Photovoice and Multi-Media Project supports TFN youth in using photography, film-making and other mediums to amplify their voices on matters important to them with the goal of allowing youth to influence policy and good governance.

Dr. Sloan Morgan is widely regarded as a highly respected and influential voice on the use of photovoice for youth engagement in British Columbia and comes with significant experience including research focusing on the negotiation and now implementation of the Maa-nulth Treaty for huuɫiiʔaṭh (Huu-ay-aht). Dr. Sloan Morgan has been actively engaged in a Youth Photovoice project with huuɫiiʔaṭh for the past 13 years, bringing their experience from that project to other Indigenous communities in the province to create unique culturally and age-appropriate photovoice and multimedia programs.

The Youth Photovoice Project will also provide TFN youth with:

- Opportunities for skills development and training in areas such as photography, film-making and sound recording,
- Volunteer credits to go towards high school graduation,
- Reference letters to support employment,
- Opportunities to create and connect,
- and more.

TFN Youth aged 13-30 are invited to participate in this important research initiative, which will be made available for Members living across Tsawwassen Traditional Territory and beyond. More information to come.



For more information or to submit inquiries on these projects please contact Sophie Thomas at stthomas@tsawwassenfirstnation.com or by phone at (604) 817-7412.



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TSAWWASSEN FIRST NATION Christmas Craft Fair

Saturday, December 7th, 2024

10:00 am—3:00 pm

**TFN Youth Centre
2300 Falcon Way**

**Admission Free!
Table Rentals \$15**

Contact:

**Dawn Williams 604-789-9627
dwilliams@tsawwassenfirstnation.com**



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2024 CHRISTMAS CRAFT FAIR APPLICATION

Our annual Christmas Craft Fair will be held on Saturday, December 7th from 10 am to 3 pm in the Tsawwassen First Nation Youth Centre (2300 Falcon Way). Vendors will be supplied with one table and two chairs for each \$15 table rental. Please arrive between 8:30 and 9:30 am to set up your table. Take down will be from 3:00 to 4:00 pm (vendors are asked to be fully set up by 9:30 am and please refrain from take down before 3 pm). Contact info is required to stay in touch prior to the event and also for TFN to contact you for future craft fairs.

General Information:

Name: _____

Business Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Social Media:

Instagram: _____

Facebook: _____

Website: _____

Twitter: _____

What do you make? Describe what craft and list items you intend to sell at the craft fair:

Table rental: (CASH OR CHEQUE)

#of tables required _____ x \$15 per table = _____ Paid: _____ YES

PLEASE RETURN FORM AND PAYMENT BY NOVEMBER 22TH

Dawn Williams—604-789-9627—dwilliams@tsawwassenfirstnation.com



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LABOUR MARKET STUDY

Tsawwassen First Nation (TFN) is conducting a labour market study to identify the skills currently possessed by TFN community members as well as skills that are required to support upcoming economic opportunities. The goal of this project is to identify training needs and opportunities for TFN community members and align those skillsets with the needs of local industries and employers to improve employment prospects for TFN community members as well as the economic self-sufficiency of TFN.

Who should participate:

All TFN members living in and out of community.

How to Participate:

In partnership with MNP, TFN will be conducting a survey for Members, and interviews with youth and Elders.

The survey can be completed online and will take approximately 20 minutes to complete.

<https://questionnaire.simplesurvey.com/f/s/TFNLabourMarketStudy>

Youth and Elder interviews can be completed in-person or over the phone and will take approximately 30 minutes to complete.

If you would prefer to complete a paper version of this survey or would like to complete an interview, please contact Morgan Jacko (mjacko@tsawwassenfirstnation.com).

Any questions can be sent to Rowan Harris, Policy Analyst (rharris@tsawwassenfirstnation.com)

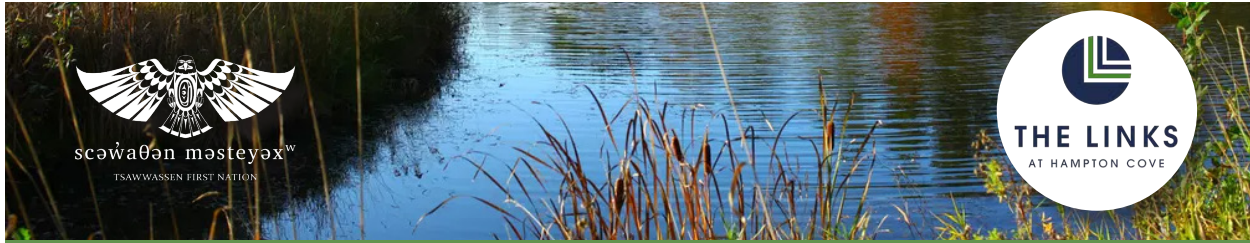
Honoraria:

All participants will receive a \$100 honoraria for completion of their survey or interview.

Please contact Rowan (rharris@tsawwassenfirsnation.com) once you have completed the survey to receive your honorarium.



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TSAWWASSEN FIRST NATION GOLF NIGHTS

THE LINKS at Hampton Cove | 6000 Admiral Blvd, Ladner, B.C.

WEDNESDAY EVENINGS
AROUND 4:30 PM +/-

LIMITED SPOTS
AVAILABLE!

REGISTRATION REQUIRED WEEKLY
Don't delay - Register today!

For more information, contact Chris at cramsey@tsawwassenfirstnation.com

Circle of Matriarchs

All TFN members and household members who identify as a matriarch within their family, are invited to join the Circle Of Matriarchs.

EVERY TUESDAY @ TFN CHURCH FROM 12PM - 2PM

This group is a warm and supportive community for caregivers of all backgrounds to come together, share their experiences, and learn from one another. Whether you're a new mom navigating the early days or a seasoned pro with wisdom to share, you'll find a welcoming environment here. Let's lift each other up and celebrate the incredible journey of motherhood, one story at a time!

A warm, healthy lunch will be provided.

For more information, please call Maura at (604) 830-2821



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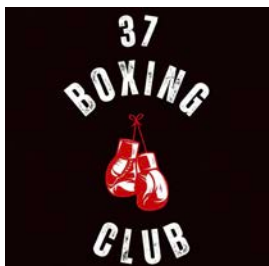
MENS GROUP

Restarting **WEDNESDAY**
October 16th, 2024 at 5:00 PM

All MALE TFN members and household members and those who identify as male are welcome to join us at the TFN Elder's Centre. Group will be lead by Warren McDougall.

DINNER WILL BE PROVIDED.

For more information, please contact Micheal at 604-317-2112



**YOUTH SESSIONS AGES 13-25:
TUESDAYS & WEDNESDAYS 6-7PM**

**ADULT SESSIONS AGES 25 & OLDER:
THURSDAYS 5-6PM**

PLEASE REGISTER IN ADVANCE BY EMAIL @
PBIAMONTE@TSAWWASSENFIRSTNATION.COM

**Sessions Located at 37 Boxing Club
4355 Cormorant Wy, Tsawwassen, BC V4M 0C8**

ALL SKILL LEVELS
WELCOMED!

MUST REGISTER
BEFORE SESSIONS

PLEASE WEAR FLAT GRIP
OR BOXING SHOES

GYM WEAR REQUIRED

BRING YOUR OWN
HAND WRAPS IF YOU
HAVE THEM

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JOIN US FOR A JOURNEY TOWARDS HEALING AND WELLNESS. LEARN TO EMBRACE THE TEACHINGS OF OUR ANCESTORS AND RECLAIM A SOBER AND FULFILLING LIFE. COME TOGETHER WITH LIKE-MINDED INDIVIDUALS IN A SUPPORTIVE SETTING.

FRIDAYS @ THE ELDERS CENTRE
5:00 DINNER PROVIDED
PLEASE CONTACT MAURA FOR MORE INFO
MAURAGOWANS@GMAIL.COM

BEADING GROUP



ELDERS CENTRE



Come join us as we bead together

Wednesdays 10:00-12:00
starting Nov 15th

Supplies provided
or bring your own.

Breakfast & lunch
provided

Coast Salish Art & Design

LEARN THE HISTORY
BEHIND THE ART

Learn cedar carving,
painting, and design

Open house 6-8pm every
Thursday



Led by Karl
Morgan

GOOD MORNING!

Elders Breakfast Club

JOIN US EVERY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY
9:00-11:00 FOR A LIGHT BREAKFAST

ENJOY SOME COMPANY AND CASUAL ACTIVITIES

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ADULT BOOTCAMP FITNESS CLASS

Smash your workouts with a personal trainer!

**WEDNESDAYS 5:30
@ TFN SPORTS FIELD
STARTING JUNE 14TH**

Come join us as we explore group fitness Bootcamp style. please bring supportive athletic shoes and dress for the weather.

For more info contact Paul

Pbiamonte@tsawwassenfirstnation.com

NEW WEEKLY MUSIC PROGRAMS at TFN!

ALL CLASSES AT THE TFN YOUTH CENTRE FOR TFN MEMBERS & FAMILIES

MONDAY

**DRUM
LESSONS
TEACHER:
RAYHAN**

TUESDAY

**MUSIC
PRODUCTION
CLASS
TEACHER:
CONNOR**

WEDNESDAY

**SONG BIRDS
TEACHERS:
CONNIE &
SCHARA**

**SINGING
LESSONS
TEACHER:
SCHARA**

**SONGWRITING
TEACHERS:
SAM, LUIS,
CONNOR**

THURSDAY

**GUITAR/
UKULELE
TEACHER:
LUIS**

**JAM NIGHT!
TEACHERS:
SCHARA, SAM,
CONNOR, LUIS**

FRIDAY

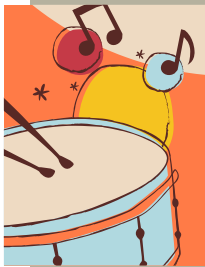
**PIANO
LESSONS
TEACHER:
CONNOR**

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MONDAY DRUM LESSONS

Starting Sept 9th

- 4:00 - 5:00PM: Ages 13 - Adult
- 5:00 - 5:30PM: Ages 5 to 7
- 5:30 - 6:30PM: Ages 8 to 12
- 6:30 - 8:00PM: Ages 13 to Adult



MUSIC PRODUCTION TUESDAYS

Record your own music!

Starting Sept 10th

- Ages 13 to Adult
4:00 - 8:00PM



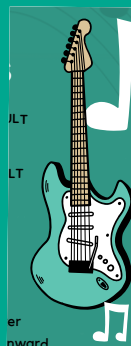
ALL PROGRAMS LOCATED AT
THE TFN YOUTH CENTRE

Please contact Schara Chalmers
to REGISTER at schalmers@tsawwassenfirstnation.com OR 604.830.4429

THURSDAY GUITAR LESSONS

Starting Sept 12th

- 4:00 - 5:00PM: Ages 13 - Adult
- 5:00 - 5:30PM: Ages 5 to 7
- 5:30 - 6:30PM: Ages 8 to 12
- 6:30 - 8:00PM: Ages 13 to Adult



PIANO LESSONS FRIDAYS

Starting Sept 13th

- 4:00 - 5:00PM: Ages 13 - Adult
- 5:00 - 5:30PM: Ages 5 to 7
- 5:30 - 6:30PM: Ages 8 to 12
- 6:30 - 8:00PM: Ages 13 to Adult



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SONG BIRDS WEDNESDAYS

KIDS WILL LEARN A VARIETY OF INDIGENOUS SONGS AND POP SONGS. THEY WILL ALSO LEARN MANY INSTRUMENTS.

Ages
5 to 12



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THE TFN YOUTH CENTRE

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SINGING LESSONS

WEDNESDAYS

- 5:00 - 5:30PM: Ages 7 to 12
- 5:30 - 6:00PM: Ages 13 to Adult

WEDNESDAY Classes
Starting Sept 11th



WEDS JAM NIGHTS

WEDNESDAYS

*Come jam and experience
what it's like to be in a
band setting -
No experience needed*

- 6:00 - 8:00PM: Teens & Adults

SONGWRITING WEDNESDAYS

WEDNESDAYS

- 5:00 - 6:00PM:
Ages 13 to Adult

In the TEEN ROOM - Drop in



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EXECUTIVE TFN DEVELOPMENT

800-1080 Howe St, Vancouver, BC, V6Z 2T1
Ph. +1(604) 642-5250 Fax: +1(604) 642-5255

September 17th, 2024

Re: Sidewalk closure Blue heron way notice – September 17th to November 8th 2024

Dear Residents,

Executive TFN Development is closing the side walk on Blue Heron way between Starling drive and Salish way to complete the construction of sidewalk and Boulevard. This will result in localized traffic rerouting where the work is in progress on Starling Dr. Once this work is successfully completed, we will relocate the bus stop to its original location. The bus stop is currently located further down on Blue Heron on Osprey Dr intersection.

We would like to use this opportunity to thank you for your patience and understanding during the previous and upcoming works for the sidewalk.

If you have any questions, please contact Mufassir @ mufassir@executivedevelopment.com

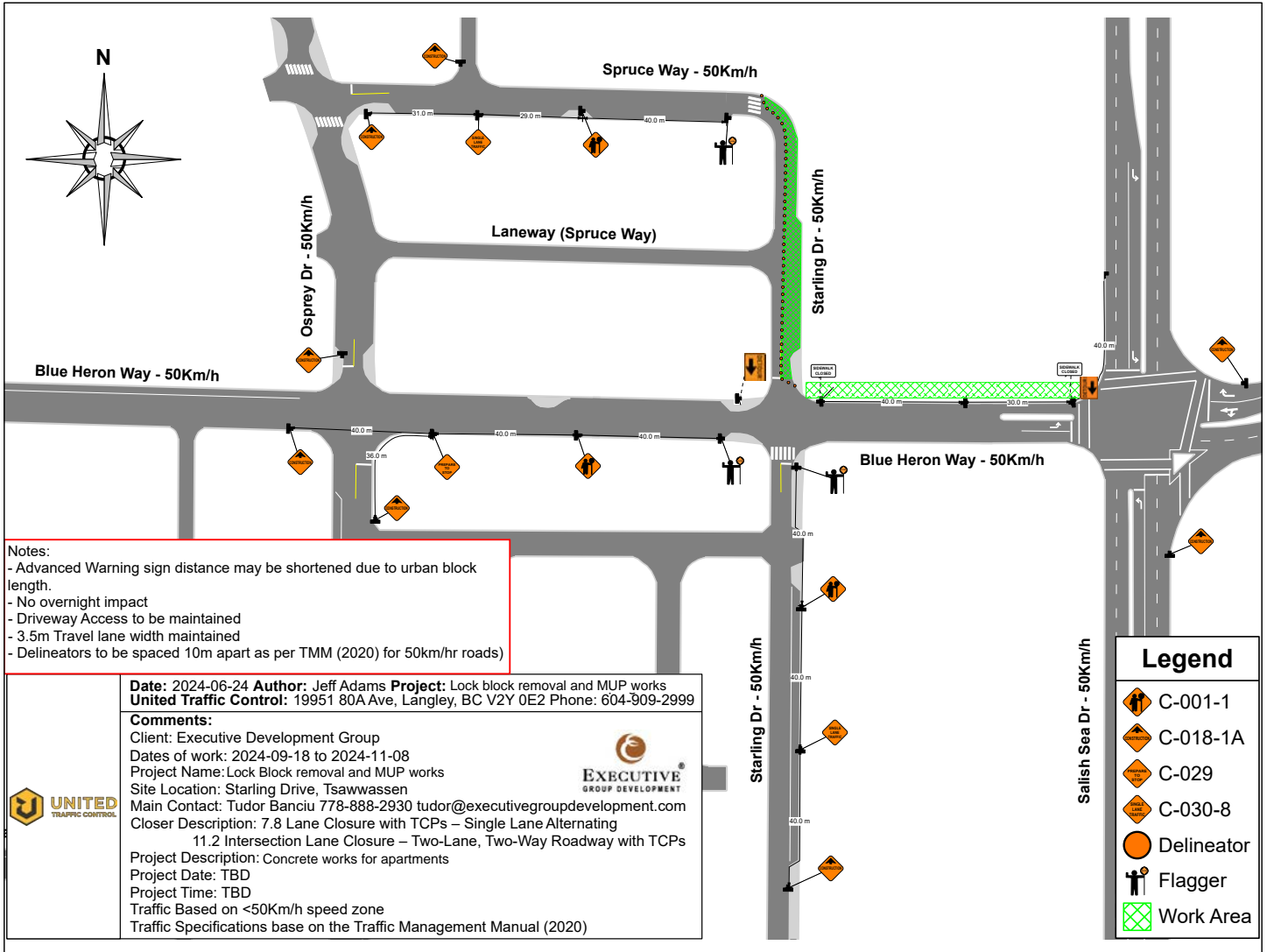
CONTACTS

Project Manager:	Mufassir Shaik	#604-442-9540
	Office	#604-642-5250
Site superintendent:	Greg McConnell	#604-368-6599

Thank You, Executive TFN Development Team

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September 17, 2024

Project: Truck Access / Egress at 4449 Salish Sea Way, Tsawwassen, BC

Dear Residents:

Beedie Construction is constructing a new industrial development at 4449 Salish Sea Way, Tsawwassen BC just west of the Sewage Treatment Plant. As construction on the building begins there will be heavy truck traffic coming and leaving our site due to concrete pours, import materials & deliveries. This escalated level of traffic will take place from September 23, 2024 to mid-February 2025. Working hours will be from 7am to 5pm. We will implement TMP #DWG#001 for the duration of this scope.

Please refer to the attached TMP for this work.

Vehicle traffic to adhere to traffic controllers.

Residents are also reminded that the project will be constructed with heavy earthmoving machinery and that young children and pets should be kept clear of work zones.

If you have any questions, please contact Anand Budwal via the undersigned.

We appreciate your ongoing cooperation.

Regards,

Anand Budwal

Digitally signed by Anand Budwal
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Budwal, OU=The Beedie Group, DC=corpnet,
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Anand Budwal
Project Manager

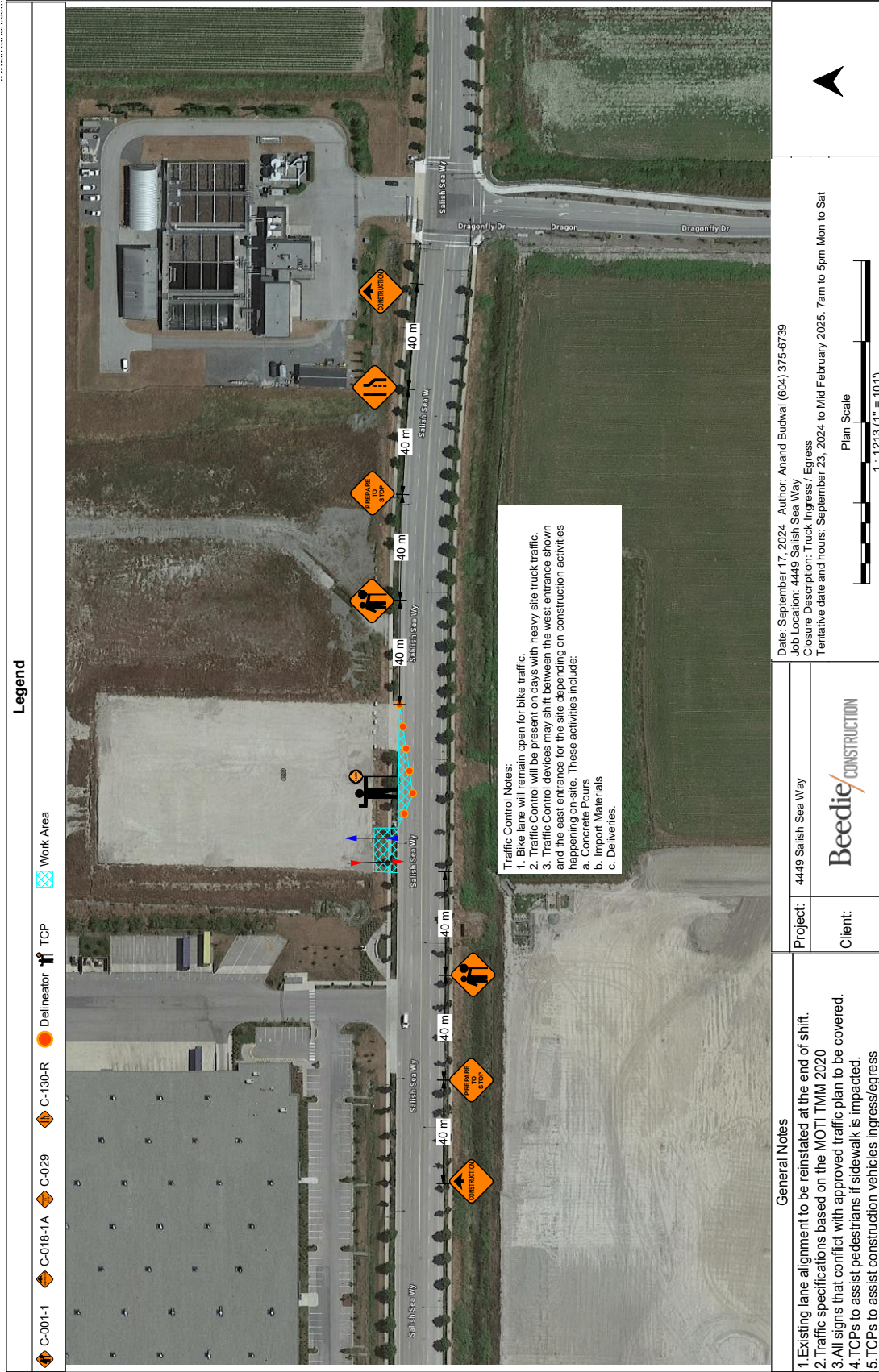


[C604.375.6739](tel:604.375.6739)

3030 Gilmore Diversion, Burnaby, BC V5G 3B4

anand.budwal@beedie.ca

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- C-001-1
- C-018-1A
- C-029
- Delmeator
- TCP
- C-130-R
- Work Area

Traffic Control Notes:

1. Bike lane will remain open for bike traffic.
2. Traffic Control will be present on days with heavy site truck traffic.
3. Traffic Control devices may shift between the west entrance shown and the east entrance for the site, depending on construction activities happening on-site. These activities include:
 - a. Concrete Pours
 - b. Import Materials
 - c. Deliveries.

General Notes

1. Existing lane alignment to be reinstated at the end of shift.
2. Traffic specifications based on the MOTI TMM 2020
3. All signs that conflict with approved traffic plan to be covered.
4. TCPs to assist pedestrians if sidewalk is impacted.
5. TCPs to assist construction vehicles ingress/egress

Date: September 17, 2024. Author: Anand Budwal (604) 375-6739
 Job Location: 4449 Salish Sea Way
 Closure Description: Truck Ingress / Egress
 Tentative date and hours: September 23, 2024 to Mid February 2025. 7am to 5pm Mon to Sat



Project: 4449 Salish Sea Way



Client:

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September 16, 2024

Notice of Work

To whom it may concern,

TFN Construction/Matcon Civil Constructors Inc. JV has been awarded the Ditch Infill Works Project located at 2311 Tsawwassen Drive North in Tsawwassen. The works will happen from September 2024 to approximately December 2024.

The work area will be on the north west side of Tsawwassen Drive North. Traffic will follow the approved TMPs that will be single lane alternating traffic, Monday to Friday from 7AM to 5PM, for this work.

TFN Construction/Matcon Civil Constructors Inc. JV will endeavor to construct the project as safely and as quickly as possible with the least disruption to the residents. Residents are also reminded that the project will be constructed with heavy earthmoving machinery. Adults, young children, and pets should be kept clear of the work zones at all times.

If you have any questions or concerns, please call.

Yours truly,

Matcon Civil Constructors Inc.

David Wolshlager, Senior Manager

Contacts

Darrell Shayler (General Superintendent)

604-530-1402

David Wolshlager (Senior Manager)

604-530-1402 (x272)

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May 28, 2024

Notice of Work

To whom it may concern,

TFN Construction/Matcon Civil Constructors Inc. JV has been awarded the 19.42 Acre Fill Site located at PID 005-369-142 on Salish Sea Drive in Tsawwassen. The works will happen from June 2024 to approximately December 2025.

The work area will be on the west side of Salish Sea Drive. Traffic will follow the approved TMPs for this work.

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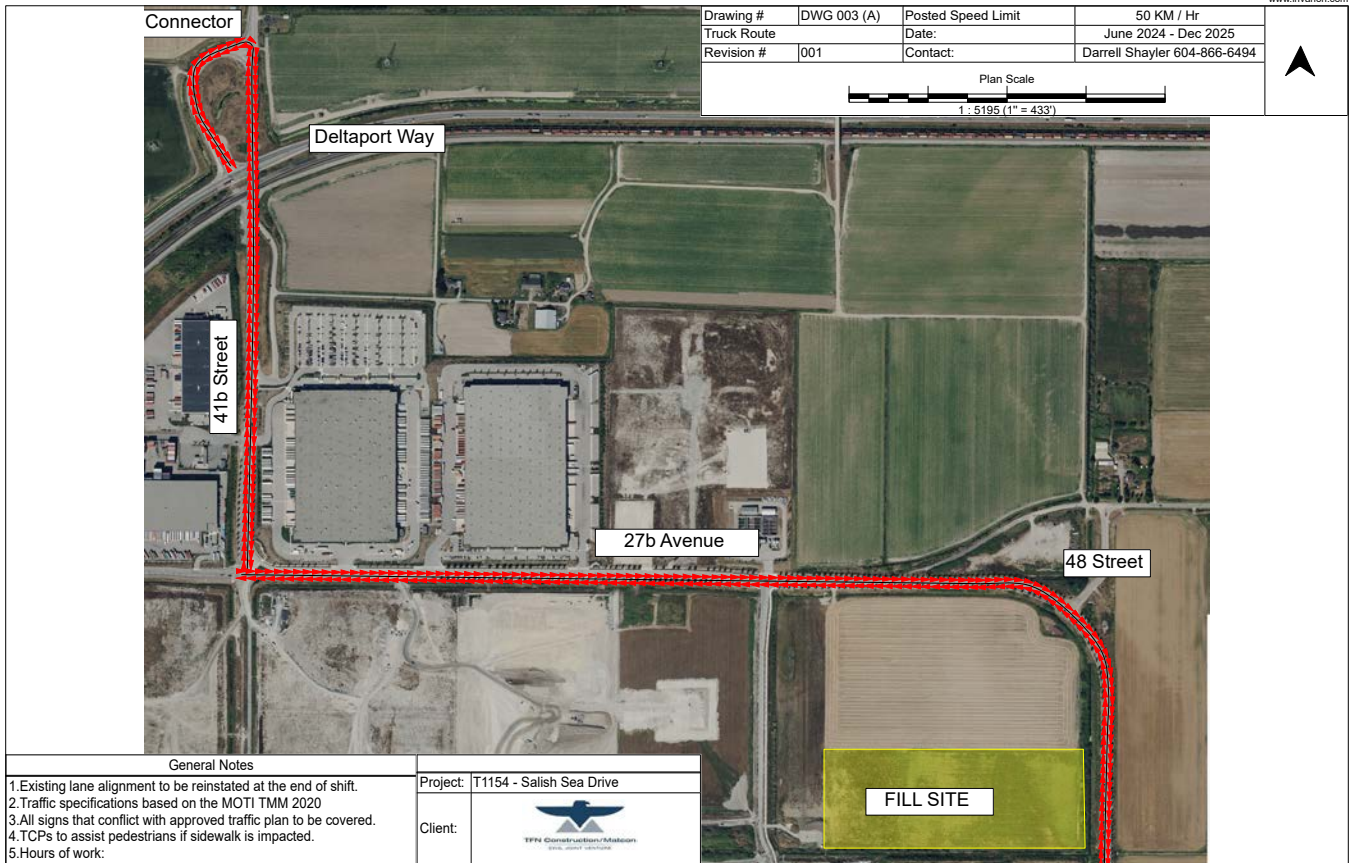
	Project:	T1154 - Salish Sea Dr.	Posted Speed Limit:	50 KM/h
	Contact:	Darrell Shayler 604-866-6494	Drawing #:	DWG 001
	Date:	June 2024 - DEC 2025	SLAT	
	City:	Tsawwassen	Revision #:	

<p style="text-align: center;">Legend</p> <p> B-C-002 C-001-1 C-018-1A C-030-8 C-184 Delineator TCP Work Area </p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Existing Lane alignment to be reinstated at the end of shift. 2. TCPs to assist Pedestrians if sidewalk is impacted 3. Traffic Specifications based on the MOTI TMM 2020 4. Any signage that conflicts with approved traffic plan will be covered or removed 5. Driveway Access to be maintained at all times 6. Mon- Fri 7AM - 7 PM 	
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	Contact:	Darrell Shayler 604-866-6494	Drawing #:	DWG 002
	Date:	June 2024 - Dec 2025	Access Egress	
	City:	Tsawwassen	Revision #:	

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Request for Proposals



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TSAWWASSEN FIRST NATION

REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL

CATERING

TSAWWASSEN FIRST NATION CHRISTMAS CRAFT FAIR

Saturday, December 7, 2024

TFN Youth Centre

10:00 am to 3:00 pm

We are gearing up for our Christmas Craft Fair this season and are looking for someone to cater the Craft Fair concession and refreshments.

Please submit your interest with the following criteria in mind:

Concession style food items

Please provide menu items that you would like to sell at the concession

Beverages

- ◆ Provide an assortment of tea, coffee (creamer, milk, and sugar)
- ◆ Assorted cold beverages

Other responsibilities:

- ◆ Provide set-up and serving dishes, cutlery, cups and napkins, etc.
- ◆ Use of environmentally friendly products for serving

Remove dishes, empty food trays, keep serving areas tidy, and clean up the kitchen area during and after the event.

Deadline for submission:

Friday, November 15th by 4:30 pm

Email or deliver your interest and menu to the TFN Office, address to Dawn Williams

Email: dwilliams@tsawwassenfirstnation.com

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TSAWWASSEN FIRST NATION

Expression of Interest – Meeting Facilitator

Tsawwassen First Nation (TFN) is a proud Coast Salish nation whose land base is located south of the Fraser River along the Salish Sea. We are a self-governing modern treaty First Nation under the terms of a Final Agreement that became effective in 2009. As part of our governance structure, TFN has established several advisory bodies, including the Advisory Council and other elected committees, as well as appointed bodies such as the Standing Committee on Language and Culture and the Board of Directors for the TFN Trust Society. TFN also conducts workshops to engage with community members on a variety of topics throughout the year.

Tsawwassen First Nation is seeking proposals from qualified individuals or firms to provide meeting facilitation services on an on-call basis. The selected facilitator(s) will be responsible for ensuring that our meetings are productive, inclusive, and aligned with Tsawwassen cultural values and teachings. The facilitator(s) will work with Tsawwassen Government staff to ensure that comprehensive meeting minutes and action items are captured and may from time to time be asked for recommendations on improving meeting effectiveness. Services will be provided as needed/requested, and the number of meetings per month will vary depending on TFN's operational needs and the facilitator's availability. Meetings are generally held in the evenings on Tsawwassen Lands, but may also include virtual meetings via MS Teams and/or hybrid meetings with a mix of in-person and virtual attendees.

If you are interested in this opportunity, please submit a letter outlining your interest in working with TFN in this capacity, along with a brief summary of your background and skills including previous relevant experience. Submissions from interested TFN Members are encouraged. Note that previous experience working with First Nations communities or organizations is strongly preferred but not required. Once submissions are received, potential candidates will be contacted for an interview which will include discussions on availability and remuneration.

Expressions of interest should be sent to the Manager of Government Services via email at jjansen@tsawwassenfirstnation.com. Deadline to receive submissions is Friday November 8th at 4:30 pm. If you have any questions, please reach out to Jennifer Jansen, Manager of Government Services, at the email address above or by phone at (604) 880-1495.

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TSAWWASSEN FIRST NATION

CALLING ALL TSAWWASSEN FIRST NATION ARTISTS



Tsawwassen First Nation (TFN) endeavors to support and encourage its artists. We are proud of our artists and want to showcase TFN artwork.

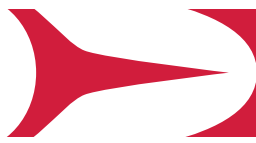
We are seeking all types of art from TFN Member Artists. All art will be a donation or a gift from the Tsawwassen First Nation Chief and Council.

We are interested in art from both established and emerging TFN Member Artists. The primary concern of TFN is that the artwork has significance and meaning for the Tsawwassen people. This is an excellent opportunity for a TFN Artist to showcase their work and gain exposure.

The art should have a description and artist biography to accompany the art piece, submitted by the artist.

If you are interested in TFN purchasing your artwork, please make an appointment with Maryanne Adams or Andrea Jacobs at 604-943-2112 for your artwork to be considered.

Administration Office: 1926 Tsawwassen Drive, Tsawwassen, British Columbia V4M 4G2
Tel: (604) 943-2112 • Fax: (604) 943-9226 Website: tsawwassenfirstnation.com



Employment & Training

Current Employment & Training Opportunities for TFN Members

Updated October 31, 2024

There are several options for viewing the full job descriptions of opportunities listed below...

In print: In the Employment Opportunities binder at the TFN Admin Building reception area

- **Online:** On the *Employment Opportunities* page of the TFN website, or by subscribing to the weekly *Community Notice & Employment Opportunities* email. (Contact communications@tsawwassenfirstnation.com or TFN Communications at 604-948-5245 to subscribe.)
- **Contact Terry Baird, Employment Coordinator:** 604-948-5310 or 604-999-7740 - email tbaird@tsawwassenfirstnation.com

Tsawwassen First Nation

1 to 1 Support Worker – Daycare - 12 month contract

- Posted October 17, Open until filled

Child & Family Services Worker

- Posted October 4, Open until filled

Municipal Infrastructure Planner - Full-Time

- Posted September 26, Open until filled

Education Support Worker – Full-Time

- Posted August 16, Open until filled

Senior Territory Management Coordinator – Full-Time

- Posted August 16, Open until filled

ECE Worker – Full-Time

- Posted July 19, Open until filled

TFN / Kwantlen Polytechnic University

[English Upgrading Course](#) – **drop in** starting Sept 2024 from 11:00 am – 2:00 pm – TFN Youth Centre

[Financial Literacy Course](#) – every Tuesday from 2:00 – 3:00 pm – TFN Youth Centre, starting Tuesday, November 5th

Please contact Pamela Rowat at prowat@tsawwassenfirstnation.com for any inquiries

BA Blacktop – October 2024

Various Career Opportunities

Port of Vancouver – Vancouver Fraser Port Authority – October 21

Please see Community Notice for current job postings

Port of Vancouver – Vancouver Fraser Port Authority

Harbour Patrol Officer (Casual)

- Posted October 24, Open until filled

UA Piping Industry College of BC

Piping Foundation Program

Welding Program

Trades Awareness Program

Amazon – Lower Mainland

Warehouse Associates

Pacific Global Terminals

Operations Support

- Posted October 24, Open until filled

Pacific Gateway Construction

Traffic Technician

Civil Construction Worker

BCIB – Patullo Bridge Replacement Project

Various labor job opportunities – see flyers

Please see Community Notice for descriptions of job postings. Contact **Terry Baird** for any inquiries

TFN Construction/Matcon

Accounting/Administrative Assistant

Traffic Controller

Civil Estimator/Project Manager